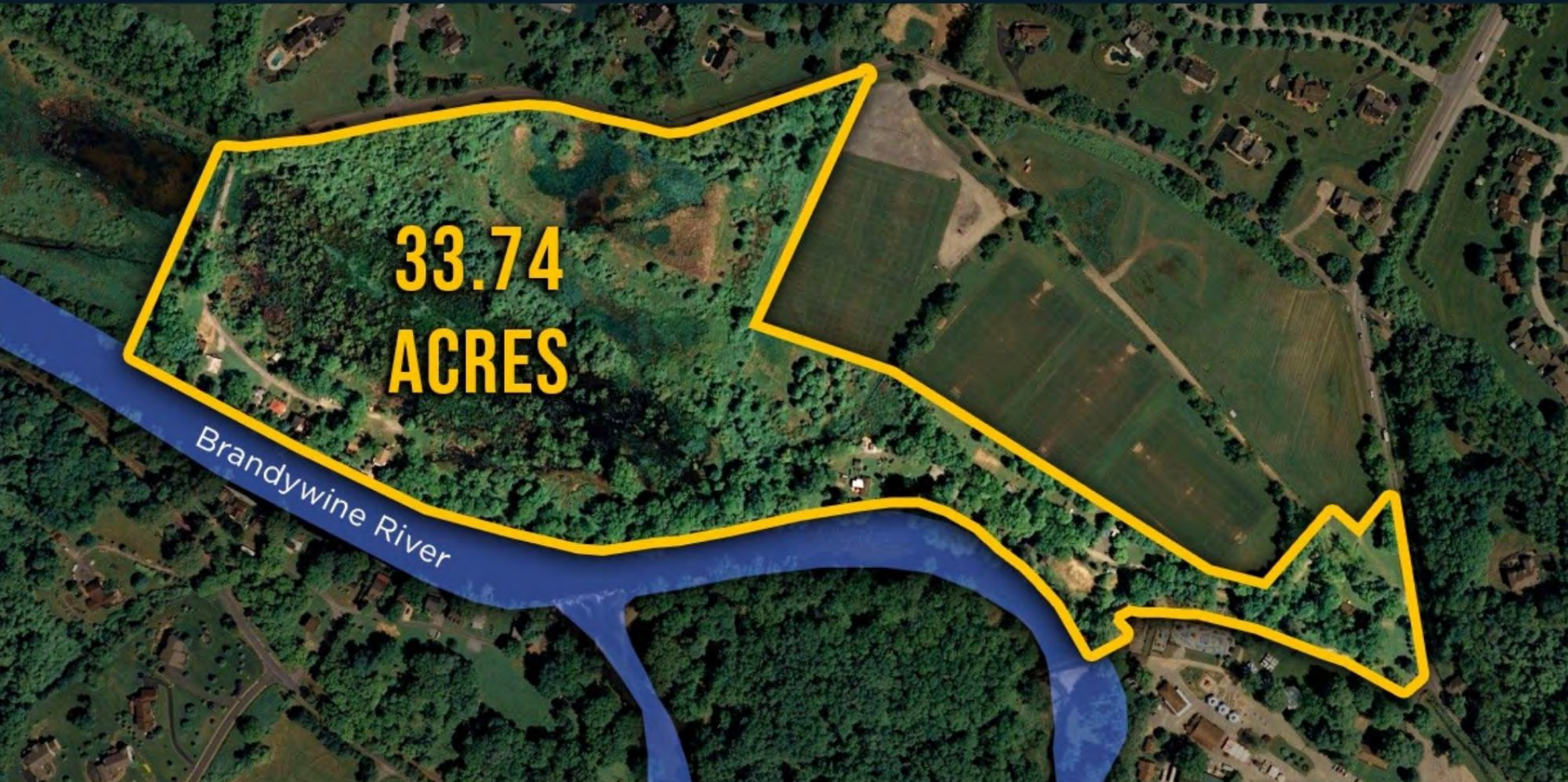


FOR SALE



33.74 ACRES ALONG BRANDYWINE RIVER

CHESTER COUNTY, PA



**33.74
ACRES**

500 S. CREEK ROAD | WEST CHESTER, PA 19382

PROPERTY HIGHLIGHTS

- 33.74 Acres Along Brandywine River
- 2,300 Feet of River Frontage
- Longterm Residential Ground Leases In-Place
- Act 319 Development Restricted = Low Tax Assessment
- Electrical Service to Cabin Lots
- Property Located in FEMA 100-Year Flood Zone
- Adjacent to Sports Field Complex
- Minutes from Downtown West Chester and Kennett Square



SALE PRICE: \$288,000

AERIAL

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S Creek Rd

**33.74
ACRES**

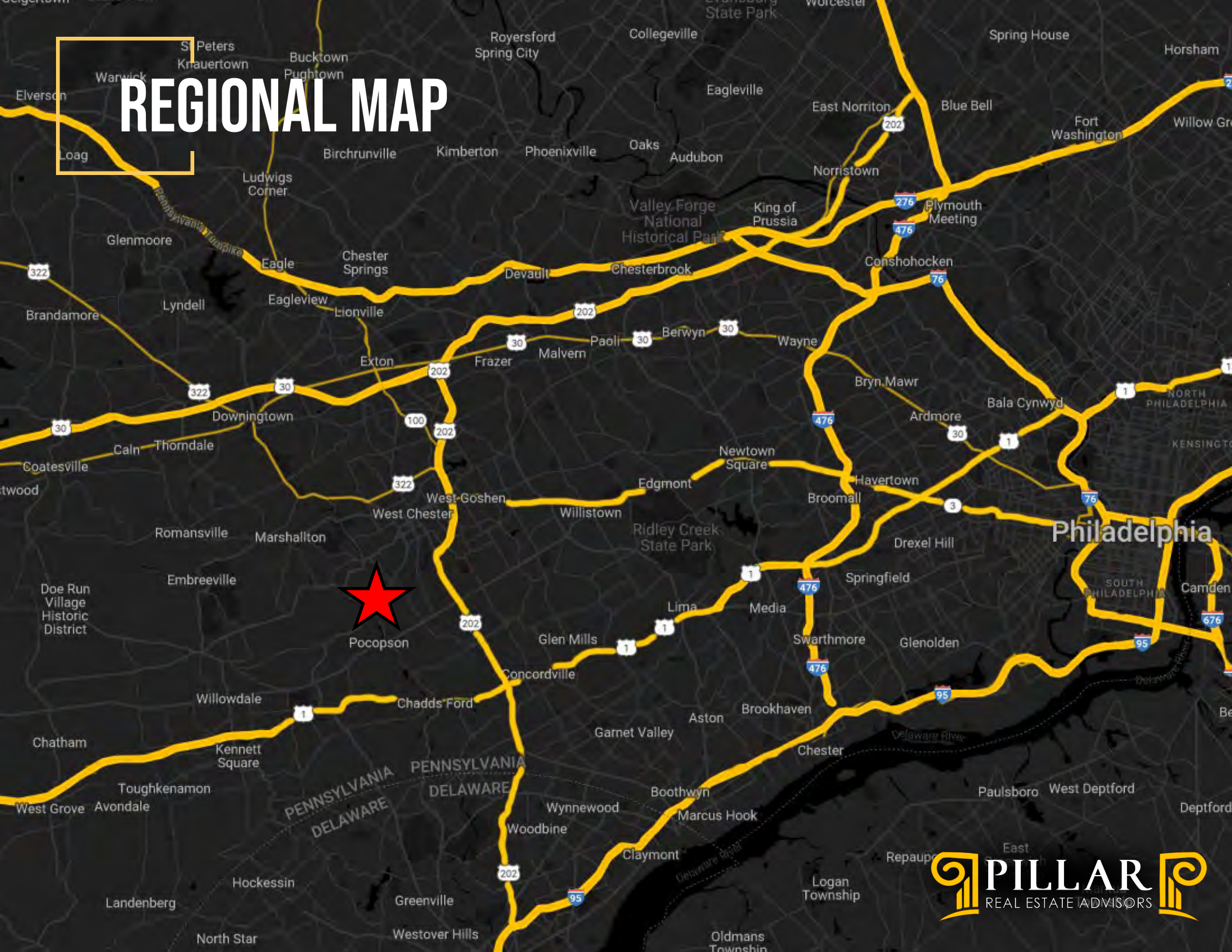
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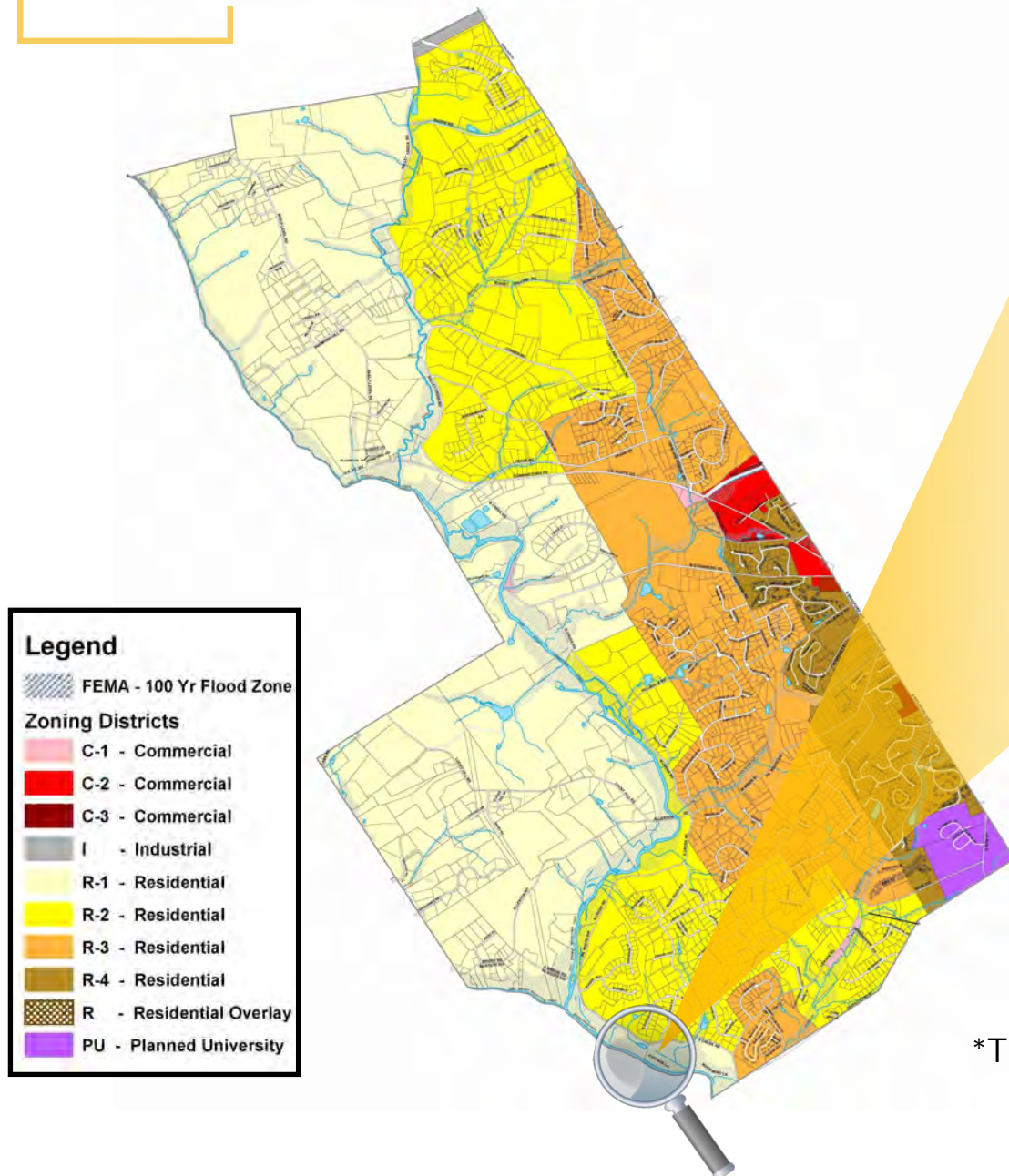
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REGIONAL MAP



ZONING MAP

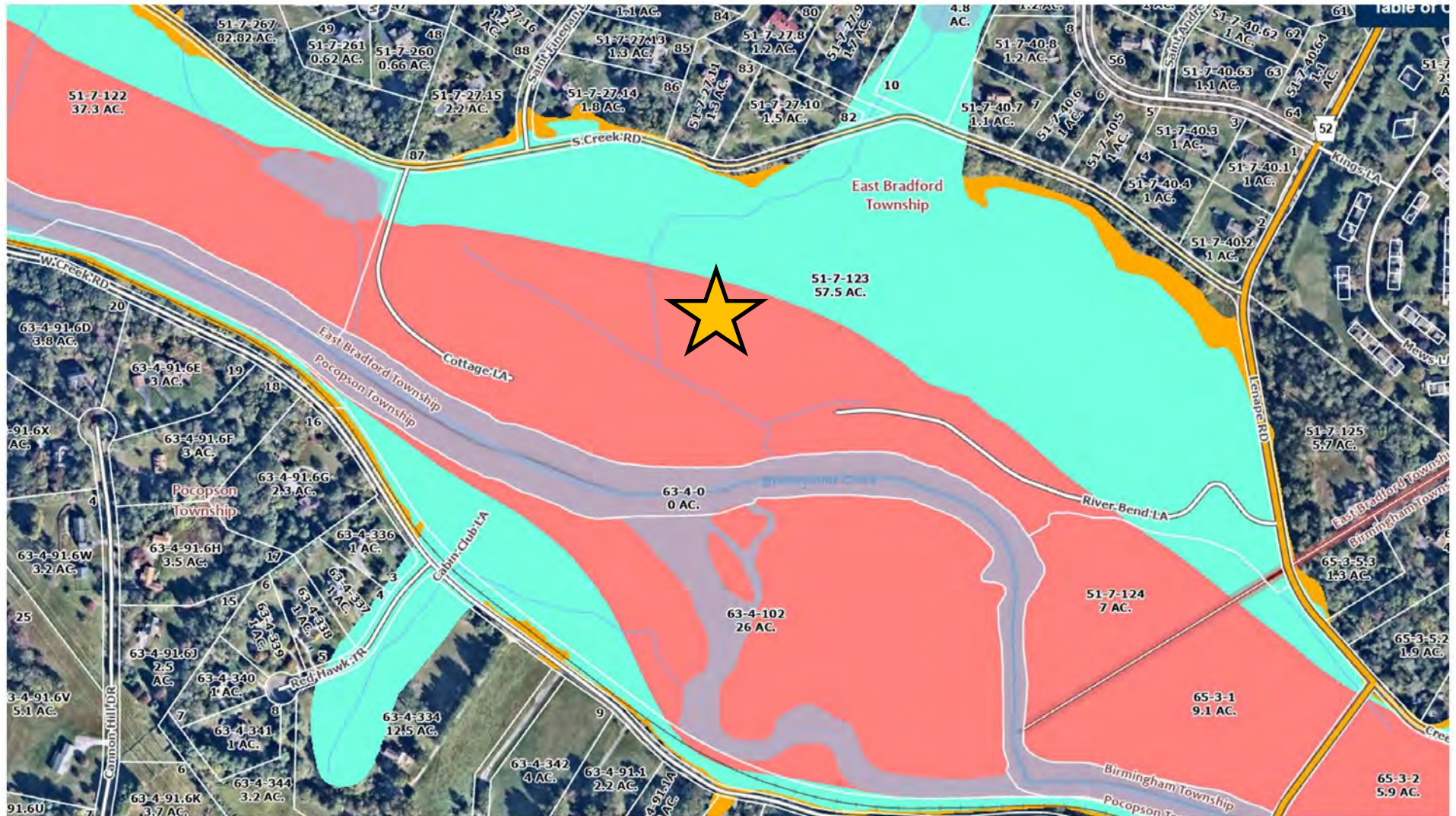


ZONING: R-1 RESIDENTIAL

*THIS PROPERTY IS LOCATED IN FLOOD ZONE

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FLOOD MAP



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ARTICLE IV

R-1 Residential District

[Amended 2-12-1974 by Ord. No. 26; 7-8-1980 by Ord. No. 39-1980; 11-10-1981 by Ord. No. 46-1981; 12-13-1983 by Ord. No. 66-1983; 8-14-1984 by Ord. No. 75-1984; 3-21-1988 by Ord. No. 97-1988]

§ 115-9. Purpose; applicability.

A. It is the intent of the R-1 District, as outlined by the East Bradford Township Comprehensive Plan, to support the preservation of critical natural resources, such as streams, floodplains, wet soils, variable groundwater yield areas and conditionally suitable soil for on-lot sewage disposal systems; to encourage continued agricultural, open space and conservation uses; and to provide for continued low-density residential development that is compatible with established land use patterns. The R-1 District establishes maximum density standards which:

- (1) Provide for low-density residential uses on a lot-by-lot basis, as well as an open space development option that encourages the preservation of open space ancillary to such development; and **[Amended 11-8-2005 by Ord. No. 9-2005]**
- (2) Promote the conservation of surface water and groundwater supplies, soils for on-lot sewage disposal systems and the control of soil erosion and flooding.

B. In the R-1 Residential District, the following regulations shall apply.

§ 115-10. Use regulations. **[Amended 6-9-1992 by Ord. No. 135-1992; 4-9-1996 by Ord. No. 2-96; 11-25-1998 by Ord. No. 3A-1998²³]**

A. Land and buildings in this district may be used for the purposes listed below, when developed in accordance with one of the following development options:

- (1) Conventional development option in accordance with this article.
- (2) Open space development option where approved by the Board of Supervisors as a conditional use, in accordance with this article and § 115-49.

B. Applicants under either development option are strongly encouraged to submit a sketch plan to the East Bradford Township Planning Commission and to discuss community development objectives, arrangement of the development with respect to views of the project from adjacent roads and properties, open space and resource

conservation objectives, sewage facilities planning and other matters relevant to the purpose of this article.

C. No tract may be used for more than one of the permitted residential development options. Under any development option, a building may be erected, altered or used and a lot may be used for any one of the following purposes as provided below: **[Amended 4-9-2002 by Ord. No. 4-2002]**

- (1) Single-family detached dwelling. **[Amended 9-13-2011 by Ord. No. 3-2011]**
- (2) Agriculture (subject to the provisions of § 115-11D of this chapter) and forestry (subject to the provisions of § 115-11E of this chapter). **[Amended 1-11-2005 by Ord. No. 1-2005]**
- (3) Municipal park and/or municipal recreational facilities. **[Amended 11-8-2005 by Ord. No. 9-2005]**
- (4) Any of the following accessory uses shall be permitted:
 - (a) Customary residential and agricultural accessory uses.
 - (b) A swimming pool, provided that it is located in the rear yard or side yard of the dwelling to which it is accessory and located at least 15 feet from any lot line and enclosed with a barrier that is constructed in accordance with the East Bradford Building Code, Chapter 45 of the East Bradford Code. **[Amended 8-10-2004 by Ord. No. 4-2004]**
 - (c) No-impact home-based businesses. **[Amended 10-8-2002 by Ord. No. 7-2002]**
 - (d) The sale of farm products, subject to the provisions of § 115-74 of this chapter.
 - (e) Noncommercial greenhouses.
 - (f) Solar energy systems, as an accessory use, subject to the provisions of § 115-151 of this chapter. **[Added 8-10-2010 by Ord. No. 2-2010]**
- (5) The following uses may be permitted as conditional uses when authorized by the Board of Supervisors, subject to the provisions of this chapter and, in particular, and § 115-77: **[Amended 11-8-2005 by Ord. No. 9-2005]**
 - (a) Agricultural utilization or other land application of sludge subject to the provisions of § 115-76.. **[Amended 11-8-2005 by Ord. No. 9-2005]**
 - (b) Open space development option subject to the provisions of § 115-49 of this chapter.

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- (c) Major home occupations, subject to the provisions of § 115-48 of this chapter.
- (d) Except as provided by Subsection C(3) above, recreation subject to the provisions of § 115-50 of this chapter.
- (e) Adaptive reuse of Class I or Class II historic resource pursuant to the provisions of §§115-131.2 and 115-131.3.²⁴
- (6) The following uses may be permitted as special exceptions when authorized by the Zoning Hearing Board, subject to provisions of this chapter and as contained in Article XVI and §§ 115-11 and 115-12 of this chapter:
 - (a) Except as provided by Subsection C(3) above, municipal, county, state and federal uses, excluding educational uses, dumps, sanitary landfills and corrective or penal institutions. **[Amended 4-10-2001 by Ord. No. 2-2001]**

§ 115-11. Area and bulk regulations. [Amended 4-9-1996 by Ord. No. 2-96; 11-25-1998 by Ord. No. 3A-1998²⁵]

A. Density of development.

- (1) Under the conventional development option, the maximum permissible number of lots or dwelling units on any tract shall be determined by compliance with the area and bulk criteria herein.
- (2) Under the open space development option, the maximum permissible number of lots or dwelling units on any tract shall be determined by multiplying the net tract area by a factor of 0.40 and rounding the product down to the next lower whole number (i.e., 21.6 would be rounded to 21).

B. Area and bulk regulations for the open space development option. Under the open space development option, no minimum lot area is prescribed; rather, specific lot and yard area standards shall apply per § 115-49C(3).

C. Area and bulk regulations for the conventional development option. Under the conventional development option, the following shall apply for all uses, except agricultural:

- (1) Gross lot size: three acres, minimum.
- (2) Net lot area: one acre minimum, subject to lot area as defined in § 115-6.

- (3) Lot width at building line: 200 feet minimum.
- (4) Lot width at street line: 50 feet minimum.
- (5) Lot coverage: 15% maximum.
- (6) Building coverage: 10% maximum.
- (7) Building setback line: 75 feet minimum.
- (8) Side yards: 30 feet minimum, with not less than 70 feet total for both yards.
- (9) Rear yard: 50 feet minimum.
- (10) Building and accessory building or structure height: three stories above grade plane or 35 feet maximum. **[Amended 9-13-2011 by Ord. No. 3-2011]**

D. Agricultural use.

- (1) To qualify as an agricultural use, the minimum lot size shall be 10 acres.
- (2) No barn, lot or manure storage shall be established any closer than 100 feet to any property line.
- (3) The number of dwelling units permitted on a farm shall not be limited, provided that density does not exceed one single-family dwelling per 10 acres and that dwelling units shall be separated by a minimum of 100 feet.
- (4) Silos and bulk feed bins shall be exempt from area and bulk regulations when attached to an existing building.
- (5) Farm buildings shall not be constructed closer than 85 feet to a front property line nor closer than 50 feet to a side or rear property line.
- (6) No dwelling shall be constructed closer than the setbacks of Subsection A of this section.

E. Forestry. A plan prepared in accordance with the provisions of § 115-51.3 by a registered forester or certified arborist shall be submitted and approved by the Board of Supervisors. **[Added 1-11-2005 by Ord. No. 1-2005²⁶; amended 6-14-2016 by Ord. No. 3-2016]**

F. Residential accessory structures may be erected by right as follows: **[Amended 8-10-2004 by Ord. No. 4-2004; 4-14-2009 by Ord. No. 2-2009]**

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- (1) Front yard. Accessory structures may be located in front yard areas on lots of one acre or greater in area, provided:
 - (a) The accessory structure complies with the applicable minimum building setback requirements;
 - (b) The accessory structure shall not be located in the area bounded by the outside walls of the principal building and a perpendicular (or radial in cases of roadway curvature) boundary line originating on each side of the principal building from the edge of the outermost face of the wall to the road right-of-way line. In the case of interior lots, the lot line at the frontage of the lot, absent of the access strip, that is most perpendicular or radial to the road right-of-way line shall be utilized to make the determination;
 - (c) If the footprint area of the accessory structure is less than 30% of the footprint area of the primary structure, the accessory structure shall be located no closer to the front lot line than 75% of the total distance from the primary structure to the front lot line. If the footprint area of the accessory structure is equal to or greater than 30% of the footprint area of the primary structure, the accessory structures shall be located no closer to the front lot line than 90% of the total distance from the primary structure to the front lot line; and
 - (d) No accessory structure in a front yard shall have a building height, mass or floor area greater than that of the principal building.
 - (2) Side and rear yards. Accessory structures shall be set no closer to a side or rear lot line in any yard area than the greatest dimension (length, width or height) of the structure itself unless the accessory structure complies with the appropriate area and bulk regulations of the underlying district.
- G. In addition to area and bulk regulations enumerated herein, the following shall apply for all principal buildings and uses within the vicinity of a Class I or Class II historic resource: **[Added 11-8-2005 by Ord. No. 9-2005]**
- (1) Historic setback line: 150 feet minimum from any Class I or Class II historic resource, regardless of whether such resource is located upon a tract or lot itself.

§ 115-12. Design standards.

The following design standards shall apply:

- A. For residential and agricultural uses, parking regulations as established by § 115-58 of this chapter.

- B. For all uses permitted in this district: **[Amended 12-13-2006 by Ord. No. 8-2006; 9-9-2008 by Ord. No. 2-2008]**

- (1) Screening standards as established by § 115-52 of this chapter.
- (2) Storage standards as established by § 115-53 of this chapter.
- (3) Landscaping standards as established by § 115-45.1 of this chapter.
- (4) Access and traffic control standards as established by § 115-55 of this chapter.
- (5) Interior circulation standards as established by § 115-56 of this chapter.
- (6) Lighting standards as established by § 115-57 of this chapter.
- (7) Off-street parking regulations as established by § 115-58 of this chapter.
- (8) Standards limiting emission of smoke, fumes, odors, etc., as established by § 115-60 of this chapter.

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