

Milford Zoning Board of Adjustment

Administrative Review

Date: March 27, 2024

To: Zoning Board of Adjustment

From: Terrence S. Dolan, Town Planner

Subject: Case #2024-02: Marmon Utilities, LLC for the property located at 53 Old Wilton Road, Tax Map 14, Lots 8 & 9. Special Exception Application from the Milford Zoning Ordinance, Article V, Section 5.06.2.A.3 (i.e. Special Exception for Front Set-Back Reduction) to allow for approximately 3,300 square feet of front set-back buffer encroachment for the proposed site facilities expansion to their existing physical manufacturing plant on Map 14, Lots 8 & 9

Background:

The applicant is before the Board seeking a Special Exception from the Milford Zoning Ordinance, Article V, Sections 5.06.2.A.3 & 5.06.5.B (Set-Back Criteria). The applicant, Marmon Utilities, LLC (for the site formerly known and dba as Hendrix Wire & Cable) are the owners of the two property lots under consideration with this Special Exception Request.

In reviewing the files for these properties, I offer the following comments:

1. Marmon Utilities have an existing, long-operating cable manufacturing plant facility along the north side of Old Wilton Road (Map 14 Lots 8 & 9), with a total combined acreage of 15.72 acres.

A planned expansion to the existing plant building is proposed for 74,430 additional square feet (along three different portions of the plant building, located within the **Industrial ("I") Zoning District** (pursuant to Section 5.06.0 -Milford Zoning Regulations).

The proposed expansion areas are a) 12,570 square feet along the western side of the plant facility, b) 10,360 sq. foot expansion along the center area of the building, and c) 51,500 sq. foot expansion along the eastern end of the plant building. The existing eastern portion of the manufacturing plant facility building is planned to be rectangular in shape, taking into consideration the proposed addition.

With the expansion of the noted 51,500 square feet of floor area, this eastern expansion area shall have a dimension of 100 feet depth (north/south), and an overall length of 515 linear feet, somewhat paralleling the (east/west oriented) Old Wilton Road ROW.

- 2. The planned manufacturing plant expansion areas are not intended, nor designed to be stand-alone facilities; and must be incorporated into strategic portions of the existing manufacturing facility on these two developed lots (Map 14 Lots 8 & 9) along the north side of Old Wilton Road for logistical reasons.
- 3. A Special Exception Request has been applied for due to the proposed 51,500 sq. foot plant expansion (i.e. the identified eastern portion) causing a somewhat minor (but required) front-setback buffer encroachment of approximately 3,300 square feet.

A portion of the proposed southerly edge of the proposed *eastern expansion area* to the existing plant facility will cause a small "sliver" of encroachment impact into the existing required 30' front-setback buffer (along Old Wilton Road frontage) for the overall eastern building area site. This proposed facility buffer impact ranges from 5-15 feet in depth, along a +/-450 linear feet length of the proposed building's overall 515 linear foot length (please see the yellow highlighted *Zoning Exhibit Plan Sheet* for reference).



ZBA Application MILFORD ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT GENERAL PROPERTY INFORMATION FOR ALL APPLICATIONS

PROPERTY INFORMATION				
Street Address: 53 Old Wilton Road, Milford	d, NH 03055			
Tax Map / Parcel #:Tax Map 14,Lots 8 & 9 Lots	ot Size: 15.57 acres			
PROPERTY CURRENTLY USED AS				
Manufacturing of electrical transmission and dis accessories for aerial and underground utility appropriate transmission and dispersion and the electrical transmission and dispersion are accessories for aerial and underground utility appropriate transmission.				
If the application involves multiple lots with copies of this page.	different owners, attach additional			
PROPERTY (OWNER			
Name: Marmon Utility, LLC				
Address: 53 Old Wilton Road				
City/State/Zip: Milford, NH 03055				
Phone: (603) 249-1202				
Email: kboette@marmonutility.com				
The applicant is the person who is making the owner or a third party. This is usually the might be a tenant, someone who plans to plawyer, etc. If the applicant is the same as and leave the rest of this section blank.	ne same as the property owner, but ourchase the property, an engineer or			
APPLICANT/REP	RESENTATIVE			
☐ SAME AS OWNER				
Name: Thomas F. Quinn, Esquire				
Address: Law Office of Thomas F. Quinn, Pr	rof. Corp., 62 Elm Street			
City/State/Zip: Milford, NH 03055				
Email: tquinn@tfqtitle.com				
Phone: (603) 554-1662	Cell: (603)801-6585			
The undersigned property owner(s) hereby at agree to comply with all code requirem Marmon Utility, LLC By:	uthorize(s) the filing of this application and ments applicable to this application. February 22, 2024			
Michael O'Shea, PREETPESS TENISTE In ance	Date:			

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Zoning District (check one):
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☐ Residence B ☐ Residence R
☐ Commercial ☐ Limited Commercial ☐ Industrial
☐ Integrated Commercial-Industrial☐ Integrated Commercial-Industrial-2☐ Integrated Commercial-Industrial-2☐ Integrated Commercial-Industrial-2☐ Integrated Commercial-Industrial-2☐ Integrated Commercial-Industrial-2☐ Integrated Commercial-Industrial-2☐ Integrated Commercial-Industrial
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Overlay District (check any that apply):
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APPLICATION FEES Application Fee: \$100.00 Abutters Fee: 55 X 5.75 Notice Fee 75.00 Amount received: \$491.25 Check ____ Cash ____

The fees associated with this application do not apply to any other fees required for approval of this project. Planning, impact, building and other fees may apply.



approval of the Planning Board.

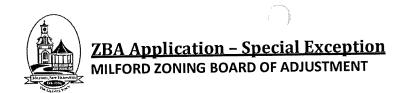
Hearing Date: PROPERTY INFORMATION Decision Date: Street Address: 53 Old Wilton Road, Milford, NH 03055 Decision: Tax Map / Parcel #: Tax Map 14, Parcels #8 and #9 A Special Exception is a use which is permitted by the Zoning Ordinance, but requires approval from the Zoning Board of Adjustment. Most special exceptions have a list of additional criteria that must be met in order for the ZBA to approve Application for the application. (check all that apply): *Note that in addition to the specific criteria that may be listed for a particular special exception, all special exceptions are subject to the general criteria in Section 10.02.1 of the Zoning Ordinance. ☐ Change/Expansion of Non-What section of the Zoning Ordinance are you applying under? conforming Use/Structure (2.03.1.C) ■ Wetland Buffer Impact (6.02.6) 5.06.5 Article V Section Accessory Dwelling Unit (10.2.6) Office in Res-A & B (10.2.7) Describe the <u>use</u> you are proposing under the above section of the Ordinance. The Applicant proposes the construction of a building approximately 100' x 515', ☐ Home Business (7.12.6) Front/Side/Rear Yard Setback Reduction portions of which will be within the front setback to the roadway. The distance (Zoning District Specific) between the building and Old Wilton Road will be 14 feet, more or less. □ Other **General Criteria Section 10.02.1** Describe the project you are requesting a Special Exception for: The Applicant proposes the construction of three building additions. One addition, 100' x 515', will be partially within the front setback of 30' from Old Wilton Road. A portion of the existing building will be incorporated into the addition. A portion of the existing building encroaches into the setback. Explain how the proposal meets the general criteria as specified in Article X, Section 10.02.1 of the Zoning Ordinance: The proposed use is similar to those permitted in the district because: The proposed use of the building addition is for the purpose of manufacturing which is the current use of the Property, is a permitted use in the District and is consistent with other uses in the District. B. The specific site is an appropriate location for the proposed use because: The Applicant has been using the Property for the purpose of manufacturing electrical cables for over forty (40) years. The use as developed will not adversely affect the adjacent area because: The neighborhood is isolated, and characterized by industrial and commercial uses. D. There will be no nuisance or serious hazard to vehicles or pedestrians because: The proposed addition will be consistent with existing uses. The reduced setback will not interere with site distance or visibility generally or interfere with what limited pedestrian traffic as exists. The facility is well maintained and does not constitute a nuisance. Adequate appropriate facilities will be provided for the proper operation of the proposed use because: The proposed addition will be integrally connected with the existing buildings and facility. The amended site plan will require

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1.	Has the need for the project been addressed? Please explain.
2.	Is the plan proposed the least impactful to the wetlands, surface waters and/or associated buffers? Please explain.
3.	Has the impact on plants, fish and wildlife been addressed? Please explain.
4.	Has the impact on the quality and quantity of surface and ground waters been addressed? Please explain.
5.	Has the potential for increased flooding, erosion and sedimentation been addressed? Please explain.
6.	Has the cumulative impact if all parties owning or abutting the affected wetland were allowed to alter or impact the wetland or buffer area in the same way? Please explain.
7.	Has the impact of the values and function of the overall wetland and wetland complex been addressed? Please explain.
8.	Has a comment from the Milford Conservation Commission been solicited? Yes No Date of Conservation Commission Meeting attended:
Constraint	
1.	ME BUSINESS CRITERIA 7.12.6 Is the Home Business located in the Residential 'A', Residential 'B', or Residential 'R' Zoning District?
2.	Please explain if the Home Business is conducted entirely within the dwelling or accessory structure.
3.	A sign of not more than six (6) square feet is allowed and shall not advertise in such a way that would encourage customers or salespersons to come to the property without an appointment. Please provide the dimensions, design, and approximate location of the sign.
4.	There shall be no more than two (2) non-resident employees of the Home Business. Please provide the total number of non-resident employees.
5.	The Home Business shall not be more than 25% of the combined floor area of all structures on the property. Please detail the total combined floor area of all structures on the property used for Home Business.

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- Retail sales of goods incidental to Home Business are allowed. Please explain if there will be retail sales of goods incidental to Home Business.
- 7. There shall be not more than sixteen (16) clients or deliveries per day. If applicable, please provide the anticipated number of clients or deliveries per day.
- 8. There shall be no parking of or deliveries by vehicles with more than two (2) axles. Only one (1) commercial vehicle may be parked on the property in conjunction with the Home Business. Please summarize the anticipated size of the delivery vehicles and number of commercial vehicles serving the Home Business.
- 9. A Home Business shall not be conducted in a way that is perceptible in external effects (such as but not limited to noise, odors, traffic) from beyond the lot line between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 7:30 a.m. Please explain the hours of operation.
- 10. The use shall not involve the storage or use of hazardous, flammable or explosive substances, other than types and amounts commonly found in a dwelling. The use shall not involve the use or storage of toxic substances. If applicable, please explain if there will be the storage of hazardous, flammable or explosive, or toxic substances associated with the Home Business and its location on the property.

ACCESSORY DWELLING UNITS 10.02.6

- 1. Is the property going to be Owner Occupied?
- Has a Building Permit application been made? Copy of permit application attached?
- 3. Is the ADU developed in a manner which does not alter the character/appearance of the principal use as a single-family residence?
- 4. Is the ADU intended to be secondary and accessory to a principal single-family dwelling unit?
- 5. Does the ADU impair the residential character of the premises or the reasonable use, enjoyment and value of neighborhood?
- 6. Is there adequate off-street parking? How many spaces?
- 7. Are any additional curb cuts being proposed?
- 8. Are all necessary additional entrances or exits located to the side or rear of the building to the maximum extent possible? Please note on the plan.

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	ESSORY DWELLING UNITS 10.02.6 (Continued)
1.	Is there adequate sewer/septic and water for the additional inhabitants? Please include septic/sewer approval.
	Is there only one (1) ADU on the property?
3.	Is the ADU no more than 750 square feet gross floor area? How many square feet is the ADU?
	Does the ADU have no more than two (2) bedrooms? Please show on plans.
	If inside the existing dwelling, is there at least one common wall with a door between the two spaces at least 32 inches wide? Please show on plans.
6.	If a connecting hall is proposed, is the hallway at least 36 inches wide? Please show on plans.
7.	Has a Code Compliance inspection been conducted by the Building Inspector? Please include inspection report.
8.	Is the ADU incompliance with Section 10.02.6:A of the Milford Zoning Ordinance? How so?
9.	If no, has a Variance from Section 10.02.6:A been granted by the ZBA?
OFI	FICE IN THE RESIDENCE A AND B DISTRICTS 10.02.7
1.	Is the specific site of the proposed office use located in an existing building that is an appropriate location for the proposed use and ancillary to the Residential Use permitted by right? Please explain.
2.	Will the use as proposed adversely affect adjacent Residential areas? Please explain.
3.	Will there will be any nuisance, such as but not limited to: noise, odor, hours of operation, traffic, deliveries and lighting associated with this use? Please explain.
4.	Will there be any outside storage? Please explain.
5.	Has the applicant made a site plan application to the Planning Board (hearing subsequent to Zoning Board approval)? Yes No Date of hearing:

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February 22, 2024

Terrence Dolan, Director of Community Development Town of Milford, NH One Union Square Milford, NH 03055

Re: Marmon Utility LLC

Tax Map 14, Lots 8 and 9, 53 Old Wilton Road, Milford, NH

Dear Terrey:

Please find enclosed herewith an Application for Special Exception, together with supporting material. Also, enclosed please find our check for the filing, notice and abutters' fees.

Please review this submission and let me know if there is any additional information that you need. I look forward to seeing you at the hearing.

Thank you for your assistance in these matters.

Sincerely,

Thomas F. Quinn

TFQ/djl Enclosures #24-0011

ABUTTERS' LIST IN RE: MARMON UTILITY LLC 53 OLD WILTON ROAD, MILFORD, NH TAX MAP 14, LOT #8 AND LOT #9

83 OLD WILTON ROAD LLC 83 OLD WILTON RD MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 14, LOT 7

INFEFT LLC P.O. BOX 155 MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 14, LOT 7-1

MELENDY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP P.O. BOX 175 LYNDEBOROUGH, NH 03082 TAX MAP 14, LOT 1

MILHAVEN PARKS LLC P.O. BOX 95 WILTON, NH 03086 TAX MAP 7, LOT 3

ANRIK PROPERTIES LLC 50 WHITTEMORE ROAD NEW IPSWICH, NH 03071 TAX MAP 14, LOT 2

TAMSAB REALTY LLC 3 JENNY HILL LANE NASHUA, NH 03060 TAX MAP 14, LOT 3

HENDRIX WIRE & CABLE 53 OLD WILTON ROAD MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 14, LOT 8 AND 9 TAX MAP 38, LOT 6 TAX MAP 7, LOT 16-1

RONALD AND LOREEN RACICOT 21 OLD WILTON ROAD MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 14, LOT 10 AND 10-1

HITCHINER MANUFACTURING COMPANY 594 ELM ST MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 7, LOTS 4, 19 AND 20-C LISA AND THOMAS CONRAD, TRUSTEES 4 PILGRIM DRIVE ORLEANS, MA 02653-4610 TAX MAP 7, LOT 16

GEORGE, RUTH AND ROBIN ROGERS 48 OLD WILTON ROAD MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 14, LOT 4

SOKKHORN KHUTH AND SANDY YUOS 60 OLD WILTON ROAD MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 14, LOT 5

CHOICE PROPERTY MANAGEMENT LLC 79 OLD WILTON ROAD MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 7, LOT 18

ROBERT SCHARMETT, TRUSTEE SCHARMETT REALTY TRUST 7 COUNTRY LANE LEOMINSTER, MA 01453 TAX MAP 7, LOT 2

BOSTON & MAINE CORP. C/O GUILFORD TRANSPRT IND. 500 WATER STREET J-910 JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202

MOBILE HOME ABUTTERS:

PAUL SOUCY 545 ELM STREET #32 MILFORD, NH 03055

ROY MATTHEWS 545 ELM STREET #26 MILFORD, NH 03055

JOSEPH DADDARIO, JR. 545 ELM STREET #8 MILFORD, NH 03055

RACHEL SULLIVAN, TRUSTEE 545 ELM STREET #4 MILFORD, NH 03055 RICHARD J. TALBOT 545 ELM STREET #12 MILFORD, NH 03055

PATRICIA MARIE SMITH 545 ELM STREET #18 MILFORD, NH 03055

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JAMES AND STEPHANIE MICHALOWSKI 545 ELM STREET #24 MILFORD, NH 03055

GARY AND BELINDA JORDON 545 ELM STREET #29 MILFORD, NH 03055

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LAURA INGHAM 545 ELM STREET #2 MILFORD, NH 03055

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JHON P. GALINDO 545 ELM STREET #3 MILFORD, NH 03055

DONNA P. FRITZ 545 ELM STREET #13 MILFORD, NH 03055 BRUCE D. MAYNARD 545 ELM STREET #11 MILFORD, NH 03055

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ESTHER THAYER, TRUSTEE 545 ELM STREET #21 MILFORD, NH 03055

KYLE SMART AND KASANDRA PRATT-SMART 545 ELM STREET #7 MILFORD, NH 03055

AARON J. LAVOIE 545 ELM STREET #9 MILFORD, NH 03055

CHARLOTTE A. BOYCE 545 ELM STREET #17 MILFORD, NH 03055

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STANLEY RABINOWITZ 545 ELM STREET #1 MILFORD, NH 03055

LINDA A. JAMES 545 ELM STREET #19 MILFORD, NH 03055

BRENDA SCHEIPERS 545 ELM STREET #31 MILFORD, NH 03055

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ERIC P. WINCHESTER 545 ELM STREET #6 MILFORD, NH 03055

DEBORAH AND MICHAEL BRAILEY 545 ELM STREET #33 MILFORD, NH 03055 CINDY NICKERSON 545 ELM STREET #5 MILFORD, NH 03055

PAMELA S. DAVIS 545 ELM STREET #20 MILFORD, NH 03055

JAMES C. AND LORETTA BELL 545 ELM STREET #34 MILFORD, NH 03055

HELEN S. GUAY 545 ELM STREET #23 MILFORD, NH 03055

OTHER PARTIES TO NOTIFY:

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FIELDSTONE LAND CONSULTANTS 778 ELM STREET, SUITE C MILFORD, NH 03055

KEVIN BOETTE MARMON UTILITY LLC 53 OLD WILTON ROAD MILFORD, NH 03055 TAX MAP 14-8

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NH AGRICULTURAL LANDS PRESERVATION COMMITTEE P.O. BOX 2042 CONCORD, NH 03302-2042

MILFORD CONSERVATION COMMISSION ONE UNION SQUARE MILFORD, NH 03055

