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Town of North Castle Planning Board 17 Bedford Road Armonk, NY 10504

Re: 27 Orchard Drive - Maximum External Wall Height

Dear Mr. Kaufman and Members of the Planning Board:

We are constructing a new home at 27 Orchard Drive and have already gone in front of the RPRC. The RPRC has referred us to the Planning Board to resolve one issue we have with the Maximum External Wall Height. The maximum external wall height allowed in the R-10 district is 34'. Our plan has a maximum wall height of 36 $\frac{1}{2}$. We are asking the planning board to approve this additional 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ height. This plan allows us to give our buyer a walkout basement with 9' basement ceilings, 9 1/2' ceilings on the first floor, 8' ceilings on the second floor, and an attractive roof line. These specifications are important for the sale of this home and are not out of character with the surrounding neighborhood.

Mr. Kaufman advised us that this would not require public hearing. We would appreciate if the board would consider approving this application the night of the meeting.

Thank you for your consideration with this matter. If there is any additional information you require, please contact us. We look forward to joining you at the Planning Board meeting on August 3, 2020.

Sincerely, Dominick Santucci, Pre

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