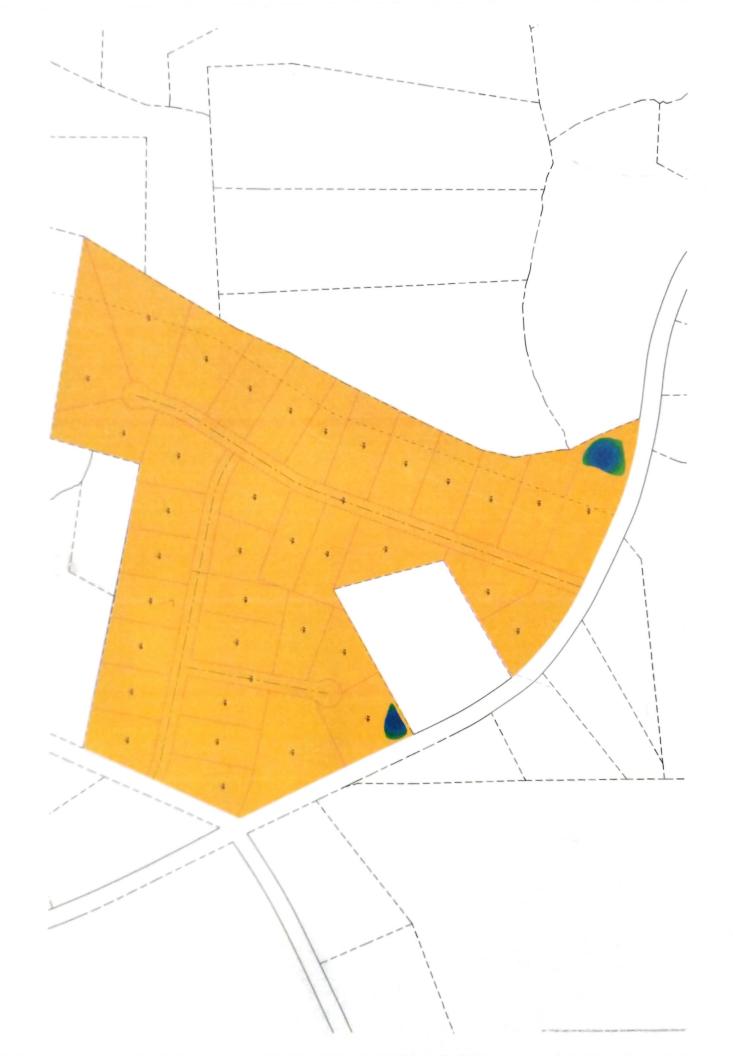
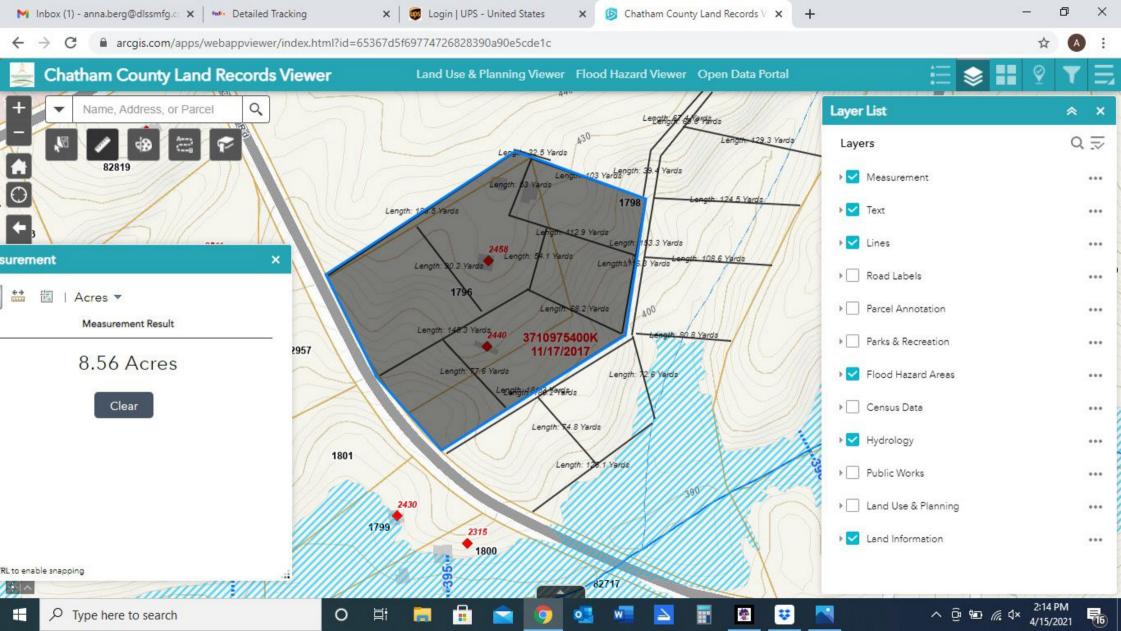
Statement of Erik Berg

- 1. My name is Erik Berg.
- 2. I knew Al Bechtoldt for many years.
- 3. I met him because Al and my grandfather purchased some land together back in the early 1970s and I now own five acres of that land. I helped Al keep paths cleared on his land and kept the posted signs up along the boundary, In addition to seeing Al when he visited his property I went to approximately 50 basketball games with him.
- 4. Al was extremely intelligent, but he had an unusual personality. He had very few friends and he was not close to most of his family.
- 5. Al was extremely tight with his money and his possessions.
- 6. For example, during the entire time I knew him he would make a casserole or a lasagna and then eat one piece per night over the course of the week. His habit on the weekend was to show up around dinner time at our house. His colleagues at the hospital shared that Al would eat a bag lunch in the locker room rather than joining them in the cafeteria. He would drive to the Siler City Walmart to save on taxes and get the best price for gas. During the course of the past 25 years I have offered to purchase land from Al, but he was adamant that he wanted to keep it. We had discovered that I have buildings that encroach on his property when clearing after Hurricane Fran. Despite being annoyed, he would not sell the property.
- 7. Al was very fond of his nephew, Jimmy Michael. He obviously enjoyed spending time with Jimmy and said he appreciated everything Jimmy did for him. Jimmy is the only one of Al's relatives who has, to my knowledge, ever visited the property.

- 8. Al rarely spoke favorably about his other relatives. Usually when he mentioned his other relatives, he would complain about them. Al had a long running narrative about a resentment he had toward his sister over the family silverware. He was very disappointed that his niece had not repaid a loan.
- 9. Al shared many details about his finances. I was aware that he had significant stock holdings. Over the years I helped Al with repairs on his other properties and was very familiar with how they were maintained. Al made many references to his estate plans. Although he never specifically gave the details, I always assumed that he would leave most or all of his estate to Jimmy. He was very favorable in the way he talked about Jimmy, as opposed to the way he talked about his other relatives. Jimmy had repaid Al money he had borrowed for legal fees during his divorce. Al made a point to introduce Jimmy to me as who I would need to know when he passed. I assumed that this was with regard to my wishes to own some of his land. Four years ago, Al's health began to seriously deteriorate. After Al was admitted to the hospital, I helped Jimmy move Al to a rehabilitation facility. Jimmy took over responsibility for Al's care in the final years of his life, which Al was very grateful to have.

Dated:	, 2019.	
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Attachment E C ommunity Meeting Report Form

REPORT OF CEVELOPMENT INPUT MEETING REQUIRED BY THE CHATHAM COUNTY SUBDIVISION ORDINANCE

To: Kimberly Tyson, Chatham County Subdivision Administrator/Planner II		
Subdivision Name: RIDGECREST ESTATES		
Approximate Location (or Address): MANNS CHAPEL RP		
Proposed Number Lots: 35 Residential (Y/N): 4		
The undersigned hereby certifies that the required sign(s) was posted on the property proposed for subdivision, on each road frontage of said subdivision on (date) A photo of the sign posted is recommended to be attached to this form.		
The meeting was held at the following time and place: $3-26-21$ at $4-6$ PM		
The persons in attendance at the meeting: See attached Attendance sheet		
The following issues were discussed at the meeting (Attach additional sheet(s) if needed): CONTROL CANIGAN 47 EACH 7 G 42-21/0 THELLY JACOBS 187 WINTHROP RD 903-9147 JAN + BIANCA MOHER 191 HARRISON POND ERIK BERG G19-7594 RAIMEY TYRNER 49 DRE AMSCAPE \$27-1369 DAN PAXSON OZ HUDSON HILLS BIR-JPF As a result of the meeting, the following changes were made to the subdivision proposal (Attach additional sheet(s) if needed): SEE IF HAMFTTS CHAPET FIRENCE IS FEASIBLE BECAUSE OF WEILAND ARIC WITH ERIK ISERS WHO ONN SACRES ASIDE OR RIDGE CREST + POSSIBLY PUT HOLDING POND AT A NATURAL LOW ARIC A ON HIS PROPERTY ALSO CUT OUT HIS 2.5 ACRES + PROVIDE PISSIBLE ACCESS OR		
Date: Applicant: By: Date: Applicant: By: Denoting Denoting Denoting Denoting Denoting at 80-A East		
Please submit this Report to the Chatham County Planning Department located at 80-A East		

Street or mail it to Kimberly Tyson, Subdivision Administrator, PO Box 54, Pittsboro, NC 27312-

0054. If you have any questions, please contact Kimberly Tyson at (919) 542-8283 or

kimberly.tyson@chathamnc.org.

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