Form # P 04

# DISPLAY THIS CARD ON PRINCIPAL FRONTAGE OF WORK CITY OF PORTLAND PERMIT ISSUED

Please Read Application And Notes, If Any, Attached

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Permit Number (1709/5/2 2010

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This is to certify that	AMJK PROPERTIES LLC /RM	<u>c.</u>						City of F	ortland
has permission to	build 3 bedroom 1.5 bath single	ily hon	/ no g	е				City Of 1	
AT 0 TERRACE AVE	(41-45 Rowe Ave)				CB	260	A009001		

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A certificate of occupancy must be procured by owner before this building or part thereof is occupied.

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Department Name

PENALTY FOR REMOVING THIS CARD

Director - Building & Inspection Services

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389 Congress Street, 0		_				10-0956	ISOME DATE.	•	260 A0	09001
Location of Construction:		Owner Name:				Owner Address:			Phone:	
0 TERRACE AVE (41-	45 Rowe Av	AMJK PROPI	ERTIES	LLC	1	190 RIVERSIDE ST B-4				
Business Name:		Contractor Name	_		-	tractor Address:			Phone	
		RM, Inc.			98	Broadway Sout	h Portland		20733254	163
Lessee/Buyer's Name		Phone:		_	Peri	mit Type:				Zone:
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This permit applica     Applicant(s) from r     Federal Rules.			-	oreland NA				⊭	Not in Distric	et or Landmark
Building permits do not include plumbing, septic or electrical work.		olumbing,	□ w	☐ Wetland N/A ☐ Miscellaneous		icons		Does Not Require Review		
<ol> <li>Building permits are void if work is not started within six (6) months of the date of issuance.</li> </ol>			_	ood Zone arrel 6-Zarex	-	Condition	nal Use		Requires Rev	iew
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City of Portland										
I hereby certify that I am I have been authorized b jurisdiction. In addition, shall have the authority t such permit.	y the owner to if a permit fo	o make this appl or work describe	med pro ication a d in the	as his authorize application is i	he pr d age	ent and I agree to d, I certify that the	o conform he code of	to all appl ficial's aut	icable laws horized repr	of this esentative
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### **BUILDING PERMIT INSPECTION PROCEDURES**

Please call 874-8703 or 874-8693 (ONLY)

or email: buildinginspections@portlandmaine.gov

With the issuance of this permit, the owner, builder or their designee is required to provide adequate notice to the City of Portland Inspection Services for the following inspections. Appointments must be requested 48 to 72 hours in advance of the required inspection. The inspection date will need to be confirmed by this office.

- Please read the conditions of approval that is attached to this permit!! Contact this office if you have any questions.
- Permits expire in 6 months, if the project is not started or ceases for 6 months.
- If the inspection requirements are not followed as stated below additional fees may be incurred due to the issuance of a "Stop Work Order" and subsequent release to continue with construction.

<u> X</u>	_ Footing/Building Location Inspection: Prior to pouring concrete or setting precast piers
<u> X</u>	Foundation Inspection: Prior to placing ANY backfill for below grade occupiable space
<u> X</u>	_ Framing/Rough Plumbing/Electrical: Prior to Any Insulating or drywalling
X	Final/Certificate of Occupancy: Prior to any occupancy of the structure or use.  NOTE: There is a \$75.00 fee per inspection at this point.

The project cannot move to the next phase prior to the required inspection and approval to continue, REGARDLESS OF THE NOTICE OR CIRCUMSTANCES.

IF THE PERMIT REQUIRES A CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY, IT MUST BE PAID FOR AND ISSUED TO THE OWNER OR DESIGNEE BEFORE THE SPACE MAY BE OCCUPIED.

CBL: 260 A009001 Building Permit #: 10-0956

City of Portland, Maine - Buil	ding or Use Permi	t	Permit No:	Date Applied For:	CBL:	
389 Congress Street, 04101 Tel: (	•		10-0956	08/05/2010	260 A009001	
Location of Construction:	Owner Name:	<u>`                                    </u>	Owner Address:		Phone:	
0 TERRACE AVE (41-45 Rowe Av	AMJK PROPERTIES	LLC	190 RIVERSIDE S	ST B-4		
Business Name:	Contractor Name:		Contractor Address:		Phone	
	RM, Inc.		98 Broadway South	h Portland	(207) 332-5463	
Lessee/Buyer's Name	Phone:		Permit Type:		·	
<u></u>	<u></u>		Single Family			
Proposed Use:		-	ed Project Description:	<del></del>		
Single Family Home - build 3 bedroom 1.5 bath single family home w/ no garage w/ no garage						
Dept: Zoning Status: A	pproved with Condition	ns Reviewer	: Ann Machado	Approval D	eate: 08/20/2010  Ok to Issue: 🗹	
As discussed during the review proceed required setbacks must be established located by a surveyor.				~	•	
<ol> <li>This property shall remain a singl approval.</li> </ol>	e family dwelling. Any	change of use sh	all require a separat	e permit application	for review and	
3) This permit is being approved on the basis of plans submitted. Any deviations shall require a separate approval before starting that work.						
Dept: Building Status: A	approved with Condition	ns Reviewer	: Jeanine Bourke	Approval D	Pate: 10/07/2010	
Note: 10/5/10 Routed from Tammy	M.				Ok to Issue: 🗹	
Permit approved based on the pla noted on plans.	ns submitted and review	ved w/owner/cor	tractor, with addition	nal information as a	greed on and as	
Separate permits are required for pellet/wood stoves, commercial h part of this process.						
Application approval based upon and approrval prior to work.	3) Application approval based upon information provided by applicant. Any deviation from approved plans requires separate review					
4) Those building a new single family dwelling shall install a CO detector in each area within or giving access to bedrooms. That detection must be powered by the electrical service in the building and battery.						
Dept: DRC Status: A	approved with Condition	ns Reviewer	: Philip DiPierro	Approval D	late: 10/07/2010	
Note:					Ok to Issue: 🔽	
1) The applicant agrees that further filling of the wetland is prohibited, and a restriction that prohibits further filling of the wetland shall be included in the deed.						
2) A drainage easement must be submitted to the City for review and approval prior to the issuance of any Certificate of Occupancy.						
	<ol> <li>The applicant shall have a licensed surveyor install, prior to the issuance of any Certificate of Occupancy, permanent mounumentation/pins identifying property corners.</li> </ol>					
<ol> <li>Erosion and Sedimentation control disturbance, and shall be done in Technical and Design Standards a daily.</li> </ol>	accordance with Best M	lanagement Prac	tices, Maine Depart	ment of Environmen	ntal Protection	
<ol> <li>The Development Review Coordinecessary due to field conditions.</li> </ol>	nator reserves the right	to require additi	onal lot grading or o	other drainage impro	ovements as	

6) A street opening permit(s) is required for your site. Please contact Carol Merritt ay 874-8300, ext. 8822. (Only excavators licensed by the City of Portland are eligible.)

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	RM, Inc.		98 Broadway South Portland	(207) 332-5463
Lessec/Buyer's Name	Phone:		Permit Type:	
L	<u></u>		Single Family	

- 7) A sewer permit is required for your project. Please contact Carol Merritt at 874-8300, ext. 8822. The Wastewater and Drainage section of Public Services must be notified five (5) working days prior to sewer connection to schedule an inspector for your site.
- 8) All damage to sidewalk, curb, street, or public utilities shall be repaired to City of Portland standards prior to issuance of a certificate of occupancy.
- 9) The Development Review Coordinator (874-8632) must be notified five (5) working days prior to date required for final site inspection. Please make allowances for completion of site plan requirements determined to be incomplete or defective during the inspection. This is essential as all site plan requirements must be completed and approved by the Development Review Coordinator prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy. Please schedule any property closing with these requirements in mind.
- 10 Two (2) City of Portland approved species and size trees must be planted on your street frontage prior to issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 11 All Site work (final grading, landscaping, loam and seed) must be completed prior to issuance of a certificate of occupancy.

### Comments:

8/6/2010-Idobson: Permit held for additional information regarding owners of property. Final meeting and confirmation of owners 8/5/2010

8/19/2010-amachado: Left voicemail for Rob Twombly. Is the deck being built or not? Building plans show side entry on right side but siteplan shows it on left side facing driveway. No side entry shown on elevation plans. Siteplan shows builkhead on right side and building plans show it on left side. Need 11" x 17' or pdf of building plans.

8/20/2010-amachado: Rob Twombly brought in revised plans.

9/30/2010-amachado: Rob Twombly brought in revised site plan relocating the structure towards the rear. Meets zoning requirements.

### Jeanie Bourke - Rowe Ave. Single Family Site Plan Review

From:

Philip DiPierro

To:

**Code Enforcement & Inspections** 

Date:

10/7/2010 9:27 AM

Subject: Rowe Ave. Single Family Site Plan Review

Hi all, both single family projects, site plan #2010-0021 at 37-39 Rowe Ave., and site plan #2010-0022 at 41-45 Rowe Ave., meet minimum DRC site plan requirements for the issuance of a building permit. Please see UI for sign off.

Thanks.

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# General Building Permit Application

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(1)) · ·		9,100
ax Assessor's Chart, Block & Lot hart# Block# Lot# 260 A 9.12 260 A 9 essee/DBA (If Applicable)	Applicant *must be owner, Lessee or Name RM INC Address 98 Broadway City, State & Zip So Postland M Owner (if different from Applicant) Name	Cost Of 1/0,000.
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ontractor's name: KM INC  ddress: 58 Broadway		
ity, State & Zip So loxHand	Mu 64106	Telephone:
	ready: Rob Townshy	Telephone: 207.332-3
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ailing address: 58 Stood we	on outlined on the applicable Che	<del></del>

Date: This is not a permit; you may not commence ANY work until the permit is issue

that I have been authorized by the owner to make this application as his/her authorized agent. I agree to conform to all applicable laws of this jurisdiction. In addition, if a pennit for work described in this application is issued, I certify that the Code Official's authorized representative shall have the authority to enter all areas covered by this permit at any reasonable hour to enforce the

provisions of the codes applicable to this permit.

Signature:

160-A-9 #10-0956

ONE AND TWO FAMILY	PLAN REVIEW	CHECKLIST
Soil type/Presumptive Load Value (Table R401.4	1.1)	
Component	Submitted Plan	Findings/Revisions/Dates
STRUCTURAL Footing Dimensions/Depth (Table R403.1 & R403.1(1), (Section R403.1 & R403.1.4.1)	0K - 8' 8"x/6"	
Foundation Drainage, Fabric, Damp proofing (Section R405 & R406)	Shown on detail-c	
Ventilation/Access (Section R408.1 & R408.3) Crawls Space ONLY	N/A	
Anchor Bolts/Straps, spacing (Section R403.1.6)	1/2'-6'-0"OC-OK	•
Lally Column Type (Section R407)  Girder & Header Spans (Table R 502.5(2))	3-2×12.5 OK	
Built-Up Wood Center Girder Dimension/Type	3.2x12.s	<del></del>
Sill/Band Joist Type & Dimensions	2×6 PT	
First Floor Joist Species Dimensions and Spacing (Table R502.3.1(1) & Table R502.3.1(2))	2×8-12'span-0	<u> </u>
Second Floor Joist Species Dimensions and Spacing (Table R502.3.1(1) & Table R502.3.1(2))	2+8-16' span-01	
Attic or additional Floor Joist Species Dimensions and Spacing (Table R802.4(1) and	2×10 Raffers 01	۲



# CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE

Department of Building Inspections

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No work is to be started until permit issued. Please keep original receipt for your records.

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(B802.4(2))	
Pitch, Span, Spacing& Dimension (Table R802.5.1(1) - R 802.5.1(8)) Roof Rafter; Framing & Connections (Section R802.3 & R802.3.1)	2xe vollar hiss-ox
Sheathing; Floor, Wall and roof (Table R503.2.1.1(1)	12" Root, Sounds Hyllor
Fastener Schedule (Table R602.3(1) & (2))	Per IRC
Private Garage	
(Section R309)	
Living Space? (Above or beside)	
Fire separation (Section R309.2)	
Opening Protection (Section R309.1)	2/4
Emergency Escape and Rescue Openings (Section R310)	OL Shows egress in every non
Roof Covering (Chapter 9)	Asphalt
Safety Glazing (Section R308)	4/2
Attic Access (Section R807)	6 hous. 22x 30
Chimney Clearances/Fire Blocking (Chap. 10)	2/4
Header Schedule (Section 502.5(1) & (2)	8.2×10'5 (4) cal-ok
Energy Efficiency (N1101.2.1) R-Factors of Walls, Floors, Ceilings, Building Envelope, U-	P. 88 Root / R.M walls
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Factor Fenestration		
Type of Heating System		
Means of Egress (Sec R311 & R312) Basement		
Number of Stairways		
Interior		
Exterior  Treads and Risers Shows - 9/2 (Section R311.5.3)	"Tread - HOLE	
Treads and Risers (Section R311.5.3)	7,000	
Width (Section R311.5.1) 36"		
Headroom (Section R311.5.2) Not Show	`	8/20/10 6'8" revision
Guardrails and Handrails (Section R312 & R311.5.6 - R311.5.6.3)		
Smoke Detectors (Section R313) Location and type/Interconnected	Parlition	
Dwelling Unit Separation (Section R317) and IBC – 2003 (Section 1207)	NA	
Deck Construction (Section R502.2.1)	614	

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Applicant: RM Inc. (Rob Twombly) Date: 8/19/2010 C-B-L: 260-A 009 (10,43 44, pot of 11242) Address: 41-45 Rove Are (OTerrau Ne) Dermit # 10-095% CHECK-LIST AGAINST ZONING ORDINANCE + received windrikples 9 120/10 used for zaring. Date - new Zone Location - 2-3 Interior or corner lot -Proposed UserWork - build cape w/fill dome en re- sing le family - 32x24 Servage Disposal - City Loi Street Frontage - 50 mm - 65 4 mm (E) Rear Yard - 25 min - 71 bollerad scoul Side Yard - 1/2 spore - simo -81 g man on that \* \* can reduce oney and & i financial other side -25' sculd on Lift. -mad his f' on that Projections - 2'x 11' forthern part, front stype builthed 5'ye duck coix, 2' Hideli of Lot - 6 Timin - 66' cham. Height - 35 max - 21'scaled (ob) Lot Area - 6,500 \$ -9110 5 her. 69 Lot Coverage Impervious Surface - 36% Area per Family - 650 \$ (04). Off-street Parking - 2 spaus required - 12 x38 show 10 × 12=12= Loading Bays - NA Site Plan - moral more 3010-0077 Shoreland Zoning/Stream Protection - 1 Flood Plains - parel 6 - zanex

# CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE **DEVELOPMENT REVIEW APPLICATION**

PLANNING DEPARTMENT PROCESSING FORM

2010-0022

		Zoning Copy	Application I. D. Number
Amjk Properties Lic			8/5/2010
Applicant			Application Date
190 Riverside St B-4 , Portland , ME 0	4103		Single Family Home (41-45 Rowe Ave)
Applicant's Mailing Address	<del></del>		Project Name/Description
Rob Twombly		Terrace Ave, Portland, Main	•
Consultant/Agent		Address of Proposed Site	<del></del>
	ent Fax:	260 A009001	
Applicant or Agent Daytime Telephone,	Fax	Assessor's Reference: Chart-l	Block-Lot
Proposed Development (check all that a	pply): 🔽 New Building 🖂	Building Addition   Change Of Use	Residential Coffice Con Retail
☐ Manufacturing ☐ Warehouse/Di	<del></del>		(specify)
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Proposed Building square Feet or # of U	Inits Acreage of Site	Proposed Total Disturbed Area of the	Site Zoning
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Check Review Required:			☐ Design Review
Site Plan (major/minor)	Zoning Conditional - PB	Subdivision # of lots	DEP Local Certification
Amendment to Plan - Board Review	Zoning Conditional - ZBA	Shoreland Historic Pres	4!
Amendment to Plan - Staff Review			Site Education
<b>-</b>		Zoning Variance Flood Hazar	
After the Fact - Major		Stormwater Traffic Move	ment Other
After the Fact - Minor		PAD Review 14-403 Stree	ets Review
Fees Paid: Site Plan	Subdivision	Engineer Review	Date
Zoning Approval Status:		Reviewer	
□ Approved	Approvad w/Conditions	☐ Denled	
	See Attached		
Approval Date	Approval Expiration	Extension to	Additional Sheets
	,, <u> </u>	<del></del>	Attached
Condition Compliance			
	signature	<b>date</b>	
Performance Guarentee	Required*	☐ Not Required	
* No building permit may be issued until	a performance guarantee has	been submitted as indicated below	
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Performance Guarantee Accepted	date	amount	expiration date
	date	amount	expiration date
Inspection Fee Paid			<u> </u>
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Building Permit Issue	<del></del>		
	date		
Performance Guarantee Reduced		<del></del> _	
	date	remaining balance	signature
Temporary Certificate of Occupancy		Conditions (See Attached)	·
	date		expiration date
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Certificate Of Occupancy			
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# PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT - LAND ONLAGG - 4 2010

Offer Date , 2010	Effective Date is defined in Paragraph 2001 to 15 Edition of Inspections  City of Portland Maine
1. PARTIES: This Agreement is made between RM Ink.	("Buyer") and
AMJK Properties LLC	, & Alvin Mack ("Seller").
part of: If "part of" see para, 22 for explanation) the property s	sted at 37 & 41 rows Ave. 500 by and
the amount \$ 500 # 22 . If said deposit is to be above deadline, this offer shall be void and any attempted accept result in a binding contract. Buyer agrees that an additional deposit	days of the Offer Date, a deposit of earnest money in delivered after the submission of this offer and is not delivered by the tance of this offer in reliance on the deposit being delivered will not to fearnest money in the amount of \$\int Failure by Buyer to deliver this additional deposit in this Agreement. The remainder of the purchase price shall be paid by
This Purchase and Sale Agreement is subject to the following cond	
	wsuit by virtue of acting as escrow agent, Agency shall be entitled to
the Maine Bar Association shall be delivered to Buyer and the execute all necessary papers on	hantable title in accordance with the Standards of Title adopted by bansaction shall be closed and Buyer shall pay the balance due and (closing date) or before, if agreed in writing by both parties. If his paragraph, then Selier shall have a reasonable time period, not to effect, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by both Buyer and Selier, fort to cure any title defect during such period. If, at the later of the time period, Selier is unable to remedy the title, Buyer may close and ome null and void in which case the parties shall be relieved of any need to the Buyer.    Compared to the Buyer   Compared to the Buyer and clear of all rictions of record which do not materially and adversely affect the
7. POSSESSION: Possession of premises shall be given to Buyer	immediately at closing unless otherwise agreed in writing.
	e to said premises by fire or otherwise, is assumed by Seller. Buyer to closing for the purpose of determining that the premises are in
N/A. Real estate ta fiscal year). Seller is responsible for any unpaid taxes for prior years shall be apportioned on the basis of the taxes assessed for the and valuation can be ascertained, which latter provision shall seller.	be prorated as of the date of closing; rent, association fees, (other) ixes shall be prorated as of the date of closing (based on municipality's ears. If the amount of said taxes is not known at the time of closing, he preceding year with a reapportionment as soon as the new tax rate provide closing. Buyer and Seller will each pay their transfer tax as
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Rowe Ave (a&b)  Mile Road, Fraser, Michigan 48026 <u>www.xipt.og/x.com</u>

10. DUE DILIGENCE: Buyer is encouraged to seek information from professionals regarding any specific issue or concern.

Neither Seller nor Licensee makes any warranties regarding the condition, permitted use or value of Sellers' real property. This Agreement is subject to the following contingencies, with results being satisfactory to Buyer:

	CONTINGENCY	YES	NO	DAYS FOR COMPLETION	OBTAINED BY	TO BE PAID FOR BY
1,	SURVEY	X				
2.	Purpose: SOILS TEST Purpose:		X			
3.	SEPTIC SYSTEM DESIGN		X			
4.	Purpose: LOCAL PERMITS Purpose:	X				
5,	HAZARDOUS WASTE REPORTS	<b>(X</b> )				
6.	Purpose: UTILITIES Purpose:	X				
7.	WATER Purpose:					
8.	SUB-DIVISION APPROVAL Purpose:	X		-	<del></del>	
9.	DEP/LURC APPROVALS Purpose:	X				
10.	ZONING VARIANCE Purpose:	X				
11.	HABITAT REVIEW/ WATERFOWL Purpose:	Ø		-		
12,	MDOT DRIVEWAY/ ENTRANCE PERMIT	X				
13.	Purpose: DEED RESTRICTION Purpose:	X				
14.	TAX EXEMPT STATUS Purpose:	团		-		
15,	OTHER Purpose:		X			
Unless otherwise specified above, all of the above will be obtained and paid for by Buyer. If the result of any investigation or other condition specified herein is unsatisfactory to Buyer, Buyer will declare the Agreement null and void by notifying Seller in writing within the specified number of days, and any earnest money shall be returned to Buyer. If the result of any investigation or other condition specified herein is unsatisfactory to Buyer, and Buyer wishes to pursue remedies other than voiding the Agreement, Buyer must do so to full resolution within the time period set forth above; otherwise this contingency is waived. If Buyer does not notify Seller that an investigation is unsatisfactory within the time period set forth above, this contingency is waived by Buyer. In the absence of inspection(s) mentioned above, Buyer is relying completely upon Buyer's own opinion as to the condition of the property.						
Septe	ember 2009 Page 2 of	4-P&S-LO	Buyer(s) Ir	intals Ray Sollers	s) Initials	

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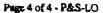
Rowe Ave (a公b)

<b>a,</b>		is [太] is not subject to Financing. If subject to F						
	This Agreement is subject to Bu	uyer obtaining a N/A loan of	% of the purchase price, at an					
	interest rate not to exceed	% and amortized over a period	od of years.					
ъ.	interest rate not to exceed  % and amortized over a period of  years.  b. Buyer to provide Seller with letter from lender showing that Buyer has made application and, subject to verification of information, is qualified for the loan requested within  N/A days from the Effective Date of the Agreement. If Buyer fails to provide Seller with such letter within said time period, Seller may terminate this Agreement and the carnest money							
c	shall be returned to Buyer. Buyer to provide Saller with lo	an commitment letter from londer within N/A	days of the Effective Date of the Agreement					
<b>.</b> ,	c. Buyer to provide Seller with loan commitment letter from lender within N/A days of the Effective Date of the Agreement.  If Buyer fails to provide Seller with this loan commitment letter within said time period, Seller may deliver notice to Buyer that this Agreement is terminated three days after delivery of such notice unless Buyer delivers the loan commitment letter							
	before the sad of the three-day period. If the Agreement is terminated under the provision of this sub-paragraph, the except							
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## EXHIBIT A

A better description of the Property to be conveyed

Two Lots will be separately Deeded to RM, Inc.

All lot references are on the City of Portland TAX MAP 260 Block A

From AMJK Properties, LLC

All of Lots 9, 10, 43, 44.

5 feet of lots 11 & 42

From Alvin Mack

All of Lots 12 & 41

10 feet of Lots 13 & 40

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25 feet of Lots 11 & 42 (30 foot lots, 5 feet previously conveyed to AMJK above)

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**Rowe Lots Sheet** 

All City Lots Tax Map # 260, Block A CURRENT

Subdivision is Brighton Avenue Terrace CCRD Plan Book 11 Page 13

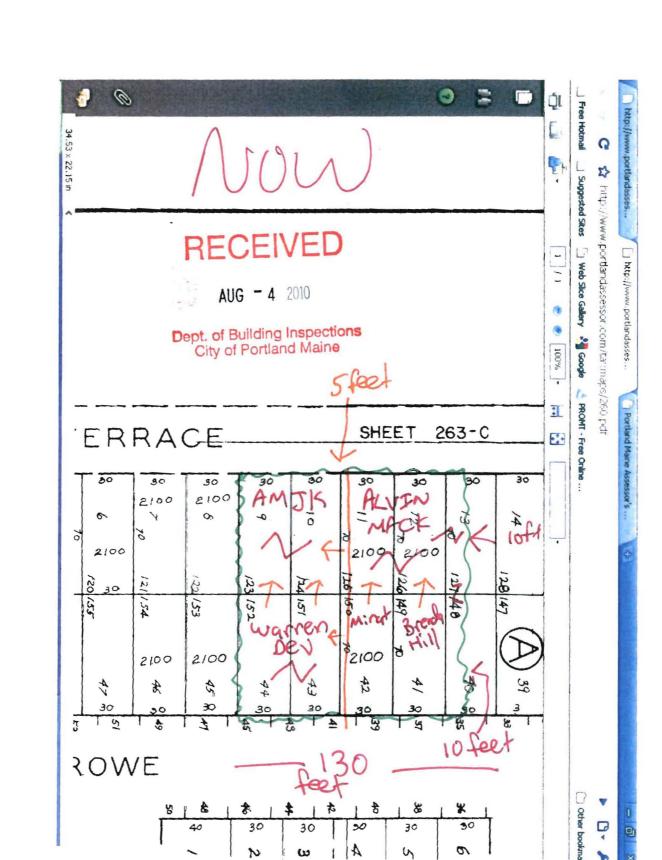
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AMJK Properties, LLC	10	124	all lot	30	W&C, LLC	6/24/2009	27025	85
Warren Development	43	151	all lot	30	Alvin Mack	9/24/2008	26423	10
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Alvin Mack	11	125	all lot (5 will go)	30	Scott Potter	4/1/2009	26762	2 <del>94</del>
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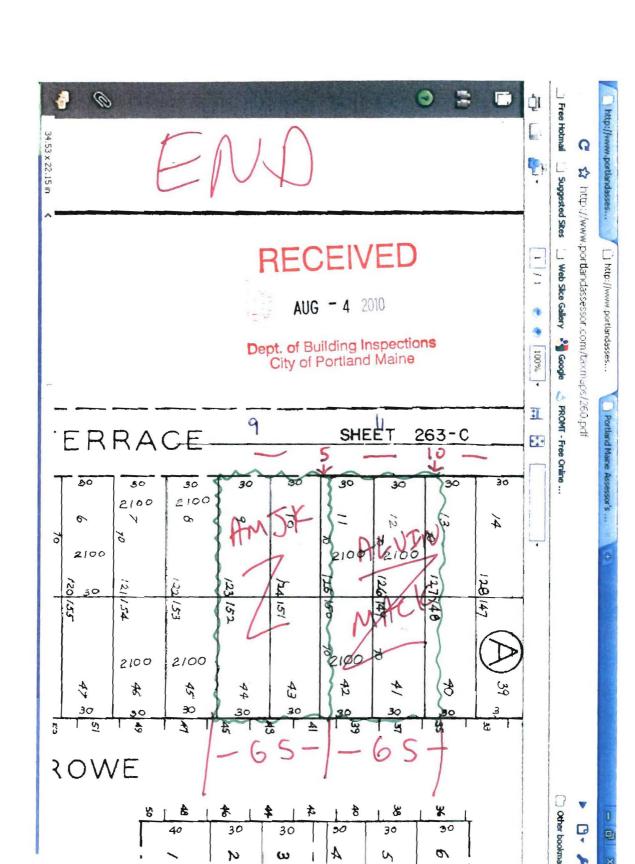
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### PURCHASE & SALES AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made this 2///day of July, 2010 by and between Alvin Mack, with a mailing address of 750 Warren Ave, Portland, ME 04103 (207) 774-8013 (hereinafter called "Seller") and AMJK Properties, LLC, or assigns, with a mailing address of PO BOX 7332, Portland, ME 04112 (hereinafter referred to as "Buyer").

- 1. **PREMISES**: This agreement affects land of Seller located on Rowe Ave (Terrace Ave) in Portland, Maine. The land being part of Lot # 125, as shown on a plan of lots at Brighton Avenue Terrace belonging to J.W. Wilbur, said plan being made by A. L. Eliot, Surveyor, dated July 9, 1906 and recorded in the Cumberland county registry of Deeds, Book 11 Page 13. The land is a 5 foot strip of land on said lot abutting land currently owned by Buyer.
- 2. **PURCHASE PRICE:** The Buyer shall Purchase the land for a total purchase price of \$100 upon the following terms and conditions:
- a. A \$1.00 deposit upon the execution of this agreement. This deposit is nonrefundable and does apply to the purchase price.
- b. A final payment of \$99 adjusted for any other costs described in section 6 will be due and payable at closing which shall take place, within ten days of Seller proving clear title to the property.
- 3. **RIGHT OF ENTRY:** Buyer, or his agents, shall have the right to enter the Premises before the closing in order to survey, take soil samples and otherwise test and conduct its due diligence investigations. Buyer shall also indemnify and hold Seller harmless for any damage, injury or liens occasioned by such entry. Buyer shall at Buyer's expense return the property to substantially the same condition it was in prior to such activities. This paragraph shall survive the closing.

### 4. **DUE DILLEGANCE**:

- 5. **SELLER'S WARRANTIES AND REPRESENTATIONS:** Seller hereby represents and warrants that as of the date hereof, and as of the date of the closing hereunder:
- a. Seller has no knowledge of the existence of any violations of laws and regulations affecting the Property. Seller has not received any notice or inquiry from any federal, state or local government authority or representative thereof claiming or inquiring into the existence of any such violations.
  - b. Seller has no knowledge of any pending or

damages resulting from any claims for brokerage fees or other similar forms of compensation made by any real estate broker or any other person or entity because of the sale of the Premises hereunder.

- 14. **WITHHOLDING:** The Seller is aware that Maine law requires Buyer to withhold two and one-half percent (2.5%) of the sale proceeds unless the Seller certifies he is a resident of Maine at the time of closing or is otherwise exempt from the provisions of 36 M.R.S.A. Section 5250-A.
- 15. MORTGAGE AND INSURANCE: Seller is responsible for all mortgage and insurance payments, if any, until the closing.
- 16. **SHARING OF REPORTS:** Seller agrees to provide all reports he has about the premises to the Buyer at no additional cost to the Buyer. If a report has not been completed it is not required to be done for this closing. These reports may include but shall not be limited to: title work, surveys, Forestry Plans, wetland delineation, engineering studies, and soil tests.
- 17. **BUYER A RE COMPANY:** The buyer is a person engaged in Real Estate speculation. Buyer may decide to resell the property at a future time and if so would hope to make a profit on the sale.
- 18. **SELLER NOT A FOREIGN PERSON:** The Seller warrants and represents to the Buyer that the Seller is not a "foreign person" as that term is defined in Section 1445 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.
- 19. **GENERAL PROVISIONS**: This agreement constitutes the entire agreement between Seller and Buyer, and there are no other agreements, understandings, warranties or representations. This agreement will inure to the benefit of and bind the respective heirs, successors and assigns of Seller and Buyer. This agreement may be simultaneously executed in any number of counterparts, each of which, when so executed and delivered shall be deemed an original. This agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Maine. The signature of a party upon a facsimile copy shall be deemed to be

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threatened actions or proceedings regarding condemnation of cr encumbrances on the ownership, use or possession of the Premises or any party thereof.

- c. Seller represents that the Premises shall be free from any mechanic or material men liens.
- d. There are no underground storage tanks or other environmental contamination on the Premises.

### 6. ADJUSTMENTS, PRORATIONS AND CLOSING COSTS:

- a. The Maine Real Estate Transfer Tax shall be paid for by entirely by the Buyer.
- c. The preparation of the Deed and legal description shall be prepared by the Buyer and approved by Seller.
- d. The Buyer shall pay for any additional inspections, the title search, recording the deed, and closing services.
- 7. **POSSESSION:** Seller shall deliver possession of Property to Buyer at transfer of title free and clear of all leases, tenancies or occupancies by any person. Upon transfer of title, the property and all natural resources contained on it, including timber, shall be in virtually the same condition as of the date of this agreement.
- 8. **INDEMNITY:** Buyer and Seller agree to indemnify and hold each other harmless from and against any and all damages, claims, losses, obligations, liabilities and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, incurred as a result of the breach of any representation contained in this Contract. The warranties of this Contract shall survive the closing hereunder.
- 9. RISK OF LOSS: The risk of loss to the property by a taking of all or any part of the property by eminent domain, prior to the closing, shall be on Seller. In the event that, prior to the closing, the property or any portion is taken by eminent domain, Buyer shall have the option of either (i) terminating this Agreement and receiving back the deposit, or (ii) accepting the insurance proceeds payable be reason of such damage, or the condemnation award payable by reason of such taking, and closing the transaction contemplated by this Agreement notwithstanding the same, and without reduction in the purchase price.

### 10. REMEDIES FOR BREACH:

a. If Buyer defaults in his performance under this contract, the Seller shall retain the nonrefundable deposit as his sole liquidated damages for such default. If Buyer fails to

return the property to substantially the same condition it was in prior to having work done, or a lien was placed on the property from work Buyer had done, Seller may employ all legal and equitable remedies. Attorney fees shall be awarded to the prevailing party.

- b. If Seller defaults in his performance under this contract or breaches his warranty, the Buyer may employ all legal and equitable remedies including specific performance. Buyer may terminate this agreement and receive back his deposits. If value of the property or the natural resources contained on it are altered by action of the Seller buyer may deduct such value from the purchase price. Attorney fees shall be awarded to the prevailing party.
- c. Both parties agree to have any disputes settled by an arbitrator or mediator and said arbitrator's or mediator's recommendations shall be binding upon both parties.
- 11. TITLE: Seller shall convey the Premises to Buyer at the closing by Warranty Deed in fee simple with good and marketable title, subject to easements, privileges, restrictions, and agreements of record so long as such encumbrances do not affect Buyer's intended use of Premises. If counsel for the Buyer shall be of the opinion, given in good faith, that the title to the property is defective or is otherwise not free and clear of all encumbrances, or is not marketable, the closing shall be postponed for a reasonable period of time during which Seller shall diligently pursue the removal of such defect or encumbrance at his own expense, to the reasonable satisfaction of counsel for Buyer. If the title proves defective and if Seller shall fail to remove such defect or encumbrance within thirty (30) days after notice from Buyer of the nature of the defect or encumbrance, Buyer may, at its election, either: (i) close this transaction notwithstanding the existence of any such defect or encumbrance and without a deduction in the purchase price; or (ii) terminate this Agreement, in which event Seller shall return the deposits to Buyer, and the parties hereto shall thereafter have no further rights or obligations hereunder.
- 12. **NOTICE:** All notices, demands and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been given on the date of service if delivered personally to the party to whom notice is to be given, or on the date of mailing. If mailed, all notices are to be sent by First Class Mail postage prepaid, certified with return receipt requested, addressed as provided above.
- 13. **BROKERAGE**: Seller and Buyer represent to one another that neither has dealt or had contact with any broker in connection with this transaction and each agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the other from any and all costs, expenses or

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### PURCHASE & SALES AGREEMENT

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- 1. **PREMISES:** This agreement affects land of Seller located on Rowe Ave in Portland, Maine. The land being Lots # 151 & 152, as shown on a plan of lots at Brighton Avenue Terrace belonging to J.W. Wilbur, said plan being made by A. L. Eliot, Surveyor, dated July 9, 1906 and recorded in the Cumberland county registry of Deeds, Book 11 Page 13. In addition a 5 foot strip of land that will be separately obtained from The Minat Corp.
- 2. **PURCHASE PRICE:** The Buyer shall Purchase the land for a total purchase price of \$100 upon the following terms and conditions:
- a. A \$1.00 deposit upon the execution of this agreement. This deposit is nonrefundable and does apply to the purchase price.
- b. A final payment of \$99 adjusted for any other costs described in section 6 will be due and payable at closing which shall take place, within ten days of Seller proving clear title to the property.
- 3. RIGHT OF ENTRY: Buyer, or his agents, shall have the right to enter the Premises before the closing in order to survey, take soil samples and otherwise test and conduct its due diligence investigations. Buyer shall also indemnify and hold Seller harmless for any damage, injury or liens occasioned by such entry. Buyer shall at Buyer's expense return the property to substantially the same condition it was in prior to such activities. This paragraph shall survive the closing.

### 4. DUE DILLEGANCE:

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- a. Seller has no knowledge of the existence of any violations of laws and regulations affecting the Property. Seller has not received any notice or inquiry from any federal, state or local government authority or representative thereof claiming or inquiring into the existence of any such violations.
  - b. Seller has no knowledge of any pending or

threatened actions or proceedings regarding condemnation of or encumbrances on the ownership, use or possession of the Premises or any party thereof.

- c. Seller represents that the Premises shall be free from any mechanic or material men liens.
- d. There are no underground storage tanks or other environmental contamination on the Premises.

### 6. ADJUSTMENTS, PRORATIONS AND CLOSING COSTS:

- a. The Maine Real Estate Transfer Tax shall be paid for by entirely by the Buyer.
- c. The preparation of the Deed and legal description shall be prepared by the Buyer and approved by Seller.
- d. The Buyer shall pay for any additional inspections, the title search, recording the deed, and closing services.
- 7. **POSSESSION:** Seller shall deliver possession of Property to Buyer at transfer of title free and clear of all leases, tenancies or occupancies by any person. Upon transfer of title, the property and all natural resources contained on it, including timber, shall be in virtually the same condition as of the date of this agreement.
- 8. **INDEMNITY**: Buyer and Seller agree to indemnify and hold each other harmless from and against any and all damages, claims, losses, obligations, liabilities and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, incurred as a result of the breach of any representation contained in this Contract. The warranties of this Contract shall survive the closing hereunder.
- 9. **RISK OF LOSS:** The risk of loss to the property by a taking of all or any part of the property by eminent domain, prior to the closing, shall be on Seller. In the event that, prior to the closing, the property or any portion is taken by eminent domain, Buyer shall have the option of either (i) terminating this Agreement and receiving back the deposit, or (ii) accepting the insurance proceeds payable be reason of such damage, or the condemnation award payable by reason of such taking, and closing the transaction contemplated by this Agreement notwithstanding the same, and without reduction in the purchase price.

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### 10. REMEDIES FOR BREACH:

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return the property to substantially the same condition it was in prior to having work done, or a lien was placed on the property from work Buyer had done, Seller may employ all legal and equitable remedies. Attorney fees shall be awarded to the prevailing party.

- b. If Seller defaults in his performance under this contract or breaches his warranty, the Buyer may employ all legal and equitable remedies including specific performance. Buyer may terminate this agreement and receive back his deposits. If value of the property or the natural resources contained on it are altered by action of the Seller buyer may deduct such value from the purchase price. Attorney fees shall be awarded to the prevailing party.
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- TITLE: Seller shall convey the Premises to Buyer at the closing by Warranty Deed in fee simple with good and marketable title, subject to easements, privileges, restrictions, and agreements of record so long as such encumbrances do not affect Buyer's intended use of Premises. If counsel for the Buyer shall be of the opinion, given in good faith, that the title to the property is defective or is otherwise not free and clear of all encumbrances, or is not marketable, the closing shall be postponed for a reasonable period of time during which Seller shall diligently pursue the removal of such defect or encumbrance at his own expense, to the reasonable satisfaction of counsel for Buyer. If the title proves defective and if Seller shall fail to remove such defect or encumbrance within thirty (30) days after notice from Buyer of the nature of the defect or encumbrance, Buyer may, at its election, either: (i) close this transaction notwithstanding the existence of any such defect or encumbrance and without a deduction in the purchase price; or (ii) terminate this Agreement, in which event Seller shall return the deposits to Buyer, and the parties hereto shall thereafter have no further rights or obligations hereunder.
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- 13. **BROKERAGE:** Seller and Buyer represent to one another that neither has dealt or had contact with any broker in connection with this transaction and each agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the other from any and all costs, expenses or

damages resulting from any claims for brokerage fees or other similar forms of compensation made by any real estate broker or any other person or entity because of the sale of the Premises hereunder.

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### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Re: Adam Mack/Sale of Lots on Rowe Avenue, Portland, Maine

Dear Sir/Madam:

Our office has assisted the collective owners of properties at 37-45 Rowe Avenue. Currently, there are five (5) different owners of ten (10) different lots on Rowe Avenue identified as Assessor Map 260, Block A, Lots 9-12 and a portion of 13, and Lots 41-44 and a portion of Lot 49. We understand a question has arisen about the potential application of the subdivision law regarding the combining of the above lots to form two (2) buildable lots.

Maine Subdivision Law, Title 30-A MRSA § 4401 et.seq., applies only to the "division" of a "tract or parcel" of land into three (3) or more "lots". Creating three lots from one original parcel triggers subdivision review. Two lots, even from one parcel, would not be a subdivision under the State definitions.

The lots in the middle (lots 11 and 42) will be split in order to form the two buildable lots. However, each portion will be conveyed to an abutter and therefore does not create a separate lot under 30-A MRSA § 4401(4)(D-6). Since no other parcel of land that is in the same ownership is being divided, state and local subdivision ordinances would not be applicable to the present situation which contemplates combining ownership of five (5) lots into two (2) lots. Since the existing five (5) lots are being combined resulting in two reconfigured lots, this would not be defined as a subdivision. Creating three new lots triggers subdivision review.

I attended a subdivision seminar about a month ago presented by Attorney Rebecca Warren Seal of the Maine Municipal Association, and I attach a few pages from the introduction of the session which addresses some of the basic definitions of the subdivision law.

Please let me know if I may be of further assistance or if you need any additional information.

Yours truly,

Thomas F. Jewell, Esq.

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# CHAPTER 9

# THE STATUTORY DEFINITION OF "SUBDIVISION" FOR PURPOSES OF MUNICIPAL REVIEW AND RELATED ISSUES

### Submitted by

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Introduction: 'The following discussion of the Municipal Subdivision Law is intended as general information and not as legal advice. It is important to read and re-read the statutory language, pertinent municipal ordinance provisions, and relevant court decisions in attempting to determine whether a particular fact pattern constitutes a subdivision requiring municipal review and approval. Municipal review of subdivisions is governed by 30-A MRSA §4401 et seq. The definition of "subdivision" that controls review by the Department of Environmental Protection under the Site Location of Development Act is found in 38 MRSA § 482(5). The definition governing review by the Land Use Regulation Commission of subdivisions in the unorganized territories of Maine is found in 12 MRSA §§ 682-682-B.

The Statute: A copy of the Municipal Subdivision Law (30-A MRSA § \$ 4401- 4407; formerly 30 MRSA § 4956 and 30-A MRSA § 4551) appears in its entirety in Appendix A-1 of these materials. A complete legislative history for this law is included in the Appendix A-2.

The Statutory Definition of "Subdivision": The statutory definition of "subdivision" for the purposes of municipal review currently is found in 30-A MRSA § 4401(4). It includes two distinct categories: land subdivisions and dwelling unit subdivisions.

### Land Subdivisions—Basic Elements and Issues

### The elements:

- the "division"
- of a "tract or parcel" of land
- into 3 or more "lots"
- within any 5 year period beginning on or after September 23, 1971
- whether accomplished by "sale, lease, development, buildings or otherwise"
- by whomever accomplished
- unless otherwise exempt as a "homestead" lot, "open space" lot, 40 acre lot, devise, condemnation, court order, gift to relative, gift to a municipality, transfer to an abutter, lot not part of a subdivision when created, lot with a pre-September 23, 1971 dwelling structure, or "grandfathered" subdivision (see discussions below)

### The issues:

- 1. The "division" into lots by sale, lease, development, buildings or otherwise means the "splitting off of a legal integest of sufficient dignity" in the land.
  - Town of York u Cragin, 541 A.2d 932 (Me. 1988) (held that structures such as hotel, motel, apartment building, multi-unit condo structure didn't qualify as "divisions" of land); see discussion later in these materials of current statutory language regarding multi-unit dwellings and construction or placement of "dwelling units."
  - Town of Arundel u Swain, 374 A. 2d 317 (Me. 1977) (use of campsites for a rental fee in a traditional type of campground didn't qualify as "divisions").
  - Planning Board of Town of Naples & Michaed, 444 A. 2d 40 (Me. 1982) [Fee simple sale of site in
    a campground constituted a "division." Although the sites had no fixed boundaries, the court
    found that there was a "functional division" on the basis that the layout of the sites would
    lend itself to a feeling of control by the occupant ("territorial imperative") and would provide
    a legal basis on which a court could establish legal boundaries.]
  - Town of Harpswell a Powers, Mem. of Decis., February 17, 1998 (lease of two portions of Powers'
    parcel of land divided the parcel into 3 lots requiring subdivision approval).
  - A mobile home park generally qualifies as a type of division by lease.
  - Mortgage interests—If encompassing the entire lot, the mortgage doesn't constitute a division in its own right; if on a portion of the lot, it does constitute a division [30-A MRSA §4401(4) (I); Town of Orrington a Pease, 660 A. 2d 919 (Me. 1995)]; mortgagee not prevented from lawfully foreclosing upon property in an unapproved subdivision. Gorham Savings Bank a Baigley, 1998 ME 9, 704 A.2d 398.
  - A land installment contract isn't a "sale" until a deed is issued because the buyer has no
    enforceable interest in the land; may be an example of a division by "otherwise."
  - A purchase and sale agreement describing a lot to be sold must contain language conditioning the sale on obtaining subdivision approval if entered before a plan is approved, if the lot is part of an unapproved subdivision. 30-A MRSA §4406; Murray a Town of Lincolnville, 462 A.2d 40 (Me. 1983).
  - The creation of a condominium interest in land constitutes a division.
  - Placement of 3 or more buildings on a single parcel, where the land and buildings are in single
    ownership and used by the owner (e.g., college campus; complex of commercial buildings
    including main office, storage building, warehouse)—does it constitute a subdivision? Arguably it
    is a division by "buildings," but the statute is unclear when the buildings aren't dwelling units.
  - Where a strip of land is sold in fee for a road, it constitutes a "lot" for the purposes of the subdivision law, even though it is not a buildable lot in its own right.
  - Beware of unintended subdivisions which result from poor descriptions/conveyancing language
    in deeds, as for example, where the intent is to convey 2 lors, but because a small portion of
    land is left out of the description, a third, unintended lot, is created.

### 2. A "tract or parcel"

§#101(6) defines "tract or parcel" as "all contiguous land in the same ownership, except that lands located on opposite sides of a public or private road are considered each a separate tract or parcel of land unless the road was established by the owner of land on both sides of the road after September 22, 1971." (This definition was amended by PL 2007, c. 49, §1, effective 9/20/07.)

- Look at the "parent parcel" from which 3 or more lots/interests were split/will be split within a single 5 year period by anyone with a legal right to do so.
- "All contiguous land"—"Contiguous" is defined in The American Heritage Dictionary of the English Language (4th edition) as "sharing an edge or boundary; touching." This would include land on each side of a road or stream or river, if the ownership of the bed is the same as on both sides. (But see the discussion below regarding a parcel divided by a road.)
- In the "same ownership"—Title of all contiguous parcels must be held in the same names and in the same estate to be treated as a single tract or parcel; see Town of Orrington u Pease, 660 A.2d 919 (Me. 1995), and Town of Bridgion u Rolfe, District Court, District Nine, Division of No. Cumberland, Dkt. BRI-90-LU-1, August 15, 1990.
- If the road scparating the land on each side was "established" by the owner of land on both sides of the road after September 22, 1971, then the land on each side constitutes a combined single parcel, not two separate parcels. Research when and how the road in question was established by reviewing records at the registry of deeds, State, county and municipal records documenting creation of the road and the maintenance and use of the road. Questions: Does "established" mean "officially" created? What is "creation"? Is 9/22/71 now the point of reference for all road-related "tract or parcel" analyses or only for divisions occurring after 9/20/07 (the effective date of the amendment to the definition of "tract or parcel")? Is it enough that the landowner at the time physically removed trees and made a path with heavy equipment? Is prescriptive use without a court declaration regarding status enough? Use less than 20 years? Are deeded easement rights a "road"? If research indicates that the road was ever open to/used by the public, there arguably is a reasonable presumption that the land on each side wasn't owned by the person who established the road.
- A lot is analyzed as part of the bigger tract or parcel from which it was split, at least until 5 years have elapsed since its creation, and maybe longer under 30-A MRSA § 4406(1)(E) or some local ordinances; it doesn't become a tract or parcel in its own right at least until the expiration of 5 years from its creation, even if it is a lot which is exempt when first created. (See discussion of exempt lots later in these materials.)
- See § 4404(13), (14), (14-A), and (15) regarding flood areas, freshwater wetlands, farmland, and rivers, streams and brooks—These must be identified if "within the subdivision," not just for the lots that will be offered for sale, but for all the land that is part of the "subdivision" as defined, including retained acreage. Whether these must be identified on the plan itself or only on accompanying maps is unclear. ("Farmland" definition was added as §4401(2-B) by PL 2009, c. 356, Pt. C, § 1, effective 9/12/09; "farmland" review criterion was added as §4404(14-A) by PL 2009, c. 356, Pt. C, § 2, effective 9/12/09.)

### Creation of 3 or more lots

- Two "divisions" of the parcel create 3 lots, whoever makes the divisions.
- Where the owner conveys a lot from the middle of a parcel to another person and retains the portions on either side of the middle piece, a subdivision is not created. Only one "division" has occurred and only 2 lots are created; the pieces on either side of the middle are considered to be a combined single lot retained by the owner. Bakala u Town of Stonington, 647 A.2d 85 (Me. 1994). Question: What if the owner conveys a lot out of the middle to one person and also conveys the land on either side of the middle piece to a second person, with each end piece having its own legal description in the deed of conveyance? Some argue that this is controlled by Bakala and that no subdivision is created. Others take the position that this is distinguishable from Bakala because there is more than one "division" as a result of the conveyance of the end pieces to another person.