RESOLUTION

GRANTING AN EXCEPTION ON JCC RE TAX PARCEL NO. 5030400023

- WHEREAS, John and Eleanor Corbett (the "Applicants" and "Owners") have appeared before the Chesapeake Bay Board of James City County (the "Board") on January 14, 2010 to request an exception to the use of the Resource Protection Area (the "RPA") on a parcel of property identified as JCC RE Tax Parcel No. 5030400023 and further identified as 209 W Tazewells Way, Kingsmill (the "Property") as set forth in the application CBE-10-050 for the purpose of constructing an approximately 115 LF retaining wall; and
- WHEREAS, the Board has listened to the arguments presented and has carefully considered all evidence entered into the record.
- NOW, THEREFORE, following a public hearing, the Chesapeake Bay Board of James City County by a majority vote of its members FINDS that:
 - 1. The exception request is the minimum necessary to afford relief.
 - 2. Granting the exception will not confer upon the Applicant any special privileges denied by Chapter 23, Chesapeake Bay Preservation, of the James City County Code, to other property owners similarly situated in the vicinity.
 - 3. The exception request will be in harmony with the purpose and intent of Chapter 23 of the James City County Code, and is not of substantial detriment to water quality.
 - 4. The exception request is not based on conditions or circumstances that are self-created or self-imposed, nor does the request arise from conditions or circumstances either permitted or non-conforming that are related to adjacent parcels.
 - Reasonable and appropriate conditions are hereby imposed, as set forth below, which will prevent the exception request from causing a degradation of water quality.
 - 6. In granting this exception, the following conditions are hereby imposed to prevent this exception request from causing degradation of water quality:
 - The applicant must obtain all other permits required from agencies that
 may have regulatory authority over the proposed activities, including a
 James City County building permit if required.
 - The Design Details plan shall be revised to indicate a swale acceptable to the Environmental Division.

The mitigation plan shall be revised to include a native understory tree in lieu of the proposed non-native Crepe Myrtle tree, the size of the tree shall be a minimum of 1-1/2 inch caliper (six to eight feet tall), and the proposed shrubs shall be 3 gallon size. All vegetation shall be native species approved by the Environmental Division.

- Full implementation of the RPA Mitigation Plan submitted with the WQIA and any additional Board mitigation requirements shall be guaranteed through the provisions of the Ordinance contained in Sections 23-10(3) d. and 23-17(c), a form of surety satisfactory to the County Attorney.
- This exception request approval shall become null and void if construction has not begun by January 14, 2011, or all improvements including the required mitigation plantings are not completed by that expiration date.
- Written requests for an extension to an exception shall be submitted to the Environmental Division no later than 2 weeks prior to the expiration date.

David Gussman

Chairman, Chesapeake Bay Board

ATTEST:

Scott J. Thomas/

Secretary to the Board

Adopted by the Chesapeake Bay Board of James City County, Virginia, this <u>14th</u> day of <u>January 2010</u>.

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