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December 19, 2022

Mr. Werner Gilliam
Director of Planning and Development
and Planning Board Members
Town of Kennebunkport
6 Elm Street, P.O. Box 566
Kennebunkport, Maine 04046

RE: Proposed Minor Amended Subdivision Plan Turbat's Creek Preserve Condominium

Dear Werner and Board Members:

I wanted to follow up with a response regarding the subdivision question raised at the meeting on December 7, 2022. Attorney Bruce Read has prepared the enclosed letter response that we trust will address the boards question regarding the proposed amendment to the Turbat's Creek Preserve subdivision to include the parcel owned by Kenan Sahin. Bruce Read will be present at the meeting to respond to any additional questions.

In addition, enclosed is a revised subdivision plan that updates the net density calculations that were inadvertently missed on the previous submission. The original net density permitted 9 lots or units, the updated density with inclusion of the Sahin parcel would permit 11 lots or units. The addition of the Sahin parcel brings the total number of units to 8 of which only 6 are developed and 2 have conservation easements restricting development.



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Enclosed for your review are the following:

- Revised Subdivision Plan
- Letter prepared by Attorney Bruce Read

We look forward to the opportunity to meet with you and the Planning Board at your January 4, 2023, public hearing to further discuss the application.

Sincerely,

Mitchell & Associates Robert B. Metcalf, Principal

Maine Licensed Landscape Architect

Enclosure

cc: Kenan Sahin

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RE: Turbat's Creek Condominium - Subdivision Amendment Application

Dear Werner.

I am writing in my capacity as legal counsel to Kenan Sahin. Bob Metcalf and I have been working together on this subdivision amendment application. I understand that some questions were raised at the last meeting when Bob appeared before the board and I am writing to provide some legal / procedural background.

Although this application may appear unusual to the board (as no new development or lot creation is proposed), it is quite straightforward and entirely a matter of housekeeping for title and Registry of Deeds recording purposes. It clearly falls within the planning board's statutory jurisdiction to approve amendments to existing subdivision plans.

The long and short of this application to amend the existing subdivision plan is that Mr. Sahin's property, Timberledge, was never included as part of the subdivision as originally proposed, submitted, and approved by the planning board in 2003. The developer sold him this property as a free-standing lot but granted him the right to join the condominium association upon request. Although not technically a member of the association, Mr. Sahin has been paying dues since he purchased and, for all intents and purposes, Timberledge has been treated as though it is an official member of this condominium.

Mr. Sahin is now in his 80's and wants to get his "ducks in a row" for estate planning purposes and to be sure the title and Registry records are clear. Amending the subdivision plan to officially include his property is a prerequisite.

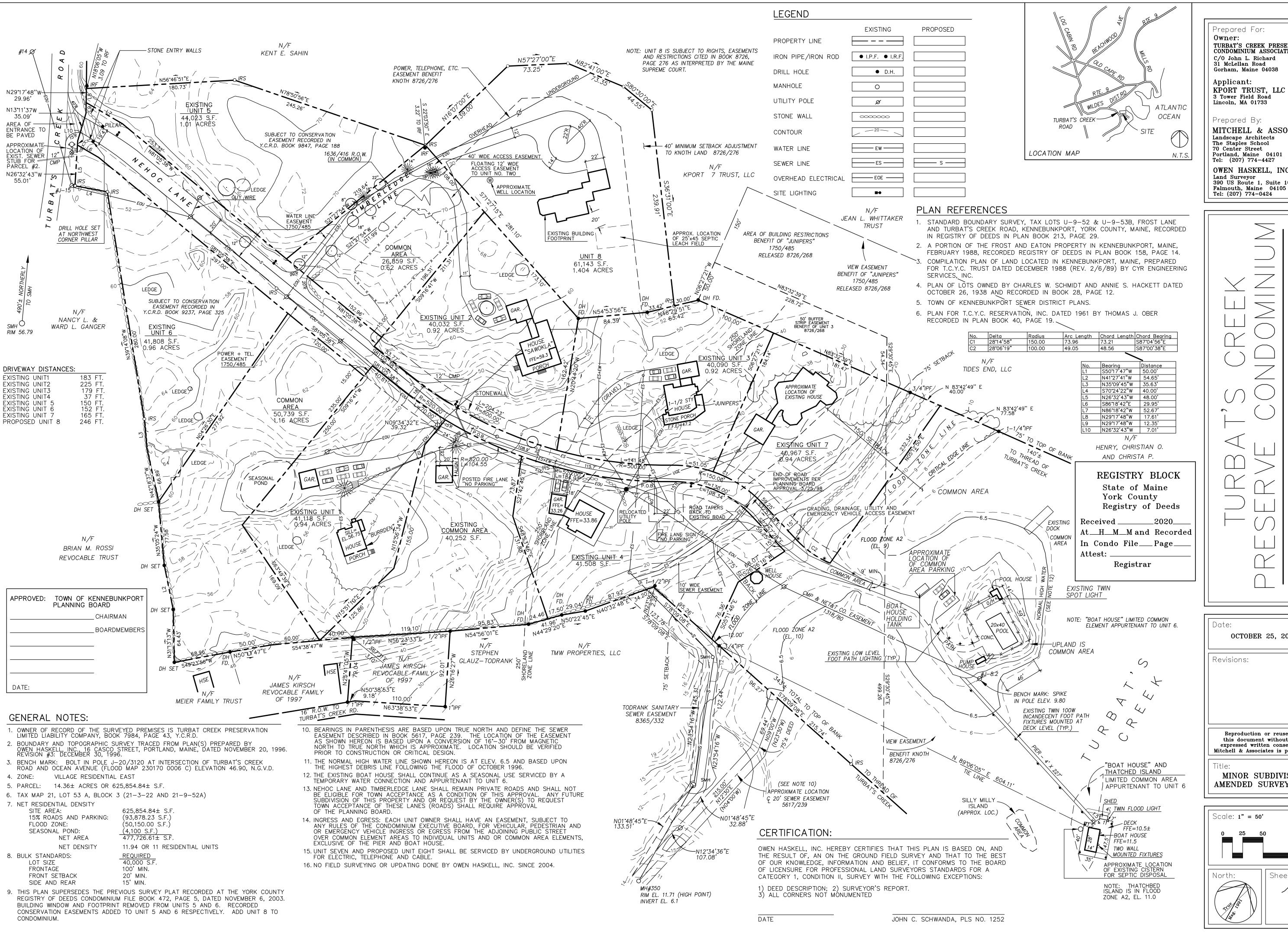
We have kept the condominium association apprised of this process and they have raised no objection, nor are they expected to pay any fees or expenses. Again, we are simply codifying and documenting the state of affairs as all have been accustomed. No changes are proposed aside from officially amending the plan to show Timberledge as an official unit and updating the plan notes to reflect documents recorded since the original approval.

I trust this will assist in the board's understanding of our request and will plan to attend the upcoming meeting on 4 January 2023 to answer other questions the members may have.

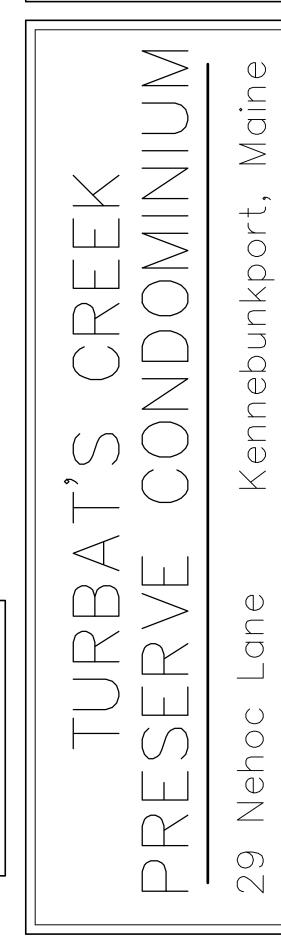
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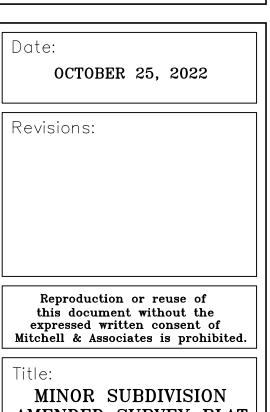
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AMENDED SURVEY PLAT

