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**Attachments:** 7.jpg 8.jpg 10.jpg 11.jpg 13.jpg

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Don,

Unfortunately, I am slammed this week, but Kelsey is trying to see if she can clear her schedule.

I am again attaching additional photos from that same day but at a different angle that shows that those caps are not supported by those piles. The angle at which that single photo was taken is extremely misleading.

This is clearly not an issue of us removing anything that was supporting her dock. I encourage you to do a site visit but we installed all of the dock sections today so the entire area has been covered up (see the last photo attached).

Dustin



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On Wed, Aug 24, 2022 at 3:41 PM Don Cole <[Don.Cole@mercergov.org](mailto:Don.Cole@mercergov.org)> wrote:

Hello Dustin and Kelsey,

Dustin, in reference to the subject permit, I left you a voicemail about meeting onsite tomorrow morning at 10:30 AM to review the situation regarding potential loss of support for the neighboring dock. The neighbor stated their dock's pile cap beams were supported by a removed pile cap beamline and provided the attached photo, which appears to support their statement.

I intend to be onsite tomorrow morning at 10:30 AM to investigate the situation. Hopefully, someone from your team can meet me.

It is my understanding the work is currently open, so please DO NOT COVER the new finger pier adjacent to the neighbor's dock at this time.

Thank you for your cooperation and please let me know if you have more information, questions or concerns.

**Don Cole**

Building Official

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