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Planning Commission City of Chesterfield 690 Chesterfield Parkway West Chesterfield, MO 63017

The Planning Commission agenda for **March 24, 2008** will include the following item for your consideration:

<u>9 Georgetown Road (Georgetown Estates)</u>: A request for an increase in building height for new residential construction at 9 Georgetown Road, located in the "NU" Non-Urban District-zoned Georgetown Estates Subdivision.

Dear Planning Commission:

Mr. Jim New, on behalf of MCJDL Homes, LLC, has submitted for your review, a request for height of new construction of a two (2) story home which exceeds thirty-five (35) feet in height. The Department of Planning has reviewed this submittal and submits the following report.

PETITIONER'S REQUEST

- 1. MCJDL Homes is the owner of the property at 9 Georgetown Road.
- 2. Their representative seeks permission to construct a new residential structure on the site that would be two (2) stories and 39.5 feet

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 1. The subject site is located in the Georgetown estates Subdivision, which was zoned "NU" Non-Urban District prior to incorporation of the City of Chesterfield.
- 2. There is no maximum permissible height for any dwelling structure or building accessory to a dwelling structure in an "NU" Non-Urban District.

CITY OF CHESTERFIELD PROCEDURE

1. Section 1003.126A "Regulations for New Construction in Established Districts" states that the height of any new construction shall not exceed 2 stories with a maximum height of 35 feet. This section also states the following:

"Height is calculated from grade at front elevation to the top of the roof. If the height exceeds this requirement it shall be reviewed by the Planning Commission."

- 2. If the height request is approved, the building of this structure will be reviewed for approval by the Departments of Planning and Public Works and then forwarded to St. Louis County for permits and inspections.
- 3. If the height request is not approved, the Petitioner may apply for a variance before the Board of Adjustment. If approved, the building of this structure will be reviewed for approval by the Departments of Planning and Public Works and then forwarded to St. Louis County for permits and inspections.

DEPARTMENTAL INPUT

The submittal was reviewed for compliance with all City of Chesterfield ordinances. The Department of Planning recommends approval and requests action by the Planning Commission.

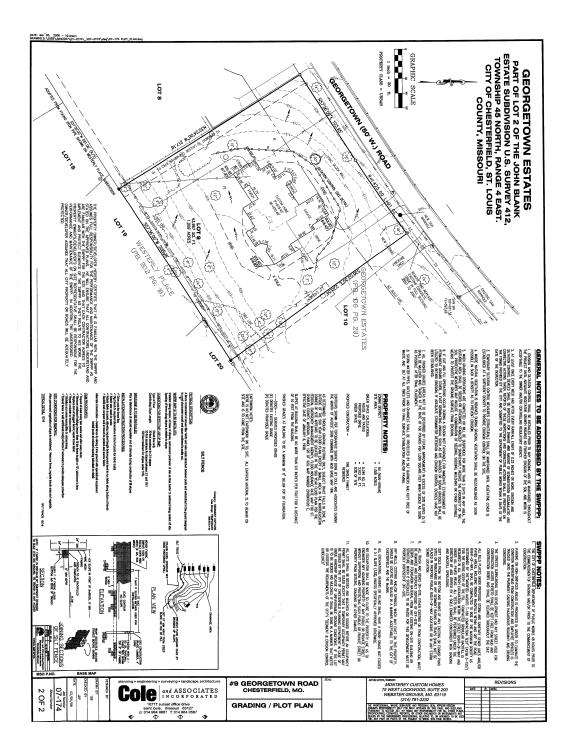
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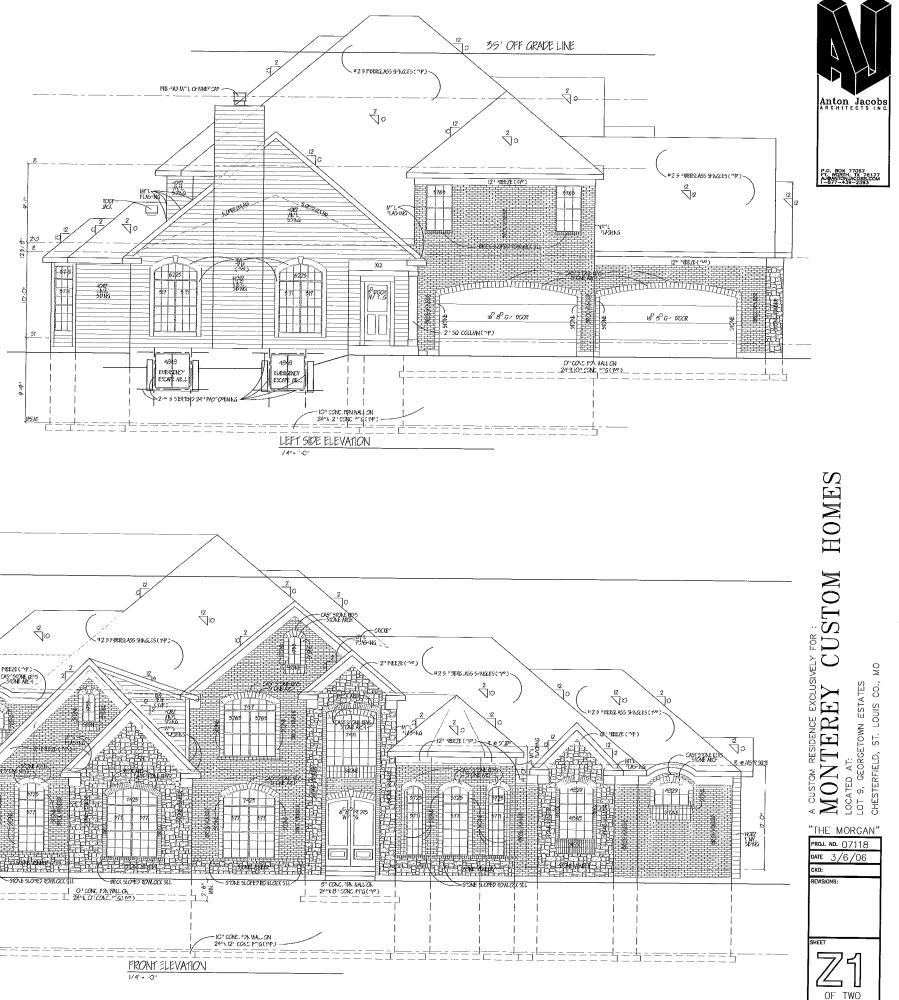
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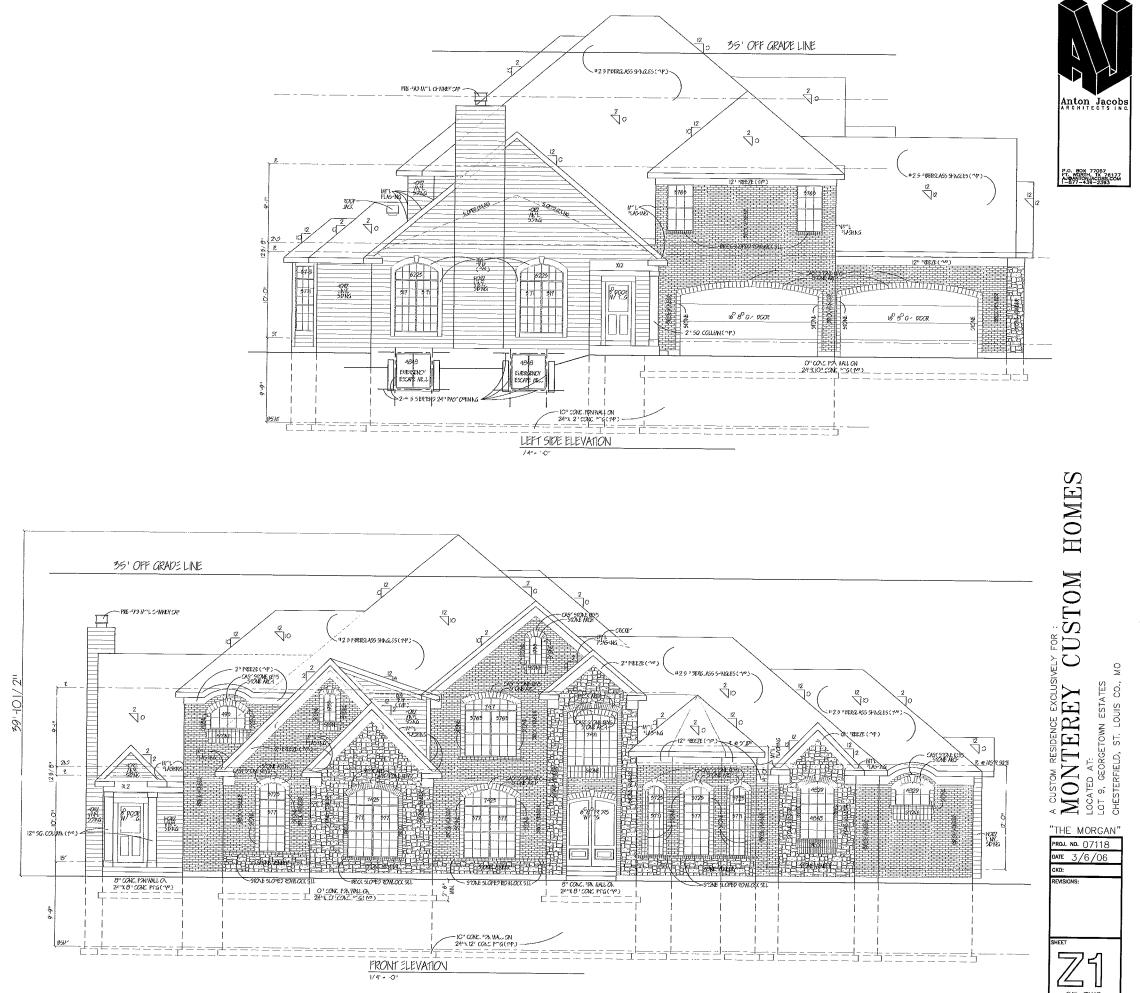
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Cc: City Administrator City Attorney Department of Public Works

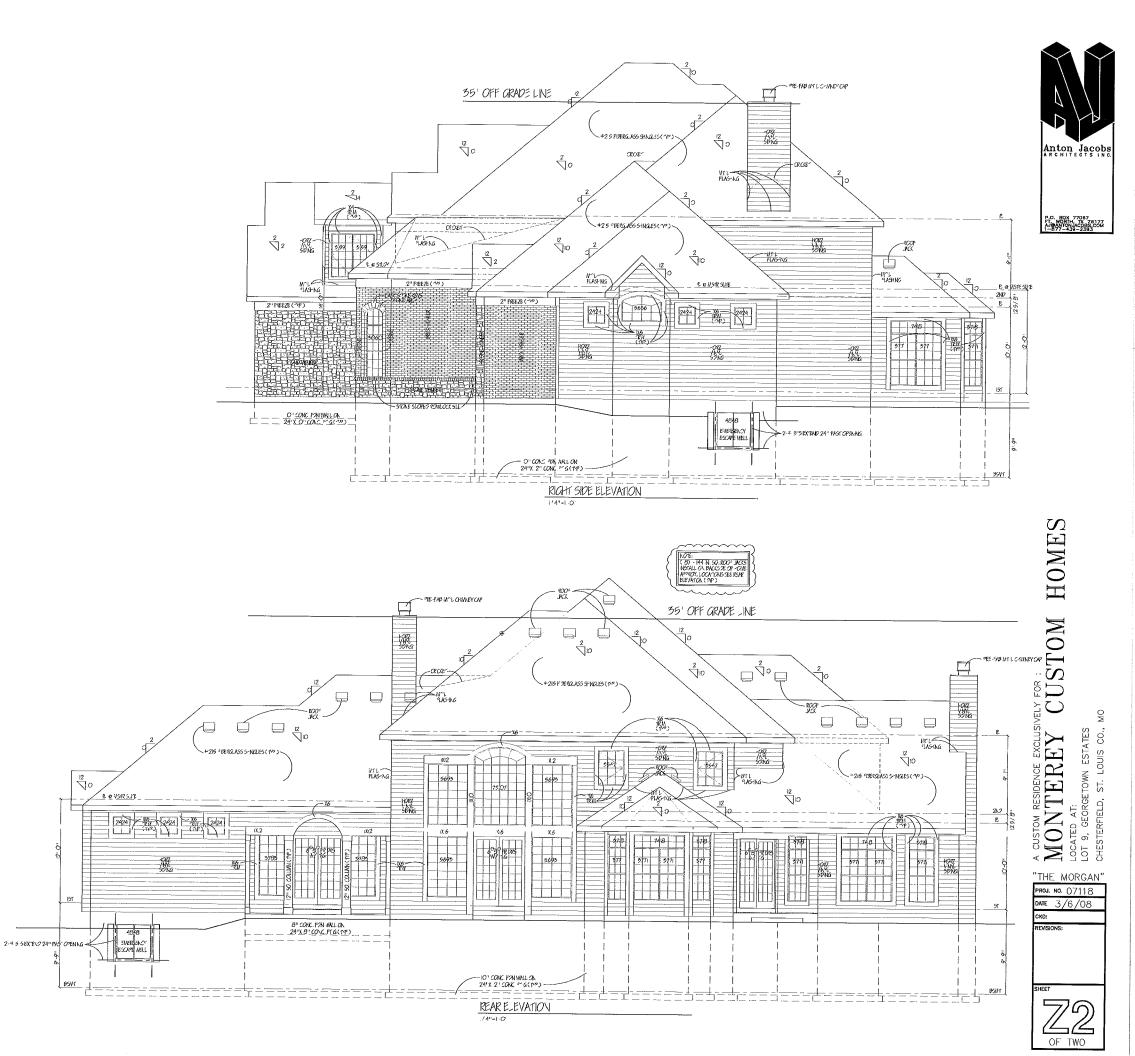
Attachments: Site Plan Architectural Elevations











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