

# Burger King Planned At Fuller and Western

GUILDERLAND — Burger King plans to acquire the King's BP gasoline station at Fuller Road and Western Avenue as the site for an 118-seat restaurant with a driveup window.

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The Lexington, Mass.-based company wants to tear down the gas station and build a new fast-food facility with 86 seats inside and 32 seats outside.

It has an option to buy the site from Chester and Mabel King of McKownville. The option is contingent on Burger King's receiving the special-use permit it needs from the town Zoning Board of Appeals.

The zoning board has scheduled a public hearing on the case for 7:30 tomorrow night at Town Hall.

Although Chester and Mabel King were unavailable for comment yesterday, their son, Ste-

phen, said Burger King wants to buy the site, tear down the gas station and build a new facility.

The gas station will be open until the deal is completed, King said.

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There is a Burger King on Western Avenue, about a mile west of the projected companion fast-food restaurant. A spokesman there said yesterday his facility, which is a little over a year old, seats about 90 people.

The planned Burger King at Fuller and Western would bring the number of Burger Kings in the Capital District to eight, according to a spokesman from Burger King's Latham office.

Donald Cipel, owner of the Capital District franchises, could not be reached for comment yesterday.