# ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT, PANEL C MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2017 AGENDA

BRIEFING	ROOM 5ES 1500 MARILLA STREET DALLAS CITY HALL	11:00 A.M.
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	Donna Moorman, Chief Planner Steve Long, Board Administrator	
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#### BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT CITY OF DALLAS, TEXAS

# FILE NUMBER: BDA167-094(SL)

**BUILDING OFFICIAL'S REPORT:** Application of Julie Weissmueller for a variance to the front yard setback regulations and special exceptions to the fence standards at 6410 Joyce Way. This property is more fully described as Lot 1, Block 2/5478, and is zoned R-7.5(A), which requires a front yard setback of 25 feet and limits the height of a fence in the front yard to 4 feet and requires a fence panel with a surface area that is less than 50 percent open may not be located less than 5 feet from the front lot line. The applicant proposes to construct and maintain a structure and provide a 13 foot front yard setback, measured at the foundation, which will require a 12 foot variance to the front yard setback regulations, and to construct and maintain an 8 foot high fence in a required front yard, which will require a 4 foot special exception to the fence standards, and to construct and maintain a fence in a required front yard with a fence panel having less than 50 percent open surface area located less than 5 feet from the front lot line, which will require special exceptions to the fence standards.

- LOCATION: 6410 Joyce Way
- **APPLICANT:** Julie Weissmueller

# REQUESTS:

The following requests have been made on a site that is currently developed with a single family home structure that the applicant intends to demolish:

- 1. A variance to the front yard setback regulations of 12' is made to construct and maintain single family home and pool structures, part of which are to be located in one of the site's two 25' front yard setbacks (Tibbs Road).
- 2. Special exceptions to the fence standards are made:
  - A) related to fence height to construct and maintain an 8' high solid wood fence in the Tibbs Road front yard setback; and
  - B) related to fence materials to construct and maintain a fence with panels with surface areas that are less than 50 percent open (the aforementioned 8' high solid wood fence" in the Tibbs Road front yard setback on this front property line (or less than 5' from this front lot line).

(No request has been made in this application to construct/maintain any structure or fence in the site's Joyce Way front yard setback).

# STANDARD FOR A VARIANCE:

The Dallas Development Code specifies that the board has the power to grant variances from the front yard, side yard, rear yard, lot width, lot depth, lot coverage, floor area for structures accessory to single family uses, height, minimum sidewalks, off-street parking or off-street loading, or landscape regulations provided that the variance is:

- (A) not contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done;
- (B) necessary to permit development of a specific parcel of land that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that it cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land with the same zoning; and
- (C) not granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing a parcel of land not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land with the same zoning.

# STANDARD FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO FENCE STANDARDS:

Section 51A-4.602 of the Dallas Development Code states that the board may grant a special exception to the fence standards when, in the opinion of the board, the special exception will not adversely affect neighboring property.

# **STAFF RECOMMENDATION (variance)**:

Approval, subject to the following condition:

• Compliance with the submitted site plan is required.

Rationale:

- Staff concluded that the subject site is unique and different from most lots in the R-7.5(A) zoning district given that: 1) it is irregular in shape, 2) it is a corner lot with a restrictive area due to its two front yard setbacks, 3) it is a site with a restrictive area due to a 15' wide easement located on the eastern side of the subject site. The features of this irregularly-shaped lot with two front yard setbacks and easement preclude the applicant from developing it in a manner commensurate with development found on other similarly zoned R-7.5(A) properties that are regular in shape, with one front yard setback, and no easement. Documentation submitted by the applicant shows that the proposed home with approximately 5,500 square feet is lower in square footage that 65 other properties in the same R-7.5(A) zoning district.
- Staff concluded that granting the variance does not appear to be contrary to public interest since the structures proposed to encroach into the setback are for relatively small areas of porch and pool structures.

# **STAFF RECOMMENDATION** (fence standard special exceptions):

No staff recommendation is made on this or any request for a special exception to the fence standards since the basis for this type of appeal is when in the opinion of the board, the special exception will not adversely affect neighboring property.

# BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

# <u>Zoning:</u>

<u>Site</u> :	R-7.5(A) (Single family district 7,500 square feet)
North:	R-7.5(A) (Single family district 7,500 square feet)
South:	R-7.5(A) (Single family district 7,500 square feet)
East:	R-7.5(A) (Single family district 7,500 square feet)
West:	R-10(A) (Single family district 10,000 square feet)

# Land Use:

The subject site is developed with a single family home. The area to the north, south, east, and west are developed with single family uses.

# Zoning/BDA History:

There has not been any recent related board or zoning cases recorded either on or in the immediate vicinity of the subject site.

# GENERAL FACTS/STAFF ANALYSIS (variance):

- The request for a variance to the front yard setback regulations of 12' focuses on constructing and maintaining single family home and pool structures that would be located 13' from one of the site's two 25' front property lines (Tibbs Street) or 12' into this 25' required front yard setback.
- The subject site is zoned R-7.5(A) where the minimum front yard setback is 25'.
- The site is located on the southeast corner of Joyce Way and Tibbs Road. The site has two 25' front yard setbacks. The site has a 25' front yard setback along Tibbs Road because it is the shorter of the two frontages (approximately 202' in length), which is always deemed the front yard setback on a corner lot in a single-family zoning district. The site also has a 25' front yard setback along Joyce Way, the longer of the two frontages of this corner lot (approximately 211' in length) which is typically regarded as a side yard where only a 5' setback is required. But the site's Joyce Way frontage is a side yard treated as a front yard setback nonetheless to maintain the continuity of the established front yard setback established by the lots to the east of the site that front/are oriented northward towards Joyce Way. (Tibbs Road is a front yard because it is 9' shorter in length that Joyce Way).

- Regardless of how the home is oriented to front onto Joyce Way (and "side" to Tibbs Road), the site has two 25' front yard setbacks where the focus of the applicant's request in this application is only to construct and maintain structures in the site's front yard setback on Tibbs Road. (No part of the application is made to construct/maintain a structure in the site's Joyce Way front yard setback).
- The submitted site plan denotes that only a portion of a porch and pool are proposed to be located in the 25' Tibbs Road front yard setback. The site plan denotes that these structures are proposed to be located 13' from the Tibbs Road front property line or 12' into this 25' front yard setback.
- The applicant has submitted a document that lists 65 other properties zoned R-7.5(A) where the square footage of all of these homes is greater than the approximately 5,500 square foot home proposed on the subject site.
- The subject site is flat, irregular in shape, and according to the applicant's representative, is 0.366 acres (or approximately 15,900 square feet) in area. The site is zoned R-7.5(A) where lots typically are 7,500 square feet in area. The site has a 15' wide utility easement in the eastern part of the subject site.
- The site has two front 25' front yard setbacks; and two 5' side yard setbacks; most R-7.5(A) residentially-zoned lots have one 25' front yard setback, two 5' side yard setbacks, and one 5' rear yard setback. (Note that if this were a typical R-7.5(A) zoned lot with one front yard, two side yards, and one rear yard, the applicant would not be required to seek a variance to the side yard setback since the porch and pool structures are proposed to be located 13' from the Tibbs Road property line, and a 5' side yard setback is required in this zoning district).
- According to DCAD records, there are "main improvements" at 6410 Joyce Way is a structure built in 1950 with 2,166 square feet of living/total area. The "additional improvements" at this address include a 441 square foot attached garage and a 168 square foot addition.
- If the subject site were more typical to other parcels of land in the same zoning district (one front yard, one rear yard, and two side yards), no variance would be required since the applicant is providing a 5' setback (the side yard setback for properties zoned R-7.5(A)) on the north side of the site that is a front yard.
- If the subject site were more typical to other parcels of land in the same zoning district (one front yard, one rear yard, and two side yards), no variance would be required since the applicant is providing a 5' setback (the side yard setback for properties zoned R-7.5(A)) on the north side of the site that is a front yard.
- The applicant has the burden of proof in establishing the following:
  - That granting the variance to the Tibbs Road front yard setback regulations will not be contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done.
  - The variance is necessary to permit development of the subject site that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that the subject site cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land in districts with the same R-7.5(A) zoning classification.

- The variance would not be granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing this parcel of land (the subject site) not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land in districts with the same R-7.5(A) zoning classification.
- If the Board were to grant the variance request, and impose the submitted site plan as a condition, the structures in the front yard setback would be limited to what is shown on this document– which in this case are porch and pool structures located 13' from the site's Tibbs Road front property line (or 12' into this 25' front yard setback).

# GENERAL FACTS/STAFF ANALYSIS (fence standard special exceptions):

- These requests for special exceptions to the fence standards focus on constructing and maintaining an 8' high solid wood fence on the site's Tibbs Road front lot line or in one of the site two 25' front yard setbacks.
- The subject site is zoned R-7.5(A) where the minimum front yard setback is 25'.
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- Regardless of how the home is oriented to front onto Joyce Way (and "side" to Tibbs Road), the site has two 25' front yard setbacks where the focus of the applicant's request in this application is only to construct and maintain a fence in the site's front yard setback on Tibbs Road. (No part of the application is made to construct/maintain a fence in the site's Joyce Way front yard setback).
- The Dallas Development Code states that in all residential districts except multifamily districts, a fence may not exceed 4' above grade when located in the required front yard.
- The Dallas Development Code states that in single family districts, a fence panel with a surface area that is less than 50 percent open may not be located less than five feet from the front lot line.
- The submitted site plan denotes the only fence proposed to exceed 4' in height on the subject site is in the Tibbs Road front yard setback. This fence is proposed to be 8' in height, approximately 75' in length parallel to the street and approximately 25' in length perpendicular to the street on the north and south sides of the site in this front yard setback.
- The submitted partial elevation denotes an 8' high wood fence.

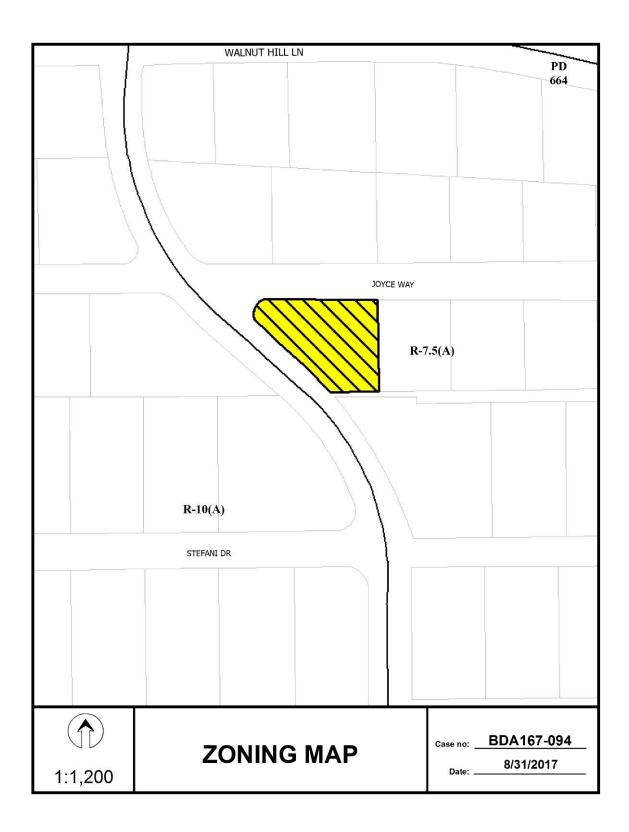
- Requests for special exceptions to the fence standards are made to construct and maintain a fence higher than 4' in the Tibbs Road front yard setback and to construct and maintain a solid fence (a fence panel with a surface area that is less than 50 percent open) on the Tibbs Road front property/lot line (or less than 5' from this lot line). (The site plan denotes that the proposed fence is locate approximately 13' from the pavement line).
- The proposal is located across from one single family home which has a fence higher than 4' along Tibbs Road.
- The Board Administrator conducted a field visit of the site and surrounding area and noted a number of other fences along Tibbs Road that appeared to be above 4' in height. It could not be determined whether these fences are permitted by right since a determination could not be made as to whether these fences were in front or side yards. There is no recorded BDA history of any fence special exception in the immediate area of the subject site.
- As of September 8, 2017, no letters have been submitted in support of or in opposition to these requests.
- The applicant has the burden of proof in establishing that the special exceptions to the fence standards related to height over 4' in the Tibbs Road front yard setback and materials/height of the proposed fence relative to the front lot line will not adversely affect neighboring property.
- Granting these special exceptions with a condition imposed that the applicant complies with the submitted site plan and partial elevation would require the proposal exceeding 4' in height in the front yard setback and with fence panels with surface areas less than 50 percent open located less than 5' from the front lot line to be constructed and maintained in the location and of the heights and materials as shown on these documents.

# Timeline:

- June 20, 2017: The applicant submitted an "Application/Appeal to the Board of Adjustment" and related documents which have been included as part of this case report.
- August 8, 2017: The Board of Adjustment Secretary randomly assigned this case to Board of Adjustment Panel C.
- August 8, 2017: The Board Administrator emailed the applicant the following information:
  - an attachment that provided the public hearing date and panel that will consider the application; the August 30<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence for staff to factor into their analysis; and the September 8<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence to be incorporated into the Board's docket materials;
  - the criteria/standard that the board will use in their decision to approve or deny the request; and
  - the Board of Adjustment Working Rules of Procedure pertaining to "documentary evidence."

- August 28, 2017: The applicant submitted additional documentation on this application beyond what was submitted with the original application (see Attachment A).
- September 5, 2017: The Board of Adjustment staff review team meeting was held regarding this request and the others scheduled for September public hearings. Review team members in attendance included: the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Director of Engineering, the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Building Official, the Board Administrator, the Building Inspection Senior Plans Examiner/Development and Construction Department Senior Planner, and the Assistant City Attorney to the Board.

No review comment sheets were submitted in conjunction with this application.





The table below lists some of the homes in zoning district R-7.5(A) with the square footage. We, Stephen Todd and Julie Weissmueller want to
build an approximately 5500 sq ft home on the 6410 Joyce Way lot. The home we plan to build is commensurate of the neighborhood. It is
actually on the lower end of sq footage compared to many of the newer builds. The information was obtained through Dallas Central Appraisal
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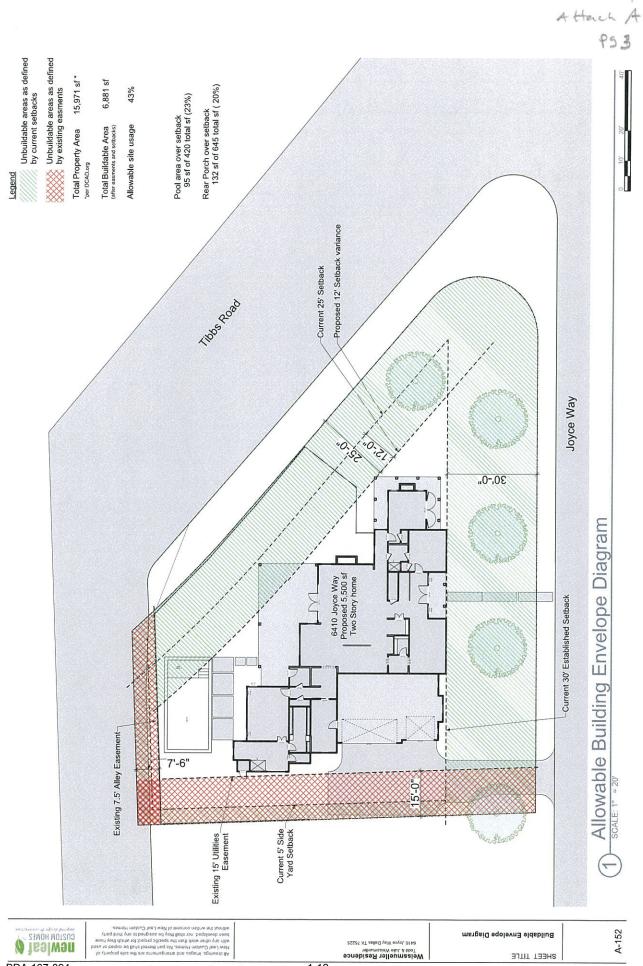
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6523 Prestonshire	5577	6517 Prestonshire	7584
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The hardship with our property being deemed to have two front yards with 25' setbacks each comes down to a difference of less than 9 ft. Joyce starting at Walnut Hill and extending to Northwood that have 8' privacy fences including the home directly behind us. Thus, we believe a similar fence on our property would not be damaging to the neighborhood when the majority of other homes running along Tibbs/Edgemere have 8 ft Way (the natural front yard) is almost 9 ft longer than Tibbs (the natural side yard) which is why our property was deemed to have two front current 25' setback which is 20% of it. The proposed pool is currently 420 sq ft, and of that, 95 sq ft of it is over the current setback which is /ards. We are requesting the 12 ft variance on the Tibbs side b/c the rear porch is currently 645 sq ft, and of that, 132 sq ft of it is over the easement on the east side of the property is prohibiting us from moving it over. Furthermore, there are 24 homes along Tibbs/Edgemere 23%. If we could move the whole house over 12 feet to the east we would not be here requesting the variance but the 15' public utility privacy fences.

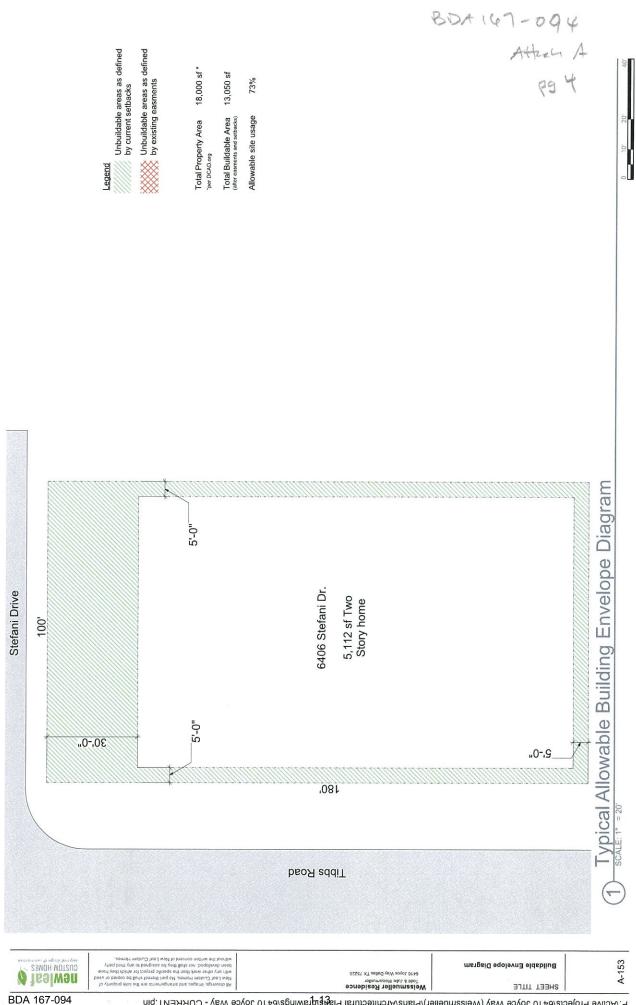
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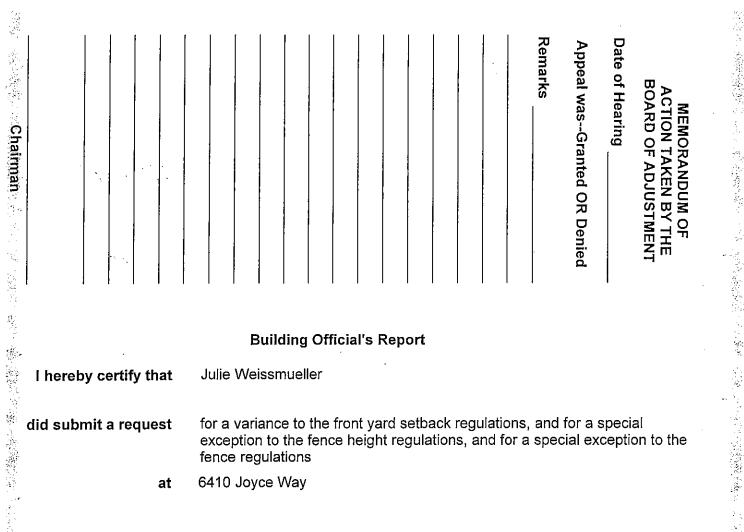
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# APPLICATION/APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

	Case No.: BDA 167-094
Data Relative to Subject Property:	Date:
Location address: 6410 Joyce Way	Zoning District: $R - 7.5(A)$
Lot No.: _ Block No.: 2/5478 Acreage: . 366	Census Tract: 77.00
Street Frontage (in Feet): 1) <u>157</u> 2) <u>148</u> 3)	4) 5)
To the Honorable Board of Adjustment :	
Owner of Property (per Warranty Deed): Stephen T. Weisson	nueller / Julie Weissmueller
Applicant: Julie Weissmueller	Telephone: (214) 695-8859
Mailing Address: 5605 Meletio Ln	Zip Code: 752.30
E-mail Address: jWeissmueller @ yahoo.com	
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Annih that an appear has been made for a variance $\Lambda$ , or special exception for the front yard Special exception to the 50% fence panel. Application is made to the Board of Adjustment, in accordance with the Development Code, to grant the described appeal for the following rea The Variance is requested to overcome the res deemed to have 2 front yards taking into of the 1st. A special exception in fence heil Condition is being requested because the res building a home that is commensurate with Note to Applicant: If the appeal requested in this application is grap permit must be applied for within 180 days of the date of the final a specifically grants a longer period. <u>Affidavit</u>	trictive hardship of our property being consideration the irregular shape ight and tence panel surface area strictions are prohibiting us from other homes on the street & neighborhood. anted by the Board of Adjustment, a Bee attachment
Before me the undersigned on this day personally appeared J	ulie Meissmueller
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Respectfully submitted:	(Affiant/Applicant's signature)
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Sincerely,

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Sikes, Building Official

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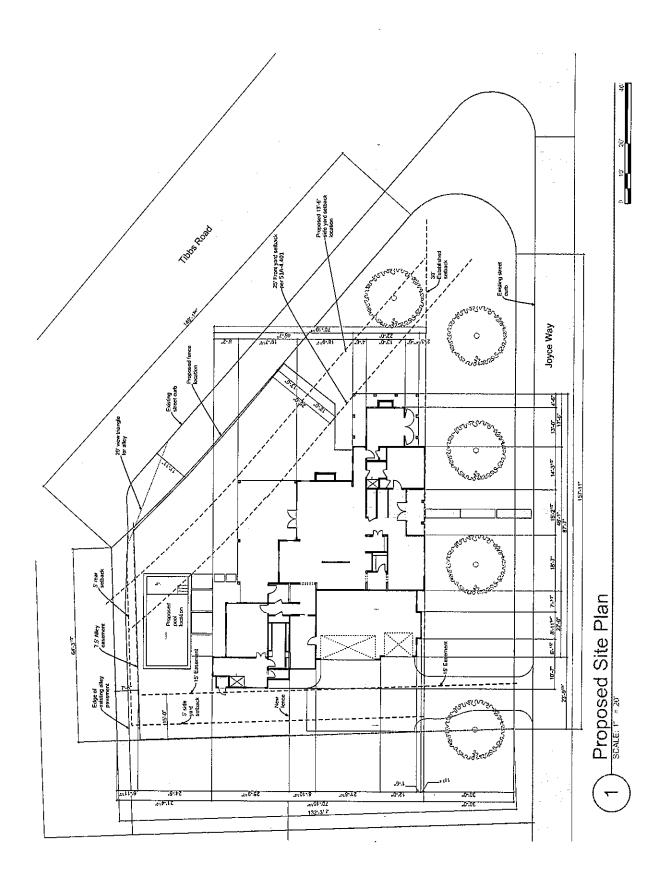




#### Attachment 1

Our property has an irregular shape for a corner lot which under strict interpretation of code section 51A-4.401 requires dual front yards, each with a 25-foot setback (on both Joyce Way and Tibbs / Edgemere). A 12' variance is being requested to overcome this restrictive hardship to our property in order to better conform / blend in our property with every other home that borders Tibbs / Edgemere (which have regulated side yards on Tibbs / Edgemere Rd, not dual front yards). We believe this restrictive code results in an unintended consequence that does not allow us to build a home that is commensurate of other properties on the street and neighborhood. With the current zoning, Tibbs would be the face of the house because it is shorter than the Joyce Way side. This is not commensurate with any other homes on the street or neighborhood. The restrictive double front yard setback, irregular lot shape and east side easement have made it extremely difficult to design a home of the size and quality of other homes in the neighborhood. By comparison, a house behind us on 6406 Stefani with similar acreage is a typical rectangular corner lot and has a buildable area (considering setbacks) of 73% allowable design area. Our irregular shaped lot on Joyce Way only has a buildable area (considering setbacks and easement) of 43% allowable design area. The 12' variance requested would simply allow us to build a home that is commensurate with other homes on the street and neighborhood (with the front of the house facing Joyce Way) and use the west side of the property as a side yard.

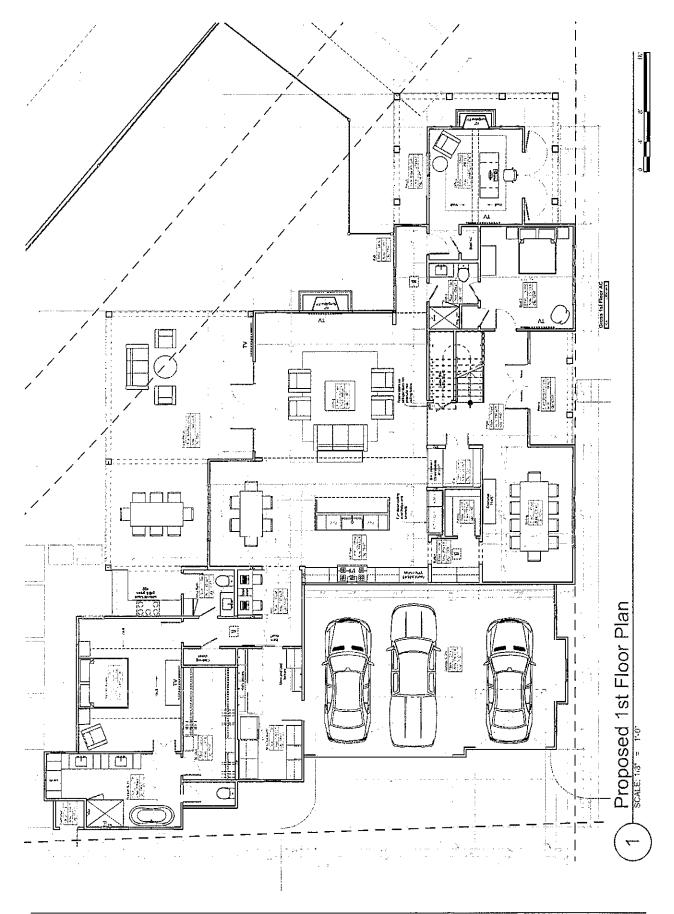
Furthermore, we are requesting a special exception of 4 feet to the maximum fence height allowed in the front yard. As noted above the property has been deemed to have two front yards based on the zoning codes. Consistent with the surrounding homes we intend to use the west side of the property, Tibbs, as the side yard and therefore request that we be allowed to retain an 8 foot fence along the property line. This height would retain consistency along Tibbs / Edgemere Rd. with the surrounding homes that have predominately 8 foot fences built. Additionally, we are requesting a special exception to the 50 percent fence panel surface area condition for the front yard (Tibbs / Edgemere side). The west side faces the street and this special exception would allow for privacy for our children as they play in the yard.



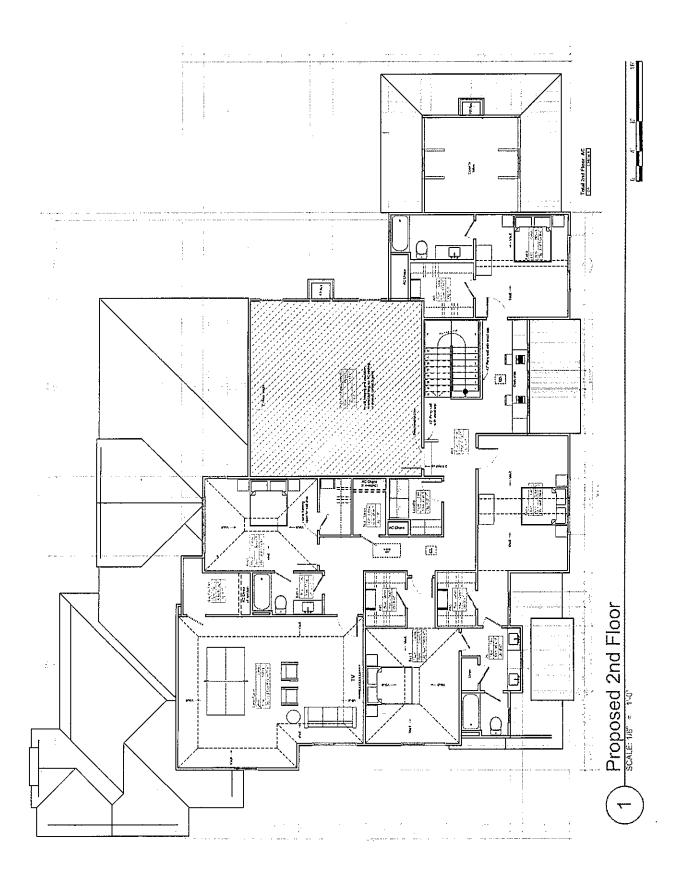
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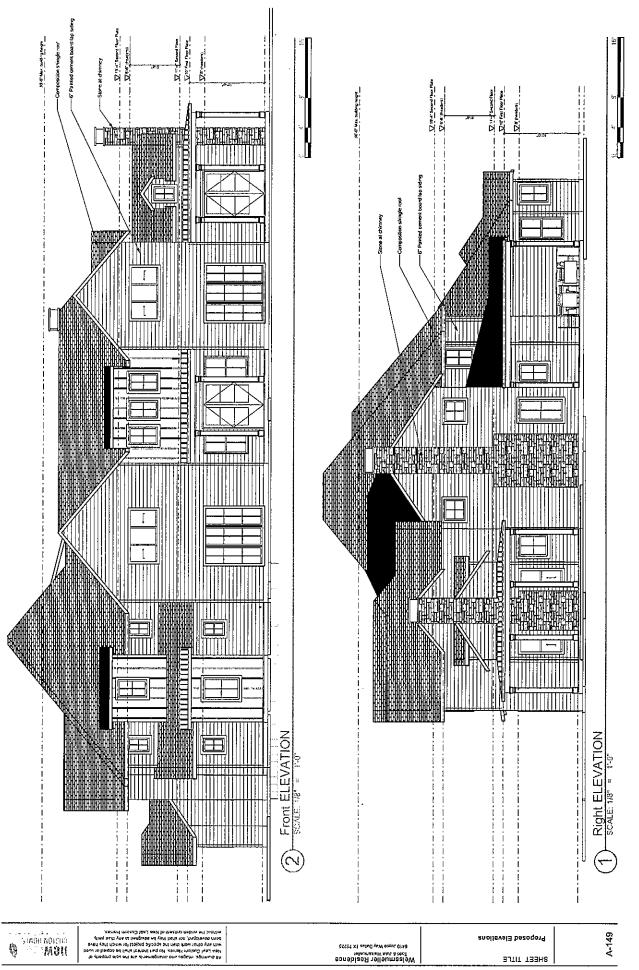
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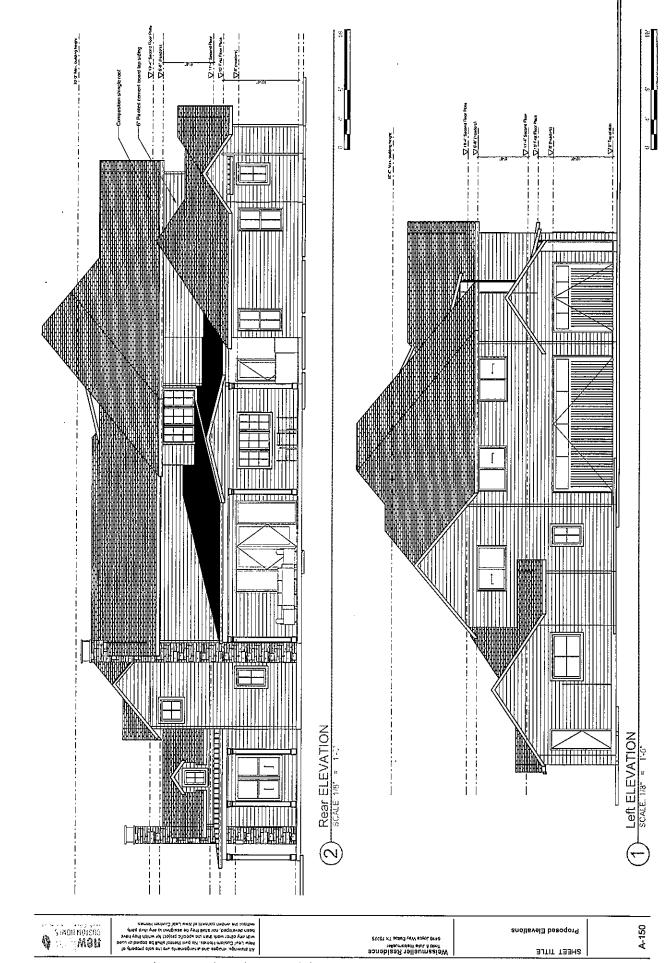


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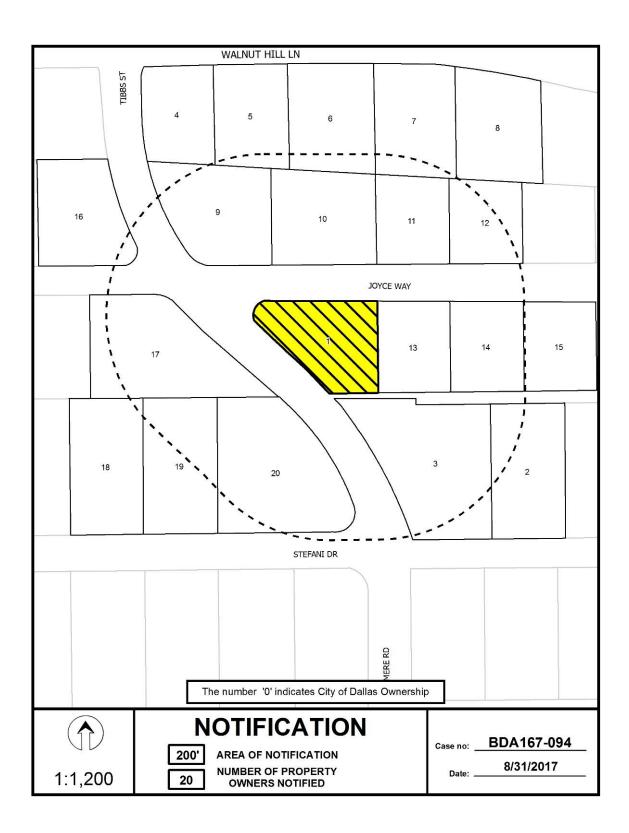
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# Notification List of Property Owners

# BDA167-094

# 20 Property Owners Notified

Lab	el #	Address		Owner
1		6410	JOYCE WAY	JONES ROBERT ALLEN
2		6415	STEFANI DR	HAVARD L CADE & ANNEAL O
3		6407	STEFANI DR	HAGAR KELBY
4	:	6406	WALNUT HILL LN	SUBRAMANIAN KRISHNA & RAJALAKSHMI
5		6414	WALNUT HILL LN	NUGENT WARREN R &
6	1	6422	WALNUT HILL LN	LAMBERT BYRON TR &
7	,	6432	WALNUT HILL LN	DENIGER WILLIAM S JR
8		6444	WALNUT HILL LN	NGO TIEN T
9	1	6407	JOYCE WAY	MURPHY J FRASHER &
1(	)	6417	JOYCE WAY	CHAVALA SAI HEMANTH & SUSMITA
11	1	6425	JOYCE WAY	WESTERBURG MARK H
12	2	6433	JOYCE WAY	WOLDERT THOMAS & LINSDAY
13	3	6420	JOYCE WAY	WILSON THOMAS & HUDGDON ASHLEY
14	1	6428	JOYCE WAY	GOULD PATRICIA ANN &
15	5	6436	JOYCE WAY	RUDMAN JODY LYNN &
16	5	6329	JOYCE WAY	NANCE FRANCES FOWLER
17	7	6330	JOYCE WAY	MCMAHAN BARBARA BURNS
18	3	6323	STEFANI DR	RALS LIVING TRUST
19	9	6331	STEFANI DR	MCKINNEY ROBERT BURNS
20	)	6347	STEFANI DR	MCKINNEY ROBERT B & BARBARA B

# FILE NUMBER: BDA167-097(SL)

**BUILDING OFFICIAL'S REPORT:** Application of Robert Baldwin of Baldwin and Associates for a special exception to the off-street parking regulations at 2600 (aka 2604) Main Street. This property is more fully described as Lot 2, Block A/183, and is zoned PD-269 (Tract A), which requires parking to be provided. The applicant proposes to construct and/or maintain a structure for a commercial amusement (inside) use, and provide 48 of the required 192 off-street parking spaces, which will require a 144 space special exception to the off-street parking regulations.

- LOCATION: 2600 (aka 2604) Main Street
- **APPLICANT:** Robert Baldwin of Baldwin and Associates

# REQUEST:

A request for a special exception to the off-street parking regulations of 144 spaces is made to occupy and lease an existing approximately 21,000 square foot vacant structure, and construct and maintain an approximately 3,000 square foot addition with an inside commercial amusement (bowling alley) use, and provide 48 (or 25 percent) of the 192 off-street parking spaces required by code.

# STANDARD FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE OFF-STREET PARKING REGULATIONS:

1) The Board of Adjustment may grant a special exception to authorize a reduction in the number of off-street parking spaces required under this article if the board finds, after a public hearing, that the parking demand generated by the use does not warrant the number of off-street parking spaces required, and the special exception would not create a traffic hazard or increase traffic congestion on adjacent and nearby streets. The maximum reduction authorized by this section is 25 percent or one space, whichever is greater, minus the number of parking spaces currently not provided due to delta credits, as defined in Section 51A-4.704(b)(A). For the commercial amusement (inside) use and the industrial (inside) use, the maximum reduction authorized by this section is 75 percent or one space, whichever is greater, minus the number of parking spaces currently not provided due to delta credits, as defined in Section 51A-4.704(b)(4)(A). For the office use, the maximum reduction authorized by this section is 35 percent or one space, whichever is greater, minus the number of parking spaces currently not provided due to delta credits, as defined in Section 51A-4.704(b)(4)(A). Applicants may seek a special exception to the parking requirements under this section and an administrative parking reduction under Section 51A-4.313. The greater reduction will apply, but the reduction may not be combined.

- 2) In determining whether to grant a special exception, the board shall consider the following factors:
  - (A) The extent to which the parking spaces provided will be remote, shared, or packed parking.
  - (B) The parking demand and trip generation characteristics of all uses for which the special exception is requested.
  - (C) Whether or not the subject property or any property in the general area is part of a modified delta overlay district.
  - (D) The current and probable future capacities of adjacent and nearby streets based on the city's thoroughfare plan.
  - (E) The availability of public transit and the likelihood of its use.
  - (F) The feasibility of parking mitigation measures and the likelihood of their effectiveness.
- 3) In granting a special exception, the board shall specify the uses to which the special exception applies. A special exception granted by the board for a particular use automatically and immediately terminates if and when that use is changed or discontinued.
- 4) In granting a special exception, the board may:
  - (A) Establish a termination date for the special exception or; otherwise provide for the reassessment of conditions after a specified period of time;
  - (B) Impose restrictions on access to or from the subject property; or
  - (C) Impose any other reasonable conditions that would have the effect of improving traffic safety or lessening congestion on the streets.
- 5) The board shall not grant a special exception to reduce the number of off-street parking spaces required in an ordinance granting or amending a specific use permit.
- 6) The board shall not grant a special exception to reduce the number of off-street parking spaces expressly required in the text or development plan of an ordinance establishing or amending regulations governing a specific planned development district. This prohibition does not apply when:
  - (A) the ordinance does not expressly specify a minimum number of spaces, but instead simply makes references to the existing off-street parking regulations in Chapter 51 or this chapter; or
  - (B) the regulations governing that specific district expressly authorize the board to grant the special exception.

# STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Approval, subject to the following condition:

• The special exception of 144 spaces shall automatically and immediately terminate if and when the commercial amusement (inside) is changed or discontinued.

Rationale:

• The Sustainable Development Department Assistant Director of Engineering indicated that he has no objections to the applicant's request.

# **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

# Zoning:

<u>Site</u> :	PD 269 (Tract A) (Planned Development)
North:	PD 269 (Tract A) (Planned Development)
South:	PD 269 (Tract A) (Planned Development)
East:	PD 269 (Tract A) (Planned Development)
West:	PD 269 (Tract B) (Planned Development)

# Land Use:

The subject site is developed with a vacant, approximately 21,000 square foot vacant structure. The area immediately north is a surface parking lot; and the areas to the east, south, and west are developed with a mix of residential and nonresidential uses.

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# Zoning/BDA History:

1. BDA012-119, Property at 2600 Main On January 22, 2002, the Board of Street (the subject site) Adjustment Panel C granted a request for a variance to the off-street parking regulations and imposed the following conditions: 1) compliance with submitted site plan is required; and 2) that the variances be changed from 15 spaces to 8 spaces. The case report states that the request for to the off-street variance parking regulations of 15 spaces was made to transition and expand spaces in an existing vacant restaurant/bar structure (a structure that formerly housed the Copper Tank Brewing Company was being transitioned to the American's Pub). 2. BDA956-134, Property at 2600 Main On January 23, 1996, the Board of Street (the subject site) Adjustment Panel C granted a request for a variance to the off-street parking regulations of 31 spaces needed to complete and maintain a 14,000 square foot restaurant/bar use (Copper Tank Brewing Company). The Board imposed the following conditions: That this variance terminates in two years or when the zoning regulations applying to this use are amended by the City Council to reduce the number of parking spaces whichever comes first.

# GENERAL FACTS/STAFF ANALYSIS:

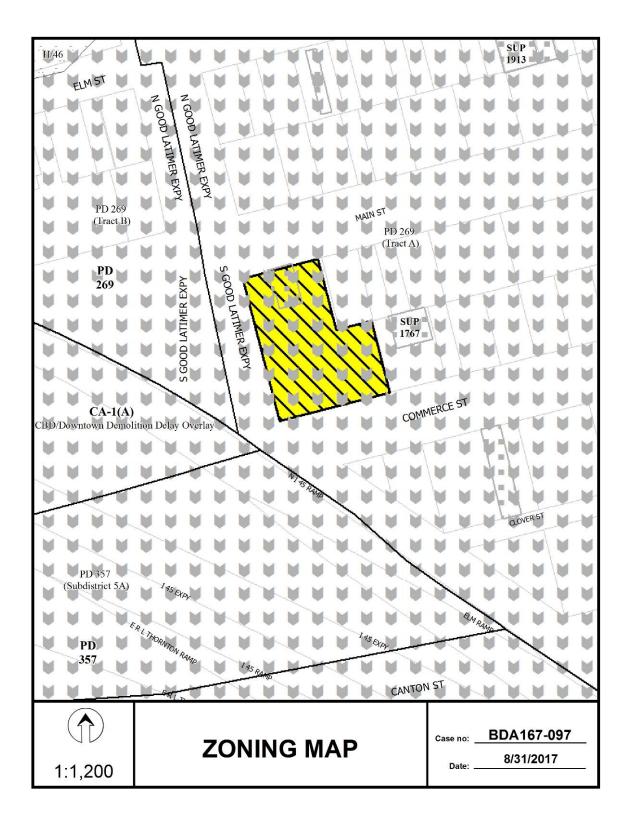
- This request focuses on occupying and leasing an existing approximately 21,000 square foot vacant structure, and constructing and maintaining an approximately 3,000 square foot addition with an inside commercial amusement (bowling alley) use, and providing 48 (or 25 percent) of the 192 off-street parking spaces required by code.
- While PD 269 specifies off-street parking requirements for certain uses permitted in the zoning district, does not provide a specific off-street parking requirement for the proposed inside commercial amusement use. As a result, the PD ordinance states that the off-street parking requirement for this use is that what is provided in Chapter 51. Chapter 51 requires the following off-street parking requirement:
  - Inside commercial amusement: one space per 100 square feet of floor area.
- The applicant notes that PD 269 states that no off-street parking is required for the first 2,500 square feet of floor area in an original building; that no off-street parking spaces are required for the first 5,000 square feet of floor area in an original building for retail-related uses or professional, personal service, and custom craft uses; and that a reduction of 10 percent of the parking requirement is allowed for uses located within one-fourth of a mile from a rail station.
- The applicant has submitted a table indicating that while 213 off-street parking spaces are required for the proposed use on the site, the applicant is entitled to the 10 percent parking reduction for proximity to a DART station hence an off-street parking requirement of 192 spaces.
- The applicant has submitted a document which states among other things that: 1) while PD 269 does not provide stipulations or parking requirements specifically for bowling alleys (instead, bowling alleys are classified as "inside commercial amusement" use, the parking requirement for bowling alleys per Chapter 51A is six spaces per land, where the theoretical parking requirement for the proposed 8-lane tenant would be 39 spaces; and 2) the ITE's projected peak demand of the use on the subject site is 30 vehicles. (The applicant proposes to provide 48 off-street parking spaces).
- The Sustainable Development Department Assistant Director of Engineering has submitted a review comment sheet marked "Has no objections."
- The applicant has the burden of proof in establishing the following:
  - The parking demand generated by the proposed inside commercial inside (live music venue) use does not warrant the number of off-street parking spaces required, and
  - The special exception of 89 spaces (or a 22 percent reduction of the required offstreet parking) would not create a traffic hazard or increase traffic congestion on adjacent and nearby streets.
- If the Board were to grant this request, and impose the condition that the special exception of 144 spaces shall automatically and immediately terminate if and when the commercial amusement inside use is changed or discontinued, the applicant could occupy and lease the existing structure and construct and maintain the addition on the subject site with commercial amusement inside use, and provide 48 (or 25 percent) of the 192 required off-street parking spaces.

# Timeline:

- July 12, 2017: The applicant submitted an "Application/Appeal to the Board of Adjustment" and related documents which have been included as part of this case report.
- August 8, 2017: The Board of Adjustment Secretary assigned this case to Board of Adjustment Panel A. This assignment was made in order to comply with Section 9 (k) of the Board of Adjustment Working Rule of Procedure that states, "If a subsequent case is filed concerning the same request, that case must be returned to the panel hearing the previously filed case".

# August 8, 2017: The Board Administrator emailed the applicant the following information:

- a copy of the application materials including the Building Official's report on the application;
- an attachment that provided the public hearing date and panel that will consider the application; the August 30<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence for staff to factor into their analysis; and the September 8<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence to be incorporated into the Board's docket materials;
- the criteria/standard that the board will use in their decision to approve or deny the request; and
- the Board of Adjustment Working Rules of Procedure pertaining to "documentary evidence."
- September 5, 2017: The Board of Adjustment staff review team meeting was held regarding this request and the others scheduled for September public hearings. Review team members in attendance included: the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Director of Engineering, the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Building Official, the Board Administrator, the Building Inspection Senior Plans Examiner/Development and Construction Department Senior Planner, and the Assistant City Attorney to the Board.
- September 7, 2017: The Sustainable Development and Construction Department Project Engineer submitted a review comment sheet marked "Has no objections."







# APPLICATION/APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

	Case No.: BDA 167-097
Data Relative to Subject Property:	Date: July 12, 2017
Location address: 2600 and 2604 Main St	_ Zoning District: PD 269 Tract A
Lot No.: Tr 2 Block No.: 183 Acreage: DIS q	C Census Tract: 204.00
Street Frontage (in Feet): 1) 200 2) [04.5 3] [10	4) 5)
To the Honorable Board of Adjustment :	
Owner of Property (per Warranty Deed): <u>AP Deep Ellum, LLC</u>	
Applicant: Rob Baldwin, Baldwin Associates	Telephone:214-824-7949
Mailing Address: <u>3904 Elm Street Suite B Dallas TX</u>	Zip Code: _75226
E-mail Address: <u>rob@baldwinplanning.com</u>	
Represented by: <u>Rob Baldwin, Baldwin Associates</u>	Telephone: 214-824-7949
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	did submit a request	for a special exception to the parking regulations	
	at	2600 Main Street (aka: 2604 Main Street)	

BDA167-097. Application of Robert Baldwin for a special exception to the parking regulations at 2600 Main Street. This property is more fully described as tract 2, Block 183 and is zoned PD-269 (Tract A), which requires parking to be provided. The applicant proposes to construct a nonresidential structure for a commercial amusement (inside) use and provide 48 of the required 192 parking spaces, which will require a 144 space special exception (75% reduction) to the parking regulation.

e) Sincerely, Philip Sikes, Building Official 

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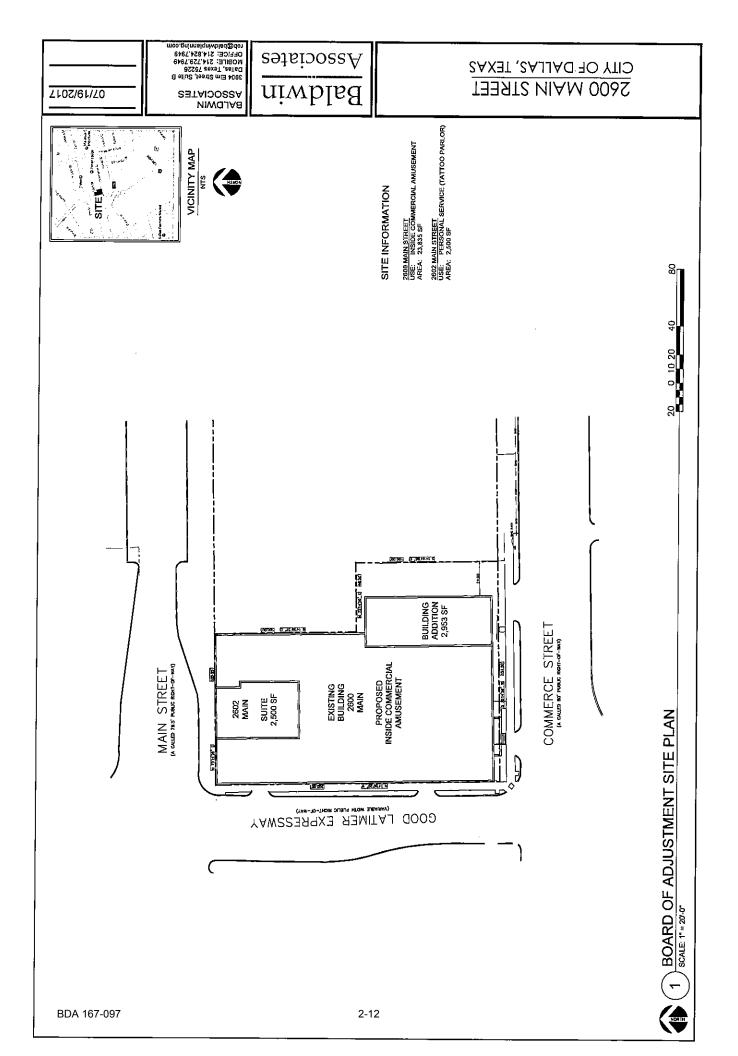
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# **TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM**

To:	Scott Rohrman — 42 Deep Ellum, LP
Cc:	Robert Baldwin — Baldwin Associates
From:	David Nevarez, PE, PTOE — DeShazo Group, Inc.
Date:	June 20, 2017
Re:	Parking Analysis for Coppertank Building at 2600 Main Street in Dallas, Texas DeShazo Project No. 17075

### INTRODUCTION

DeShazo Group, Inc. (DeShazo) is an engineering consulting firm providing licensed engineers skilled in the field of traffic/transportation engineering and parking design and demand analysis. The services of DeShazo were retained to study the parking needs for a proposed commercial development located at 2600 Main Street in Dallas, Texas. The property owner is proposing to replat 2600 Main Street with an adjacent property (2604 Main Street) to build a one-story building with a total of 23,835 square feet of gross building area. The proposed tenant is an 8-lane bowling alley.

This report presents a summary of a technical evaluation of the parking needs for the proposed eight-lane bowling alley at 2600 Main Street. Findings of this analysis are intended to support a reduction of the City of Dallas off-street parking requirements.

### **CODE PARKING REQUIREMENT**

The property is located in Planned Development (PD) District 269—the Deep Ellum/Near East Side District. It is subject to the off-street parking requirements stipulated in Section 51P-269.105(j)(1): An Inside Commercial Amusement use requires one space per 100 square feet of floor area. However, no off-street parking is required for the first 2,500 square feet of floor area in an *Original Building*<sup>1</sup>. Also, no off-street parking spaces are required for the first 5,000 square feet of floor area in an *Original Building* for retail-related uses or professional, personal service, and custom crafts uses. **Table 1** provides a summary of the Code parking requirement for 2600 Main Street.

Table 1. Defau	It City Code Parking	<b>Requirement for</b>	2600 Main Street
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TENANT	LAND USE	CITY CODE	AMOUNT	RATE (1 space per)	REQUIRED PARKING
Suite A	Personal Service	51P-269.105(j)(1)(M)	2,263 SF		0
Suite 110	Inside Comm. Amusement	51P-269.105(j)(1)(K)	23,835 SF minus 2,500 SF	100 SF	213
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> An Original Building is defined in section 51P-269.104(c)(27) as a building constructed on or before June 27, 1984, with a floor area that has not been increased by more than 5,000 square feet.

Furthermore, Section 51P-269.105(j)(4)(5) allows a reduction of ten percent of the parking requirement for uses located within one-fourth of a mile (or 1,320 feet) of a rail station. The property is located approximately 1,000 feet from the Deep Ellum DART Station and qualifies for the reduction as calculated in Table 2.

PARKING REQUIREMENT	SPACES
Default Parking Requirement (See Table 1)	213
10% Reduction for proximity to DART Station [51P-269.105(j)(4)(5)]	-21
Total Parking Requirement:	192 Spaces

Table 2. Code Parking Requirement for 2600 Main Street

As shown in Table 2, a total of 192 spaces are required to satisfy the City of Dallas Code parking requirement based upon direct application of the Dallas Development Code. DeShazo acknowledges that City Code requirements establish standards for the functional design of efficient parking facilities, thus reducing congestion and minimizing external effects on neighboring land uses, as stated in the City of Dallas Development Code. However, based upon DeShazo's professional experience in the analysis of parking demands, the operational characteristics and, consequently, parking needs of the proposed land use, there is merit in examining the parking demand for this specific property.

NOTE: PD 269 does not provide stipulations or parking requirements specifically for bowling alleys. Instead, bowling alleys are classified as Inside Commercial Amusement use. For reference purpose only, the parking requirement for bowling alleys per Chapter 51A [Section 51A-4.210(a)(7)(C)(ii)] is six spaces per lane. 51A also allows an administrative reduction of twenty percent for retail and personal services uses located within 1,200 feet of a rail station. Thus, the theoretical parking requirement per Chapter 51A for the proposed eight-lane tenant would be 39 spaces.

## PUBLISHED DATA

As a validation for the recommended parking supply for the proposed bowling alley, published parking demand data is available from the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE). Their Parking Generation manual, 4th Edition (2010) provides a reliable compilation of parking demand data from various land uses collected around the country over several years. ITE defines a Bowling Alley (LU 437) as "...recreational facilities that include bowling lanes. A small lounge, restaurant, and/or snack, video games and pool tables may also be available." Table 3 provides an excerpt of the published parking demand rates.

Table 3.	Published Parking Demand Dati	a for Bowling Alley
	URBAN	SUBURBAN (for reference only)
Observed Range	2.21-4.08 vehicles per lane	4.42-5.95 vehicles per lane
Avg. Peak Demand	3.13 vehicles per lane	5.02 vehicles per lane
85 <sup>th</sup> Percentile	3.78 vehicles per lane	5.58 vehicles per lane

Table 3.	<b>Published Parking</b>	Demand Data f	or Bowling Alley
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SOURCE: The Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) Parking Generation manual, 4th Edition (2010), LU 437

Based upon ITE data, the 85<sup>th</sup> percentile peak parking demand (a design value) of 3.78 spaces per lane equates to 30 vehicles for the proposed eight-lane bowling alley.

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### UNIQUE PARKING CHARACTERISTICS

The proposed bowling alley will consist of eight bowling lanes. Bowling alleys are generally visited by patrons arriving in groups. It is common for a significant number of guests to arrive in single vehicles. In addition, given the trends and characteristics of the Deep Ellum district, it is reasonable to anticipate a significant number of patrons to use alternative modes of transportation such as ride-sharing companies (e.g. Uber, Lyft).

The site is located within convenient walking distance (approximately 1,000 linear feet or less than five minutes) of DART Rail System's Green Line (the Deep Ellum Station). Several DART public bus routes (11; 19; 76; and D-LINK, Route 722) are also within walking distance and provide an alternative mode of transportation for employees and patrons.

### **AVAILABLE PUBLIC PARKING**

DeShazo conducted field observations and parking accumulation counts of available public parking in the immediate vicinity of the subject site on Saturday, June 10 and June 17, 2017. Field observations consisted of parking accumulation counts at 9:00 PM and 11:00 PM, which are typical peak hours for both the proposed tenant and adjacent uses. Findings indicate that sufficient pay-for-parking is currently available in the immediate vicinity of the subject property—specifically in City-owned public lots located immediately west of the site, across from Good Latimer Expressway. Parking lot locations and utilization data are illustrated in **Exhibit 1**.

### SUMMARY

This study summarizes the Code parking requirement and projected parking needs for a proposed bowling alley (or "Inside Commercial Amusement" use) located at 2600 Main Street in Dallas, Texas. Based upon application of the standard parking requirements from the City of Dallas Development Code, 192 parking spaces are required for the development. However, a parking reduction is supported based upon the property's specific location, the proposed land use's specific characteristics, and anecdotal experience from similar developments in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

In accordance with Section 51A-4.311(a)(1), the Board of Adjustment may grant a special exception to authorize a maximum reduction of 75% of the number of off-street parking spaces required for "Inside Commercial Amusement" uses. DeShazo supports the maximum exception allowed (i.e. a reduction) of 144 spaces (or 75% of the required 192 spaces) based upon the results of this technical analysis, professional judgment and experience from similar parking. Table 4 summarizes parking comparisons for the proposed bowling alley.

REFERENCE	PARKING
ITE's Projected Peak Demand	30 vehicles
Ch. 51A (For reference purpose only)	39 spaces
Proposed Supply (75% Reduction)	48 spaces
Code Requirement per PD 269	192 spaces

### Table 4. Parking Analysis Summary for the Proposed Bowling Alley

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## PARKING SPECIAL EXCEPTION REQUEST

A Parking Special Exception is requested from the City of Dallas Board of Adjustment. Based upon findings of this analysis, a requirement of 48 spaces will satisfy the parking needs for the proposed bowling alley at 2600 Main Street in Dallas, Texas. <u>A reduction of 144 required spaces is warranted</u> based upon the following considerations as specified in the Dallas Development Code §51A-4.311(a)(2):

### (A) The extent of which the parking spaces provided will be assigned, shared, or packed.

The parking reduction request is a function of the site's specific parking demand characteristics. This analysis includes public pay-for-parking available in the immediate vicinity of the site. In addition, per Section 51P-269.105(j)(4)(5), on-street parking spaces may be counted toward the parking requirement of the use adjacent to the on-street parking space. A total of eleven public, metered parking spaces are provided along the frontage on Good Latimer Expressway and Commerce Street.

### (B) The parking demand characteristics for the occupancy for which the reduction is requested.

According to the ITE *Parking Generation* manual (4<sup>th</sup> Edition), the projected 85<sup>th</sup> percentile parking demand for the proposed bowling alley is 30 parking cars based on a rate of 3.78 *vehicles per lane*. Furthermore, the projected parking generation for this use is expected to be significantly reduced due to the typical characteristics of the urban environment in the Deep Ellum area.

### (C) Whether or not the subject property is part of a modified delta overlay district.

The requested parking reduction is based upon the site's unique parking demand characteristics and is not based upon any special zoning adjustments.

### (D) Current and probably future capacities of adjacent streets based upon city's thoroughfare plan.

The surrounding street system is developed and is generally constructed to the anticipated ultimate plans. The site provides ample site access to the surrounding roadway network.

### (E) The availability of public transit and the likelihood of its use.

The site is located within convenient walking distance (approximately 1,000 linear feet or less than five minutes) of DART Rail System's Green Line (the Deep Ellum Station). Several DART public bus routes (11; 19; 76; and D-LINK, Route 722) are also within walking distance and provide an alternative mode of transportation for employees and patrons.

### (F) The feasibility of parking mitigation measures and the likelihood of their effectiveness.

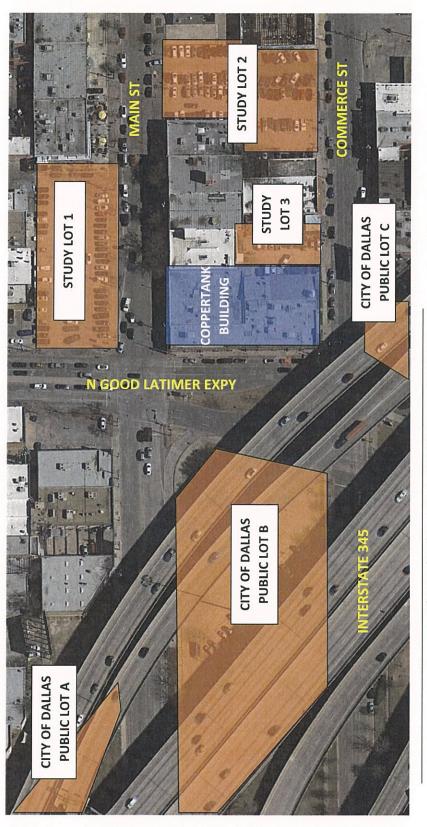
The use of alternative modes of transportation is a significant factor in the determination of an adequate parking supply for the proposed bowling alley. The site's strategic location in the Deep Ellum area is an attractive destination for employees and patrons to rely on public transit and other alternative modes of transportation (e.g. Uber, Lyft). The projected parking demand should also include efficiencies as a result of synergy among other uses in the area (e.g., patrons visiting other bars or restaurants before and/or after visiting the bowling alley).

In summary, DeShazo recommends <u>approval of the 144-space reduction</u> to authorize the proposed land use operation. The requested parking reduction will neither create a traffic hazard nor restrict the subject property's operations. It is also presumed that it is in the best interest of the property owner to provide an appropriate parking environment for their patrons.

### END OF MEMO

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# Exhibit 1. Available Off-Street Public Parking Data



NOTE: DeShazo commissioned additional parking demand observations on Saturday, June 17, 2017 during a scheduled event at *The Bomb Factory*. Public lots A and B still provided more than 80 available spaces during the event around 9:00 PM.

Supply -	Observed Parking on June 10,2017	on June 10,2017	Available
	9 PM	11 PM	Parking at 9 PM
50	4 (8%)	4 (8%)	46 (92%)
159	68 (43%)	78 (49%)	91 (57%)
06	33 (37%)	24 (27%)	57 (63%
75	75 (100%)	75 (100%)	1
93	93 (100%)	93 (100%)	1
19	17 (89%)	17 (89%)	1
		Total:	194 spaces

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> Parking Analysis for 2600 Main Street

# Land Use: 437 Bowling Alley

### Description

Bowling alleys are recreational facilities that include bowling lanes. A small lounge, restaurant and/or snack bar, video games and pool tables may also be available.

### **Database Description**

The database consisted of a mix of suburban and urban sites. Parking demand rates at the suburban sites differed from those at urban sites and, therefore, the data were analyzed separately.

Average site parking supply ratio: 5.6 spaces per lane (13 study sites).

Saturday parking demand was observed at one study site with 64 lanes in a suburban setting. The peak period parking demand ratio was 3.47 vehicles per lane between 11:00 p.m. and 12:00 a.m.

All of the study sites were counted during non-summer months.

Factors such as the extent of ancillary activities (for example, billiards, lounge) and transitions between activities (when one bowling league had not yet ended and the next was about to begin) may have affected parking demand.

The following table presents the time-of-day distribution of parking demand, based on data from the two suburban sites and three urban sites.

Based on Vehicles per Lane	Non-Friday Weekday			
Hour Beginning	Percent of Peak Period	Number of Data Points*		
12:00-4:00 a.m.		0		
		0		
5:00 a.m.		0		
6:00 a.m.		0		
7:00 a.m.		0		
8:00 a.m.		0		
9:00 a.m.		0		
10:00 a.m.		0		
11:00 a.m.		0		
12:00 p.m.		0		
1:00 p.m.		0		
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3:00 p.m.		0		
4:00 p.m.		0		
5:00 p.m.	51	5		
6:00 p.m.	83	5		
7:00 p.m.	99	5		
8:00 p.m.	100	5		
9:00 p.m.	81	5		
10:00 p.m.		0		
11:00 p.m.		0		

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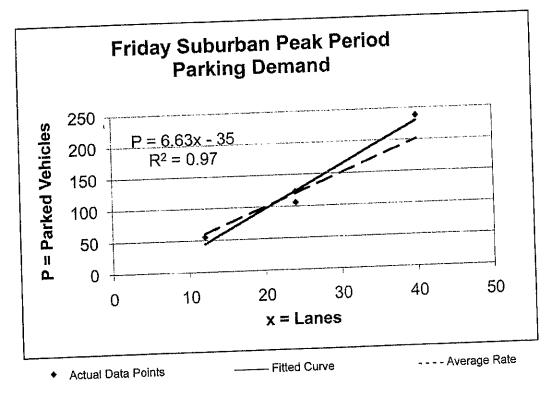
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# Land Use: 437 Bowling Alley

# Average Peak Period Parking Demand vs. Lanes On a: Friday Location: Suburban

Statistic	Peak Period Demand
Statistic	7:00-8:00 p.m.
Peak Period	4
Number of Study Sites	25 lanes
Average Size of Study Sites	5.02 vehicles per lane
Average Peak Period Parking Demand	0.69
Standard Deviation	14%
Coefficient of Variation	4.42-5.95 vehicles per lane
Range	5.58 vehicles per lane
85th Percentile	4.58 vehicles per lane
33rd Percentile	

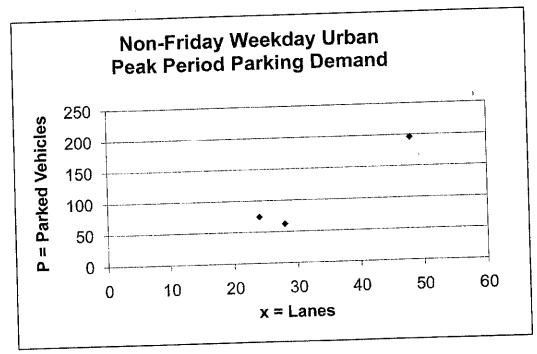


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# Land Use: 437 Bowling Alley

# Average Peak Period Parking Demand vs. Lanes On a: Non-Friday Weekday Location: Urban

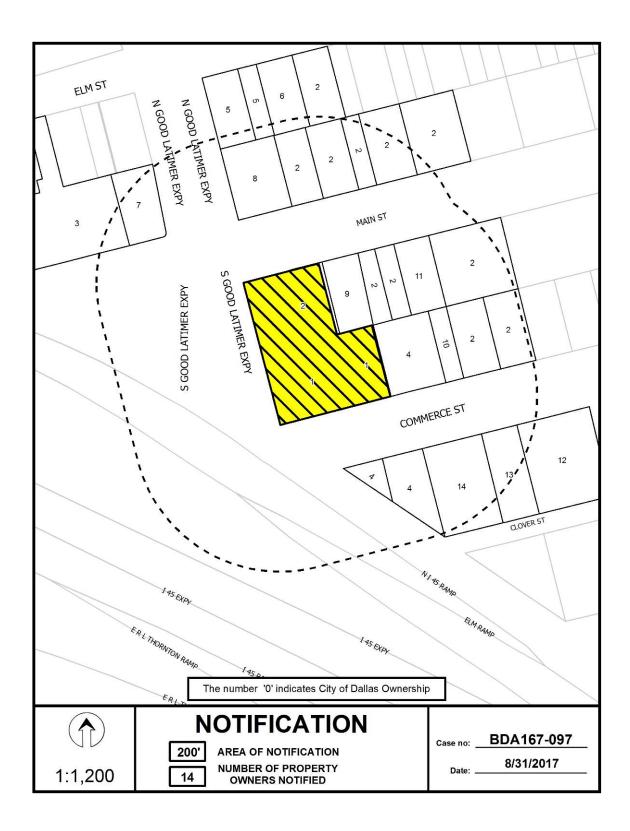
	Peak Period Demand
Statistic	7:00-10:00 p.m.
Peak Period	3
Number of Study Sites	33 lanes
Average Size of Study Sites	3.13 vehicles per lane
Average Peak Period Parking Demand	0.94
Standard Deviation	30%
Coefficient of Variation	2.21-4.08 vehicles per lane
Range	3.78 vehicles per lane
85th Percentile	2.79 vehicles per lane
33rd Percentile	2.10 101,000



Actual Data Points

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# Notification List of Property Owners

# BDA167-097

# 14 Property Owners Notified

Label #	Address		Owner
1	2611	COMMERCE ST	42 DEEP ELLUM LLC
2	2625	MAIN ST	42 DEEP ELLUM LP
3	2509	MAIN ST	WESTDALE MAIN LTD
4	2612	COMMERCE ST	DEEP ELLUM HOLDINGS LLC
5	2604	ELM ST	SEJ ASSET MGMT & INVESTMENT CO
6	2610	ELM ST	WESTDALE PROPERTIES AMERICA I LTD
7	2523	MAIN ST	ELM STREET LOFTS LTD
8	2603	MAIN ST	PARKIN ART JOINT VENTURE
9	2612	MAIN ST	KRISITIAN KEVIN 2612 LLC
10	2623	COMMERCE ST	KLUCK LINDA LOU
11	2620	MAIN ST	BLANTON JEANNE
12	2630	COMMERCE ST	WESTDALE PPTIES AMERICA I
13	2622	COMMERCE ST	SDL PARTNERS LTD
14	2616	COMMERCE ST	NOLA LTD

# FILE NUMBER: BDA167-099(SL)

**BUILDING OFFICIAL'S REPORT:** Application of Luis Leija for a variance to the front yard setback regulations at 2401 Britton Avenue. This property is more fully described as Lot 6, Block 27/4226, and is zoned R-7.5(A), which requires a front yard setback of 25 feet. The applicant proposes to construct and maintain a structure and provide a 5 foot front yard setback, measured at the foundation, which will require a 20 foot variance to the front yard setback regulations.

- LOCATION: 2401 Britton Avenue
- APPLICANT: Luis Leija

### REQUEST:

A request for a variance to the front yard setback regulations of 20' is made to construct and maintain a one-story single family home structure with an approximately 1,800 square foot building footprint, part of which is to be located 5' 5" from one of the site's two front property lines (E. Ohio Avenue) or approximately 20' into this 25' front yard setback on a site that is undeveloped.

## **STANDARD FOR A VARIANCE:**

The Dallas Development Code specifies that the board has the power to grant variances from the front yard, side yard, rear yard, lot width, lot depth, lot coverage, floor area for structures accessory to single family uses, height, minimum sidewalks, off-street parking or off-street loading, or landscape regulations provided that the variance is:

- (A) not contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done;
- (B) necessary to permit development of a specific parcel of land that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that it cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land with the same zoning; and
- (C) not granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing a parcel of land not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land with the same zoning.

# STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Approval, subject to the following condition:

• Compliance with the submitted site plan is required.

Rationale:

- Staff concluded that the subject site is unique and different from most lots in the R-7.5(A) zoning district in that it is restrictive in area due to having two, 25' front yard setbacks. Most lots in this zoning district have one 25' front yard setback. The 50' wide subject site has 20' of developable width available once a 25' front yard setback is accounted for on the north and a 5' side yard setback is accounted for on the south. If the lot were more typical to others in the zoning district with only one front yard setback, the 50' wide site would have 40' of developable width.
- Staff concluded that granting the variance would allow a one-story, approximately 1,800 square foot single family home a home that is of a size the applicant states he has built on a site that did not require variance since that parcel of land was more typical with one front yard setback, and of a size similar to seven other homes that applicant provided photos of in the sameR-7.5(A) zoning district.

# BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

# Zoning:

<u>Site</u> :	R-7.5(A) (Single family residential 7,500 square feet)
North:	MF-2(A) (Multifamily)
South:	R-7.5(A) (Single family residential 7,500 square feet)
East:	R-7.5(A) (Single family residential 7,500 square feet)
West:	R-7.5(A) (Single family residential 7,500 square feet)

## Land Use:

The subject site is undeveloped. The areas to the north and east are developed with a residential uses, and the areas to the south and west are undeveloped.

## Zoning/BDA History:

There has not been any recent related board or zoning cases recorded either on or in the immediate vicinity of the subject site.

# **GENERAL FACTS/STAFF ANALYSIS:**

 This request for variance to the front yard setback regulations of 20' focuses on constructing and maintaining a one-story single family home structure with an approximately 1,800 square foot building footprint, part of which is to be located 5' 5" from one of the site's two front property lines (E. Ohio Avenue) or approximately 20' into this 25' front yard setback on an undeveloped site.

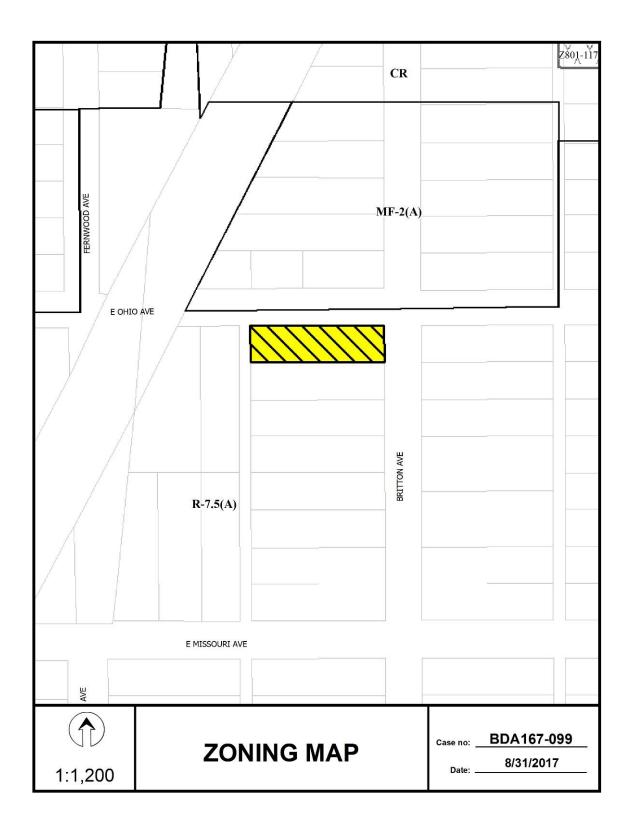
- The property is located in an R-7.5(A) zoning district which requires a minimum front yard setback of 25 feet.
- The subject site is located at the southwest corner of Britton Avenue and E. Ohio Avenue. Regardless of how the structure is proposed to be oriented to front Britton Avenue, the subject site has 25' front yard setbacks along both street frontages. The site has a 25' front yard setback along Britton Avenue, the shorter of the two frontages, which is always deemed the front yard setback on a corner lot in this zoning district. The site also has a 25' front yard setback along E. Ohio Avenue, the longer of the two frontages of this corner lot, which is typically regarded as a side yard where a 5' side yard setback is required. But the site's E. Ohio Avenue frontage that would function as a side yard on the property is treated as a front yard setback nonetheless to maintain the continuity of the established front yard setback established by the lots (currently undeveloped) to the west that front/are oriented northward towards E. Ohio Avenue.
- The submitted scaled site plan indicates that a portion of the proposed structure is located 5' 5" from the E. Ohio Avenue front property line or approximately 20' into this 25' front yard setback.
- According to DCAD records, there are "no main improvement" or "no additional improvements for property addressed at 2410 Britton Avenue.
- The subject site is relatively flat, rectangular in shape (approximately 182' x 50'), and according to the submitted application is 0.2 acres (or approximately 8,700 square feet) in area. The site is zoned R-7.5(A) where lots are typically 7,500 square feet in area.
- Most lots in the R-7.5(A) zoning district have one 25' front yard setback, two 5' side yard setbacks, and one 5' rear yard setback; this site has two 25' front yard setbacks and two 5' side yard setbacks.
- The site plan represents that approximately 1/2 of the approximately 1,800 square foot house footprint is located in the 25' E. Ohio Avenue front yard setback.
- The 50' wide subject site has 20' of developable width available once a 25' front yard setback is accounted for on the north and a 5' side yard setback is accounted for on the south. If the lot were more typical to others in the zoning district with only one front yard setback, the 50' wide site would have 40' of developable width.
- If the subject site were more typical to other parcels of land in the same zoning district (one front yard, one rear yard, and two side yards), no variance would be required since the applicant is providing a 5' setback (the side yard setback for properties zoned R-7.5(A) is 5') on the north side of the site that is a front yard.
- The applicant has the burden of proof in establishing the following:
  - That granting the variance to the front yard setback regulations will not be contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done.
  - The variance is necessary to permit development of the subject site that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that the subject site cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land in districts with the same R-7.5(A) zoning classification.

- The variance would not be granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing this parcel of land (the subject site) not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land in districts with the same R-7.5(A) zoning classification.
- If the Board were to grant the variance request, and impose the submitted site plan as a condition, the structure in the front yard setback would be limited to what is shown on this document– which in this case is a structure that is located 5' 5" from the site's E. Ohio Avenue front property line (or approximately 20' into this 25' front yard setback).

# Timeline:

- July 18, 2017: The applicant submitted an "Application/Appeal to the Board of Adjustment" and related documents which have been included as part of this case report.
- August 8, 2017: The Board of Adjustment Secretary randomly assigned this case to Board of Adjustment Panel C.
- August 8, 2017: The Board Administrator emailed the applicant the following information:
  - an attachment that provided the public hearing date and panel that will consider the application; the August 30<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence for staff to factor into their analysis; and the September 8<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence to be incorporated into the Board's docket materials;
  - the criteria/standard that the board will use in their decision to approve or deny the request; and
  - the Board of Adjustment Working Rules of Procedure pertaining to "documentary evidence."
- August 30, 2017: The applicant submitted additional documentation on this application beyond what was submitted with the original application (see Attachment A).
- September 5, 2017: The Board of Adjustment staff review team meeting was held regarding this request and the others scheduled for September public hearings. Review team members in attendance included: the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Director of Engineering, the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Building Official, the Board Administrator, the Building Inspection Senior Plans Examiner/Development and Construction Department Senior Planner, and the Assistant City Attorney to the Board.

No review comment sheets were submitted in conjunction with this application.





# BDA167-097 Attach A 2401 Britton Ave Dallas, TX 75216 P31

As a builder I, Luis Leija believe this lot address as 2401 Britton Ave with a double frontage which is a constrain that wouldn't let me build a house like others in this neighborhood. My brother and I just build a house in the same street and is also a corner lot address as 2334 Britton Drive. The house I am trying to build on my lot is the same exact house that my brother and I build. The house I want to build is about 1,800 sq. ft. and if we take away the 20 ft. from the left side of Ohio Ave and the other 5 between the other house I would only be able to build on 20 ft. which is a very small amount and it wouldn't be a livable size home for anyone.

The list below are addresses of new homes that were just build around the neighborhood that are corner lots that might have had a double frontage: (Pictures have been provided as well)

2334 Britton Drive Dallas, Texas 75216

903 E Woodin Blvd Dallas, Texas 75216

2505 Crest Ave Dallas, Texas 75216

603 E Woodin Blvd Dallas, Texas 75216

This list below are addresses of older houses in the same side of the street with double frontages that were converted into one frontage. These properties also have the same size lot and show how our lot would fit in and create a suitable home.:

2331 Britton Drive

2433 Britton Drive

2501 Britton Dive

# Long, Steve

From: Sent: To: Subject: Luis Leija <luisleija10@yahoo.com> Monday, August 28, 2017 11:11 PM Long, Steve Property 2401 Britton Ave

These are the pictures for the properties I listed in the other email.

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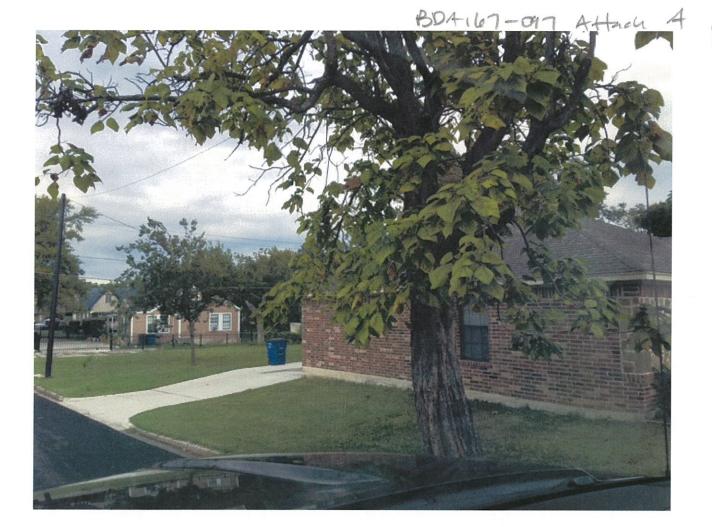


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# APPLICATION/APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

	Case No.: BDA 167-099		
Data Relative to Subject Property:	Date:		
Location address: 2401 Britton Drive Ave	Zoning District: <b>R-7.5 (A)</b>		
Lot No.: _ 6 Block No 27/4226 Acreage:	Census Tract: 55,00		
Street Frontage (in Feet): 1) 50.00 2) 182.00 3)	4) 5)		
To the Honorable Board of Adjustment :			
Owner of Property (per Warranty Deed): Lois Leija			
Applicant: Luis Leija	Telephone: 214-681-6580)214-554-7989		
Mailing Address: 344 Vermont Ave	Zip Code: 16216		
E-mail Address: luisleija 109 yahoo.com			
Represented by:			
Mailing Address:	Zip Code:		
E-mail Address:			
Affirm that an appeal has been made for a Variance, or Special Exception the longer side which is only front yourd set back.	tion_, of <u>20 feet</u> o tre to the		
Application is made to the Board of Adjustment, in accordance with the provisions of the Dallas Development Code, to grant the described appeal for the following reason: We need a variance of 20 feet be cause we have such a restricted area, that doesn't allow			
us to build a safe home and a house to fit in with the houses a	is well as the		
Note to Applicant: If the appeal requested in this application is granted permit must be applied for within 180 days of the date of the final action specifically grants a longer period.	d by the Board of Adjustment, a on of the Board, unless the Board		
Affidavit			
Before me the undersigned on this day personally appeared $(\Delta ff)$			
who on (his/her) oath certifies that the above statements are tru	ant/Applicant's name printed) ue and correct to his/her best		
knowledge and that he/she is the owner/or principal/or authorized property.	t representative of the subject		

Respectfully submitted:

day of

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17

(Rev. 08-01-11)

TOMARIA THOMAS Notary Public STATE OF TEXAS ID#13071368-2 Comm. Exp. June 27, 2020

Notary Public in and for Dallas County, Texas

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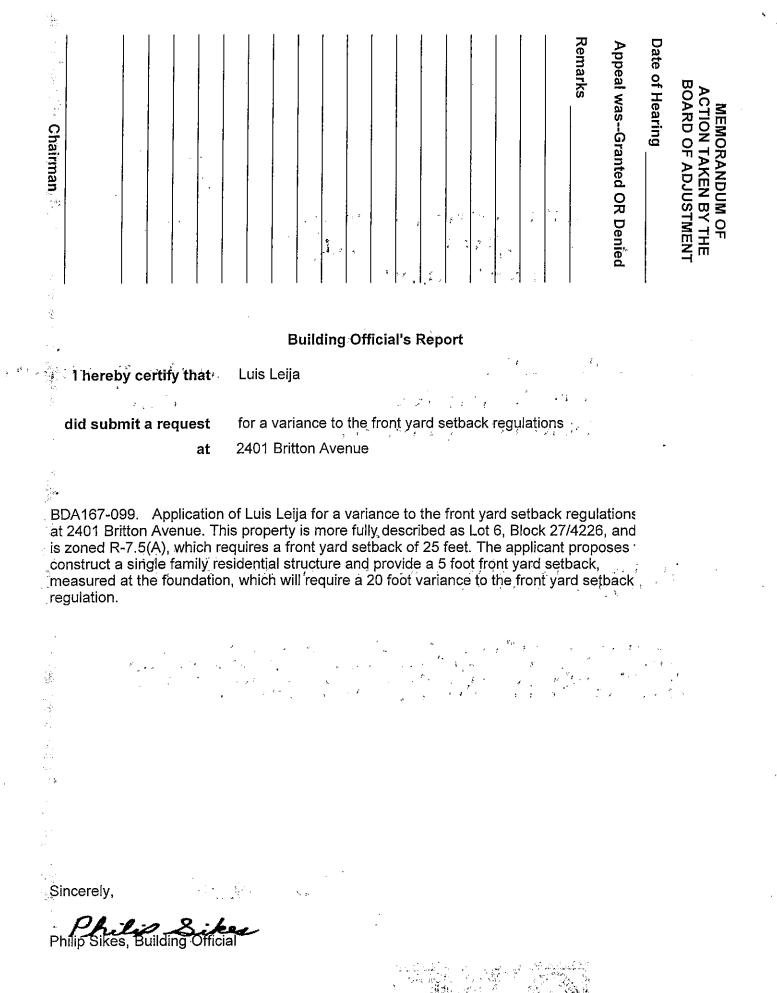
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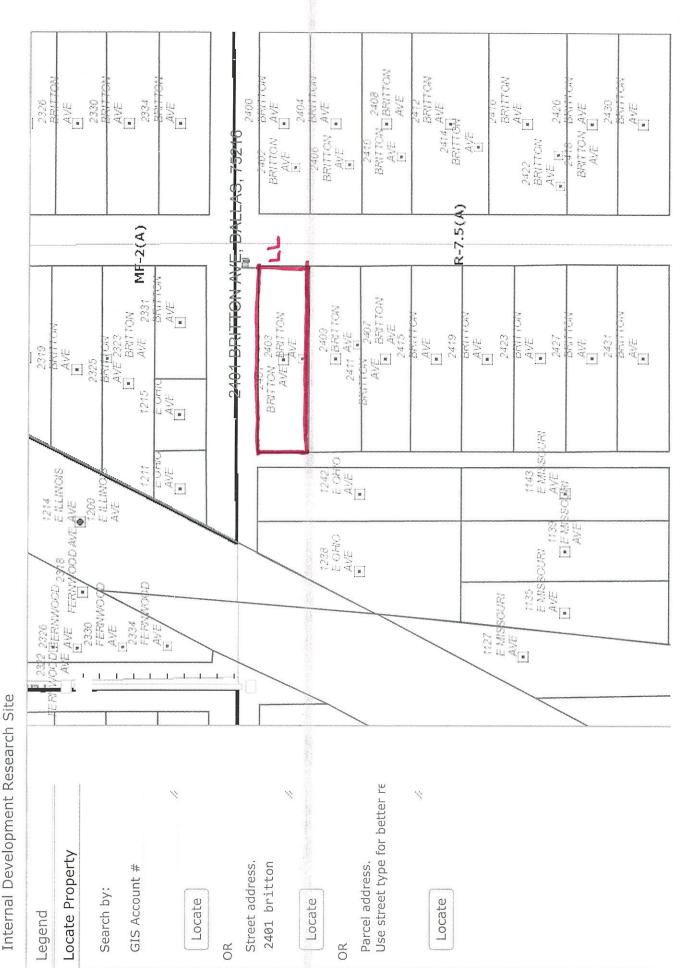
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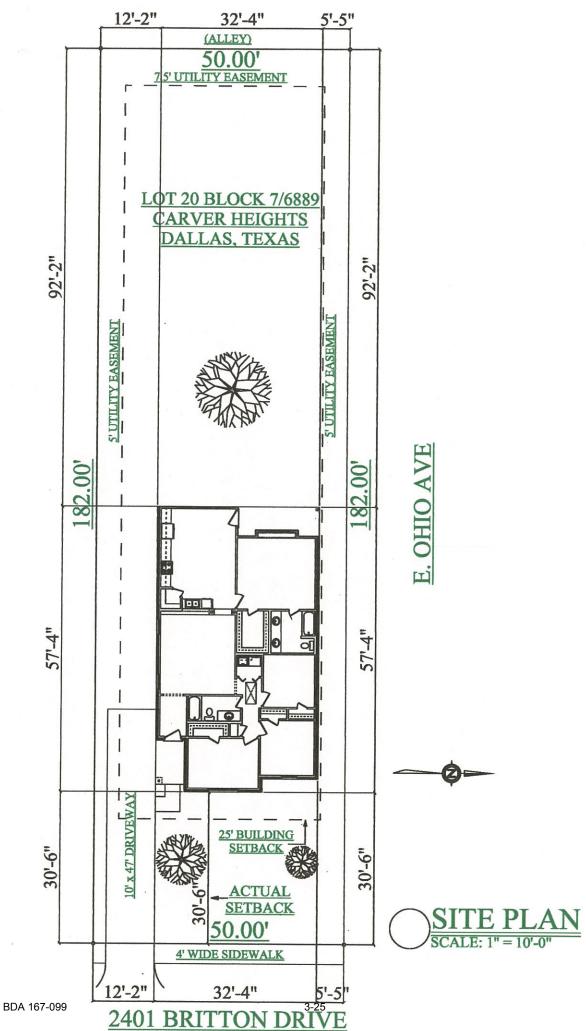
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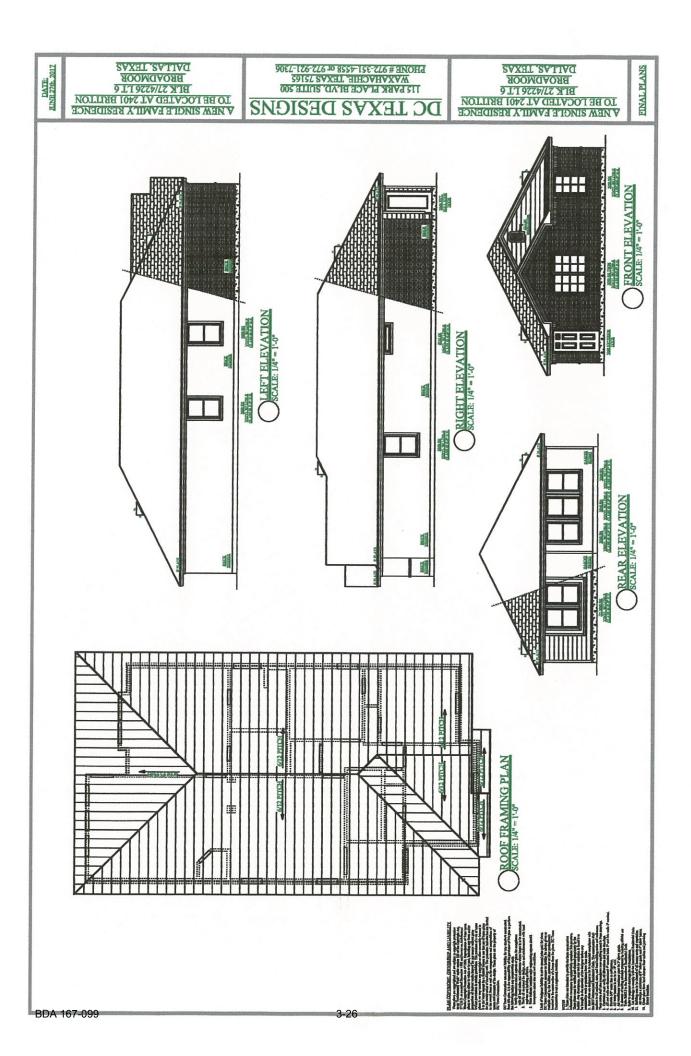


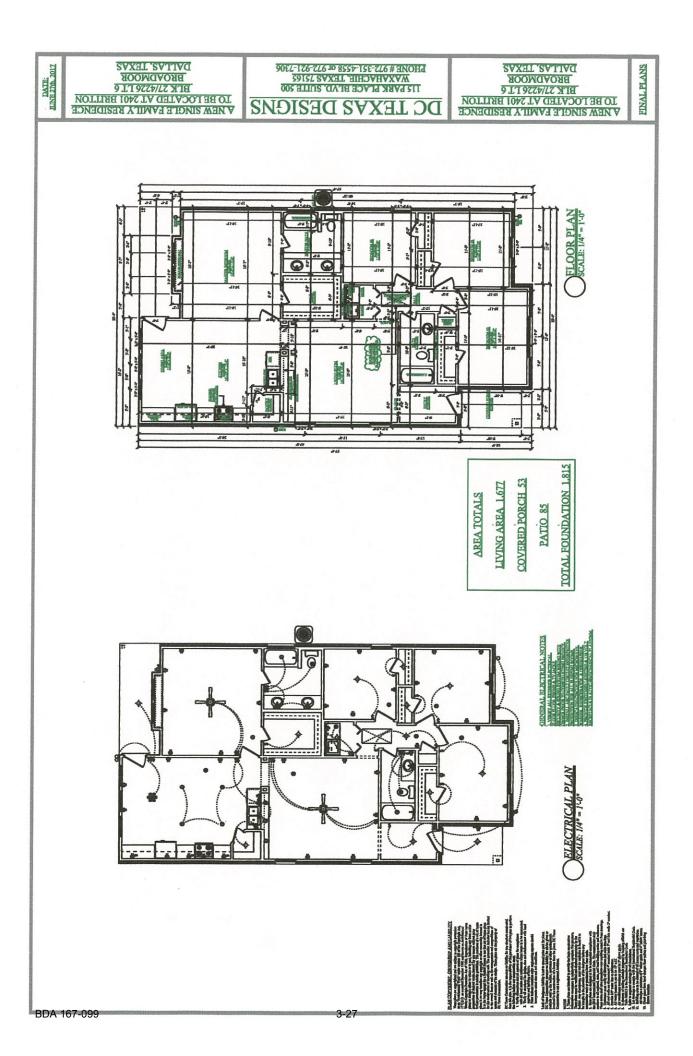


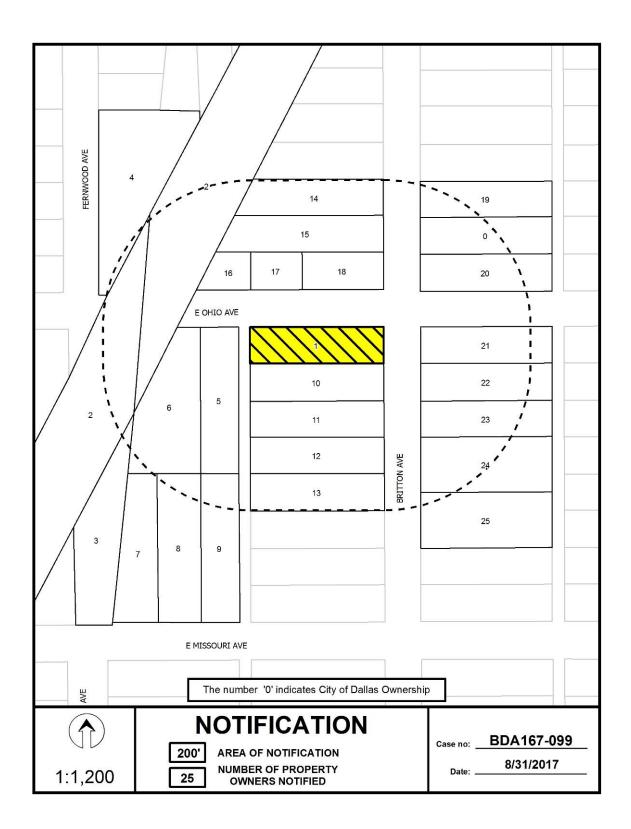
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# Notification List of Property Owners

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### 25 Property Owners Notified

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1	2401	BRITTON AVE	DALLAS NEIGHBORS INC
2	1101	E ELMORE AVE	TEXAS UTILITIES ELEC CO
3	1127	E MISSOURI AVE	WESSON MARY L ESTATE OF
4	2318	FERNWOOD AVE	JIMENEZ PARRO JOSE ANTONIO
5	1242	E OHIO AVE	DALLAS HOSUING ACQUISITION & DEV CORP
6	1238	E OHIO AVE	DADE MALCOLM
7	1135	E MISSOURI AVE	DANIELS EDDIE B
8	1139	E MISSOURI AVE	MARTINEZ YOLANDA GONZALEZ &
9	1143	E MISSOURI AVE	DALLAS HOUSING ACQUISITION & DEV CORP
10	2409	BRITTON AVE	BLACKNOLD HAROLD JR
11	2411	BRITTON AVE	GREEN L T JR
12	2415	BRITTON AVE	GREEN L T
13	2419	BRITTON AVE	REYES PERFECTO
14	2319	BRITTON AVE	CGSZ LLC
15	2325	BRITTON AVE	TRAYLOR WILLIAM C
16	1211	E OHIO AVE	TRAYLOR WILLIAM C & MARLA
17	1215	E OHIO AVE	TRAYLOR MARLA
18	2331	BRITTON AVE	HERNANDEZ OTONIEL
19	2326	BRITTON AVE	RAFTER WALKER REAL EST I
20	2334	BRITTON AVE	JOHNSON BURRELL JR
21	2400	BRITTON AVE	VILLANUEVA ELIZABETH
22	2404	BRITTON AVE	REAGOR KENNETH RAY &
23	2408	BRITTON AVE	MORENO WILLIAM J
24	2412	BRITTON AVE	RAMOS SATURNINO ALVAREZ &
25	2416	BRITTON AVE	CITYWIDE DEVELOPMENT & CONSTRUCTION LLC

### FILE NUMBER: BDA167-081(SL)

**BUILDING OFFICIAL'S REPORT:** Application of Fred Brown for variances to the front and side yard setback regulations at 400 Bobbie Street. This property is more fully described as Lot 1, Block 7/7679, and is zoned R-5(A), which requires a front yard setback of 20 feet and requires a side yard setback of 5 feet. The applicant proposes to construct and maintain a structure and provide a 10 foot front yard setback measured at the foundation, which will require a 10 foot variance to the front yard setback regulations, and provide a 2 foot 6 inch side yard setback measured at the foundation, which will require a 2 foot 6 inch variance to the side yard setback regulations.

LOCATION: 400 Bobbie Street

APPLICANT: Fred Brown

### REQUESTS:

The following requests are made on a site that is undeveloped:

- 1. A variance to the front yard setback regulations of 10' is made to construct and maintain a 1 ½ -story single family home structure to be located 10' from the site's front property line or 10' into this 20' front yard setback.
- 2. A variance to the side yard setback regulations of 2' 6" is made to construct and maintain the aforementioned structure to be located 2' 6" from the site's northern side property line or 2' 6" into this 5' required side yard setback.

## STANDARD FOR A VARIANCE:

The Dallas Development Code specifies that the board has the power to grant variances from the front yard, side yard, rear yard, lot width, lot depth, lot coverage, floor area for structures accessory to single family uses, height, minimum sidewalks, off-street parking or off-street loading, or landscape regulations provided that the variance is:

- (A) not contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done;
- (B) necessary to permit development of a specific parcel of land that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that it cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land with the same zoning; and
- (C) not granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing a parcel of land not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land with the same zoning.

## **ORIGINAL STAFF RECOMMENDATION (August 14, 2017)**:

Denial

While staff recognized that subject site was somewhat sloped and slightly irregular in shape, and that the proposed single family home with approximately 2,000 of "livable area" was commensurate with others homes in the R-5(A) zoning district (the average of 10 other properties zoned R-5(A) from the applicant was approximately 2,300 square feet), staff concluded the slope and shape of the site with slightly over 5,000 square feet in area did not preclude the applicant from developing it with a single family home/use that could comply with the front and side yard setbacks.

## UPDATED STAFF RECOMMENDATION (September 18, 2017):

Denial

 Once again, while staff recognized that subject site was somewhat sloped and slightly irregular in shape, and that the proposed single family home with approximately 2,000 of "livable area" was commensurate with others homes in the R-5(A) zoning district (the average of 10 other properties zoned R-5(A) from the applicant was approximately 2,300 square feet), staff concluded the slope and shape of the site with slightly over 5,000 square feet in area did not preclude the applicant from developing it with a single family home/use that could comply with the front and side yard setbacks.

## BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

### <u>Zoning:</u>

<u>Site</u> :	R-5(A) (Single family district 5,000 square feet)
North:	R-5(A) (Single family district 5,000 square feet)
South:	R-5(A) (Single family district 5,000 square feet)
East:	R-5(A) (Single family district 5,000 square feet)
West:	R-5(A) (Single family district 5,000 square feet)

### Land Use:

The subject site is undeveloped. The areas to the north, south, east, and west are undeveloped.

### Zoning/BDA History:

There has not been any recent related board or zoning cases recorded either on or in the immediate vicinity of the subject site.

### **GENERAL FACTS/STAFF ANALYSIS (front yard variance):**

- The request for a variance to the front yard setback regulations of 10' focuses on constructing and maintaining a 1 ½ -story single family home structure with an approximately 1,500 square foot building footprint to be located 10' from the site's front property line or 10' into the 20' required front yard setback on a site that is undeveloped.
- A 20' front yard setback is required in the R-5(A) zoning district.
- The subject site is located at the northeast corner of Canyon Street and Bobbie Street. The site has one 20' front yard setback, two 5' side yard setbacks, and one 5' rear yard setback.
- The submitted site plan represents that the proposed structure is located 10' from the front property line or 10' into the 20' required front yard setback.
- There are no DCAD records found for property addressed at 400 Bobbie Street.
- The subject site is somewhat sloped, slightly irregular in shape, and according to the submitted application is 0.12 acres (or approximately 5,200 square feet) in area. The site is zoned R-5(A) where lots are typically 5,000 square feet in area.
- The applicant submitted a document (Attachment A) that denoted that the "livable area" of the proposed home on the subject site was approximately 2,000 square feet, and that the average "livable area" of 10 other properties zoned R-5(A) was approximately 2,300 square feet.
- The applicant has the burden of proof in establishing the following:
  - That granting the variance to the front yard setback regulations will not be contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done.
  - The variance is necessary to permit development of the subject site that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that the subject site cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land in districts with the same R-5(A) zoning classification.
  - The variance would not be granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing this parcel of land (the subject site) not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land in districts with the same R-5(A) zoning classification.
- If the Board were to grant the variance request, and impose the submitted site plan as a condition, the structure in the front yard setback would be limited to what is shown on this document— which in this case is a structure that would be located 10' from the site's front property line (or 10' into the 20' required front yard setback).

## GENERAL FACTS/STAFF ANALYSIS (side yard variance):

• The request for a variance to the side yard setback regulations of 2' 6" focuses on constructing and maintaining a 1 ½ -story single family home structure with an approximately 1,500 square foot building footprint to be located 2' 6" from the site's northern side property line or 2' 6" into this 5' required side yard setback on a site that is undeveloped.

- A 5' side yard setback is required in the R-5(A) zoning district.
- The subject site is located at the northeast corner of Canyon Street and Bobbie Street. The site has one 20' front yard setback, two 5' side yard setbacks, and one 5' rear yard setback.
- The submitted site plan represents that the proposed structure is located 2' 6" from the northern side property line or 2' 6" into this 5' required side yard setback.
- There are no DCAD records found for property addressed at 400 Bobbie Street.
- The subject site is somewhat sloped, slightly irregular in shape, and according to the submitted application is 0.12 acres (or approximately 5,200 square feet) in area. The site is zoned R-5(A) where lots are typically 5,000 square feet in area.
- The applicant submitted a document (Attachment A) that denoted that the "livable area" of the proposed home on the subject site was approximately 2,000 square feet, and that the average "livable area" of 10 other properties zoned R-5(A) was approximately 2,300 square feet.
- The applicant has the burden of proof in establishing the following:
  - That granting the variance to the side yard setback regulations will not be contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done.
    - The variance is necessary to permit development of the subject site that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that the subject site cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land in districts with the same R-5(A) zoning classification.
    - The variance would not be granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing this parcel of land (the subject site) not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land in districts with the same R-5(A) zoning classification.
- If the Board were to grant the side yard variance request, and impose the submitted site plan as a condition, the structure in the side yard setback would be limited to what is shown on this document- which in this case is a structure that would be located 2' 6" from the site's northern side property line or 2' 6" into this 5' required side yard setback.

## Timeline:

- April 21, 2017: The applicant submitted an "Application/Appeal to the Board of Adjustment" and related documents which have been included as part of this case report.
- July 11, 2017: The Board of Adjustment Secretary randomly assigned this case to Board of Adjustment Panel C.

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  - an attachment that provided the public hearing date and panel that will consider the application; the July 26<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence for staff to factor into their analysis; and the August 4<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence to be incorporated into the Board's docket materials;
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  - the Board of Adjustment Working Rules of Procedure pertaining to documentary evidence.
- August 1, 2017: The applicant submitted additional documentation on this application to the Board Administrator beyond what was submitted with the original application (see Attachment A).
- August 1, 2017: The Board of Adjustment staff review team meeting was held regarding this request and the others scheduled for August public hearings. Review team members in attendance included: the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Director of Engineering, the Board of Adjustment Chief Planner, the Sustainable Development and Construction Interim Assistant Building Official, the Board Administrator, the Building Inspection Senior Plans Examiner/Development Code Specialist, the Chief Arborist, the Sustainable Development and Construction Department Senior Planner, and the Assistant City Attorney to the Board.

No review comment sheets were submitted in conjunction with this application.

- August 14, 2017: The Board of Adjustment Panel C conducted a public hearing on this application. A person appeared on behalf of the applicant and submitted additional information to the Board at the public hearing (see Attachment B). The Board delayed action on this application until their next public hearing to be held on September 18, 2017.
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### BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT ACTION: AUGUST 14, 2017

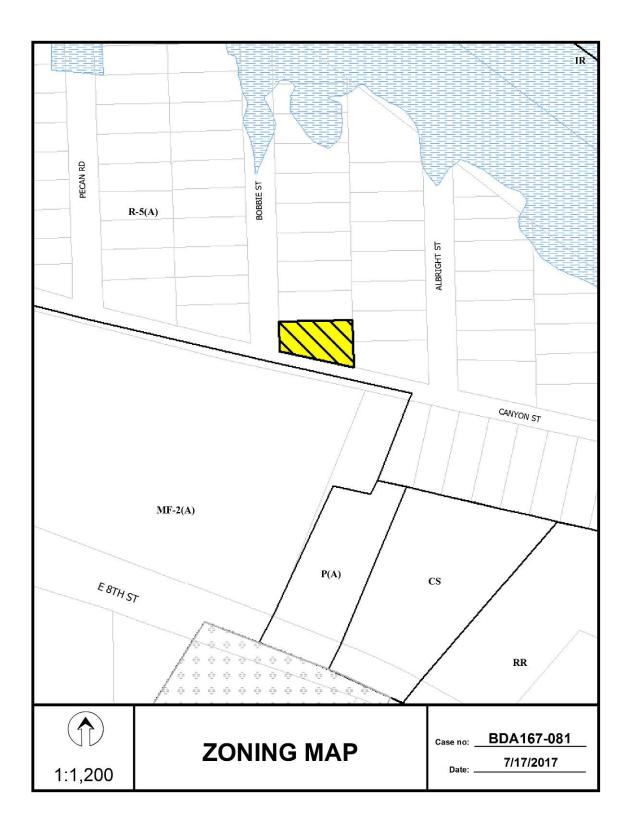
<u>APPEARING IN FAVOR</u>: Brian Williams, 134666 Thunderbrook Dr.. DeSoto, TX

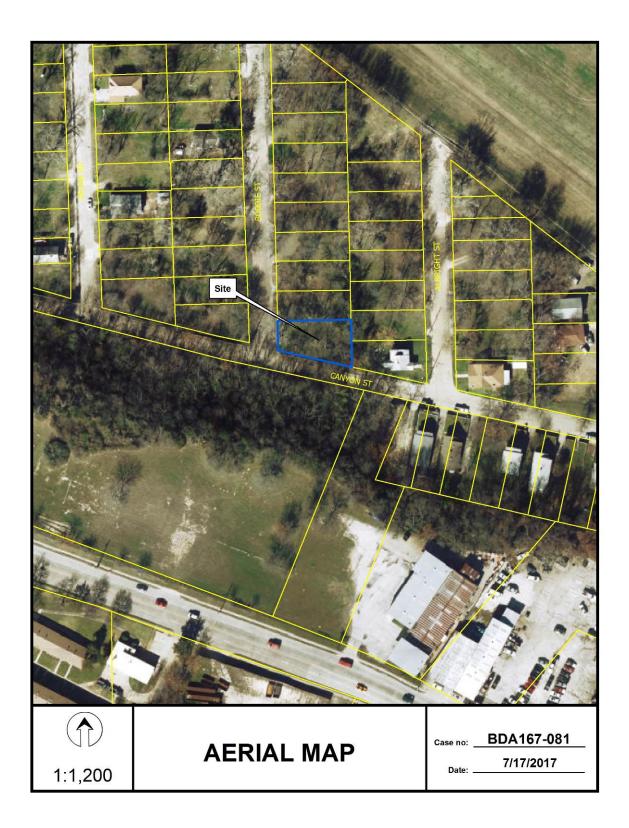
### APPEARING IN OPPOSITION: No one

### MOTION: Foster

I move that the Board of Adjustment, in Appeal **No. BDA 167-081**, hold this matter under advisement until **September 18, 2017.** 

<u>SECONDED</u>: **Agnich** <u>AYES</u>: 5 – Richardson, Foster, Gambow, Agnich, Lewis <u>NAYS</u>: 0 <u>MOTION PASSED</u>:5 – 0 (unanimously)





# EDA167-031 Attach A

## 400 Bobbie Street

The subject property, 400 Bobbie Street is zoned R5(A), which states that the minimum lot area for residential use is 5000/sf. Although 400 Bobbie Street is over the 5000/sf requirement (which is a rarity in The Bottom neighborhood) at 5,254/sf, the irregular pie shape of the lot creates significant challenges in delivering commensurate development to The Bottom neighborhood that is commensurate of other R5(A) zoning in the city of Dallas. In lieu of the unique configuration and limitations of the site, we are asking for relief to existing 20' front and 5' side yard setback requirements, and asking for a variance for the front yard of 10' and 2'6" for the side yard to mitigate building limitations for 400 Bobbie Street created by the irregularity of the pie shaped lot configuration. The requested variance is consistent with the spirit, purpose and intent of our effort to deliver commensurate development to the revitalization of The Bottom neighborhood that is commensurate of other R5(A) zoning in the city of Dallas.

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In addition to delivering commensurate development to The Bottom that is commensurate of other R5(A) zoning in the city of Dallas, this variance request strives to ensure that the standard of housing options in The Bottom meet the intent of the design guidelines adopted for the neighborhood in 2015 (The Bottom Urban Structure) and establish a benchmark for single-family housing that define the community's vision and prioritizes a framework to realize the potential for the area. As such, this is one of the first of the twenty lots that we are in partnership with the City of Dallas, or have purchased from the City of Dallas that will be submitted for variances this year. The fundamental objective is to provide a more sustainable and equitable redevelopment approach while we work on a comprehensive zoning plan for the entirety of The Bottom. These are the bones from which we will begin the transformation of this once strong and vital single-family neighborhood and build a diverse, sustainable community, reviving the original spirit of The Bottom - a place for new beginnings and greater opportunity.

## BDA167-081 Attach B PS Submitted by PS app at 8-14 hearing

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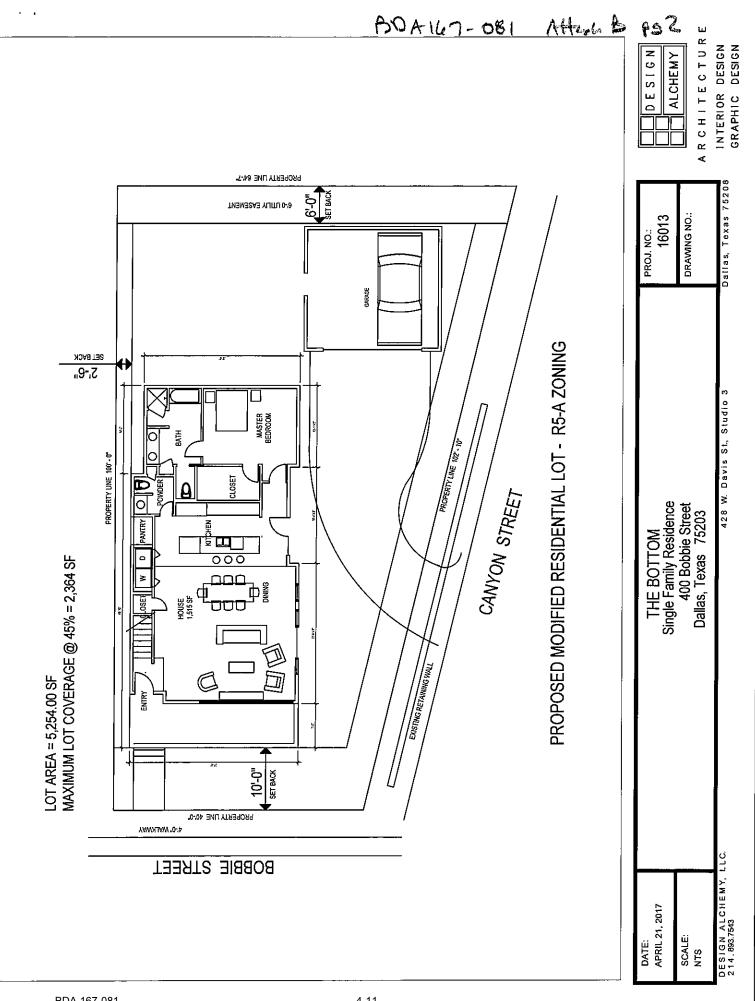
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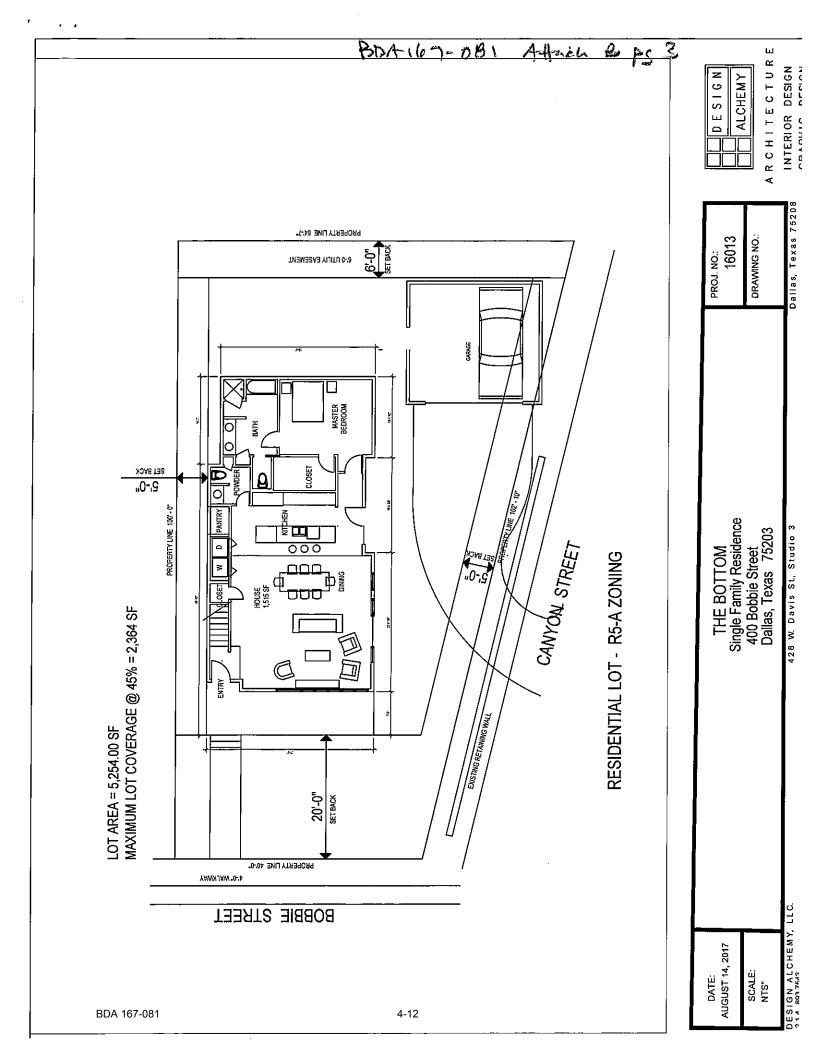
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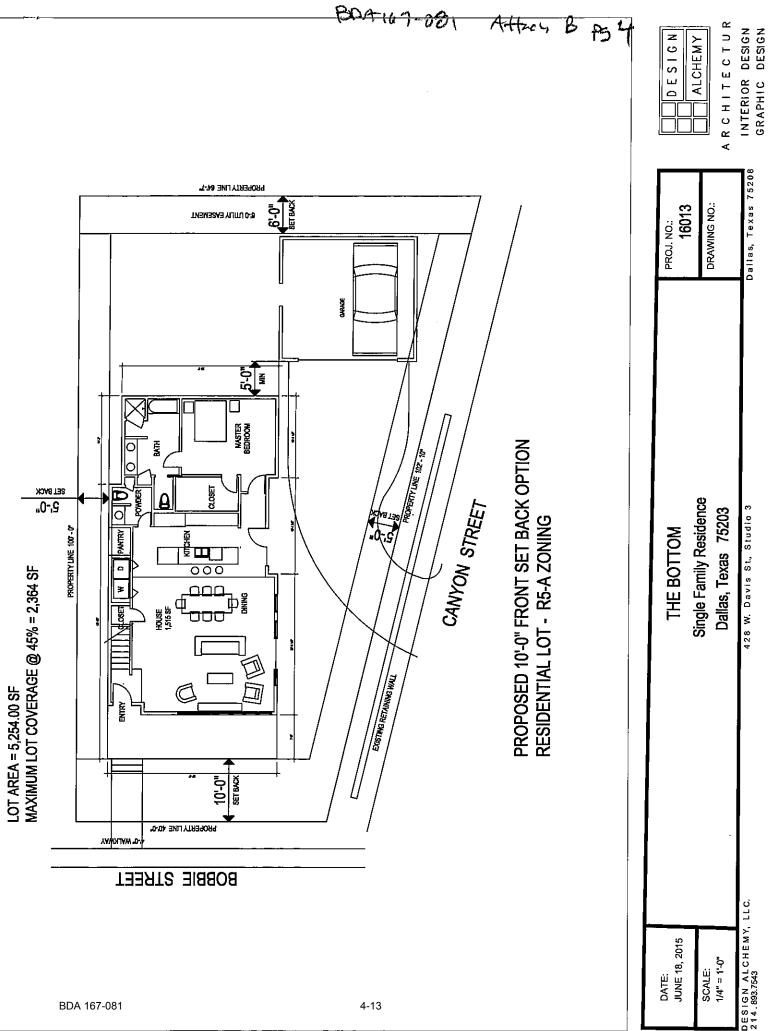
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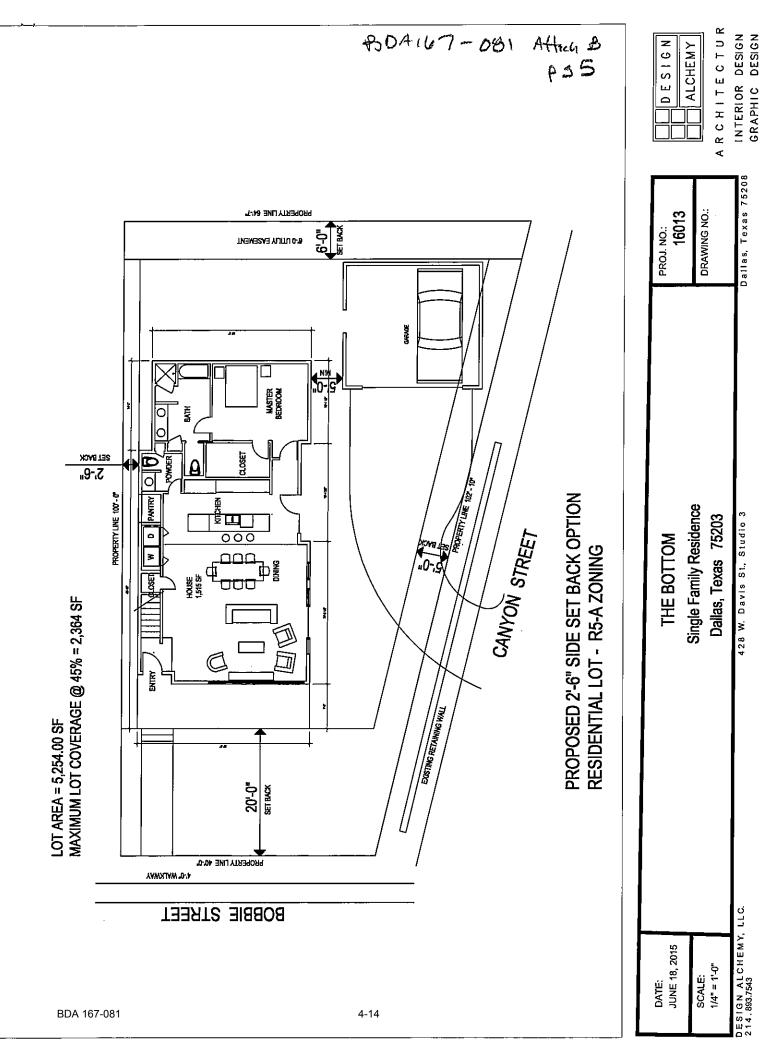
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#### APPLICATION/APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

	Case No.: BDA <u>167-08</u>				
Data Relative to Subject Property:	Date: 4/21/2017				
Location address:400 Bobbie Street	_Zoning District:				
Lot No.: <u>1</u> Block No.: <u>7/7679</u> Acreage: <u>2</u>	Census Tract:				
Street Frontage (in Feet): 1) 40 2) 3)	4) 5)				
To the Honorable Board of Adjustment :					
Owner of Property (per Warranty Deed): <u>B&amp; J Custom Homes dba R</u>	Redline Development Group				
Applicant: Fred Brown					
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 3578, Cedar Hill, Texas	Zip Code: <u>75104</u>				
E-mail Address: <u>brownfred@bjcustomhomes.com</u>	-				
Represented by: <u>Fred Brown</u>					
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 3578, Cedar Hill, Texas Zip Code: 75104					
E-mail Address: brownfred@bjcustomhomes.com					
Affirm that an appeal has been made for a Variance X, or Special Exception , of, of, Front Yard Setback (10') Side Yard Setback (2'6'')					
Application is an in the Decision of the Decis					

Application is made to the Board of Adjustment, in accordance with the provisions of the Dallas Development Code, to grant the described appeal for the following reason:

The subject property, 400 Bobbie Street is zoned R5A, which states that the minimum lot area for residential use is 5000/sf. Although 400 Bobbie Street is over the 5000/sf requirement, the irregular shape of the lot creates significant challenges to delivering commensurate development to The Bottom neighborhood. In lieu of the unique configuration and limitations of the site, we are asking for relief to existing 20' front and 5' side yard setback requirements, and asking for a variance for the front yard of 10' and 2'6" for the side yard to mitigate building limitations for 400 Bobbie Street. The requested variance is consistent with the spirit, purpose and intent of our effort to deliver commensurate development to the revitalization of The Bottom neighborhood.

**Note to Applicant:** If the appeal requested in this application is granted by the Board of Adjustment, a permit must be applied for within 180 days of the date of the final action of the Board, unless the Board specifically grants a longer period.

#### Affidavit

Before me the undersigned on this day personally appeared \_\_\_\_

Fred Brown (Affiant/Applicant's name printed)

who on (his/her) oath certifies that the above statements are true and correct to his/her best knowledge and that he/she is the owner/or principal/or authorized representative of the subject property.

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Subscribed and swo BRENDA ARANGO Notary ID # 129096315 My Commission Expires BDA 600 08108-2020	In to before me this $2$ day o	Brenda	. 2017 August d for Dallas County, Texas

Chairman	MEMORANDUM OF ACTION TAKEN BY THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT Appeal wasGranted OR Denied Remarks		
	Building Official's Report		
I hereby certify that	Fred Brown		
did submit a request	for a variance to the front yard setback regulations, and for a variance to the side yard setback regulations		
at	400 Bobbie Street		

BDA167-081. Application of Fred Brown for a variance to the front yard setback regulations and a variance to the side yard setback regulations at 400 Bobbie Street. This property is more fully described as Lot 1, Block 7/7679, and is zoned R-5(A), which requires a front yard setback of 20 feet and requires a side yard setback of 5 feet. The applicant proposes to construct a single family residential structure and provide a 10 foot front yard setback measured at the foundation, which will require a 10 foot variance to the foundation, which will require a 2 foot 6 inch side yard setback regulation.

Sincerely,

Sikes, Building Official Philip

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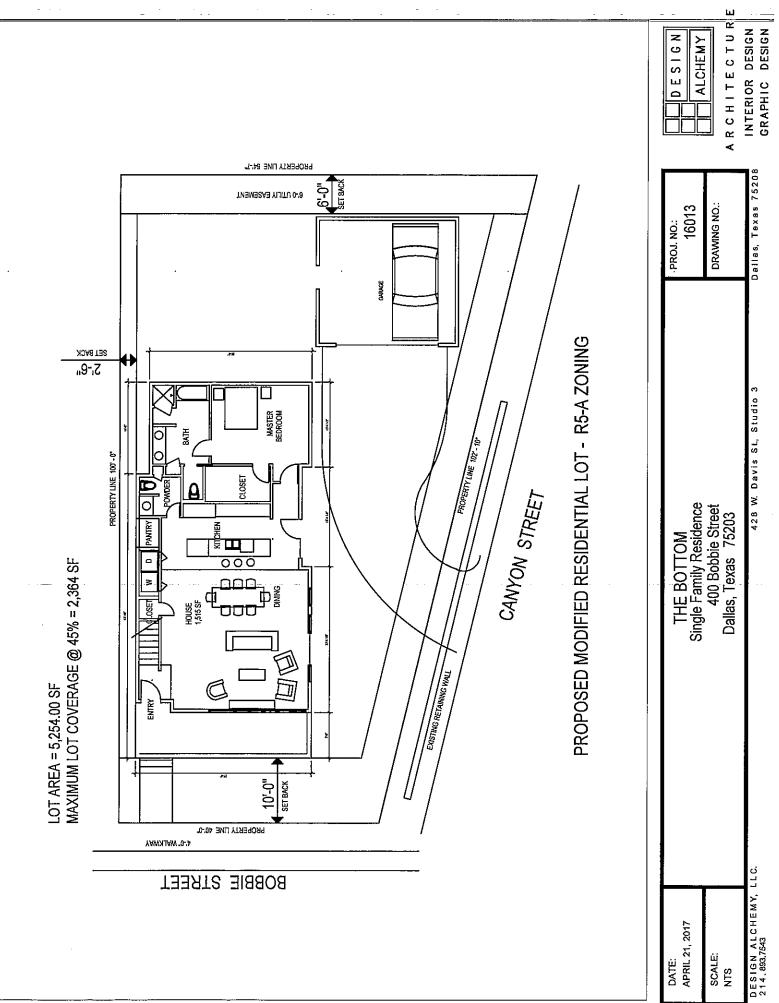




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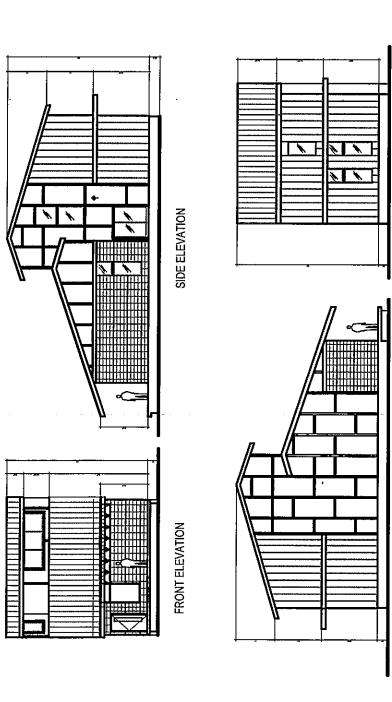


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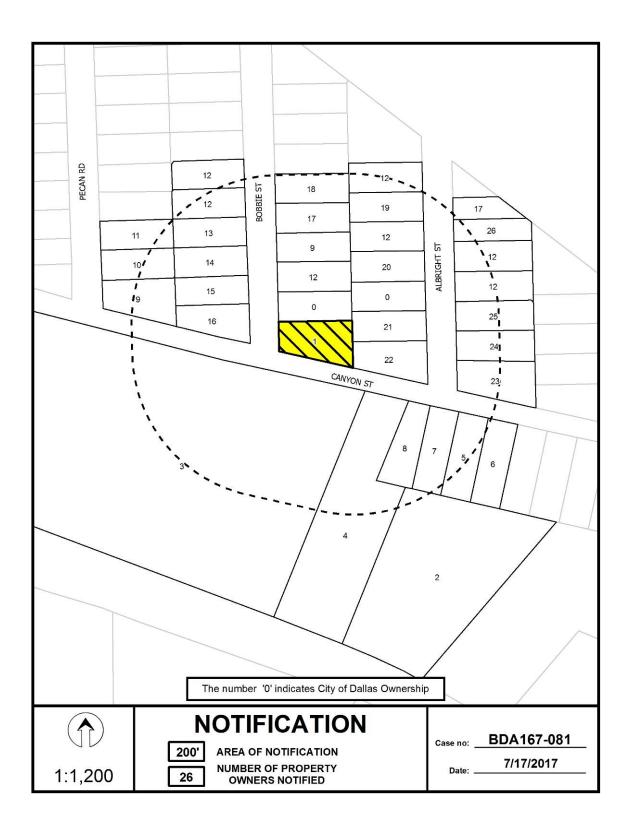
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# Notification List of Property Owners

## BDA167-081

### 26 Property Owners Notified

Label #	Address		Owner
1	400	BOBBIE ST	PAYNE DORA EST
2	1609	E 8TH ST	1609 PARTNERS LLC
3	1515	E 8TH ST	EAST EIGHTS STREET GROUP LLC
4	1607	E 8TH ST	THERM PROCESSES INC
5	2004	CANYON ST	FORTSON LEON EST OF
6	2006	CANYON ST	APEX FINANCIAL CORP
7	2002	CANYON ST	LISTER WILLIE JR
8	2000	CANYON ST	CALAHAN STACEY L &
9	400	PECAN DR	TEXAS HEAVENLY HOME BUILDERS LTD
10	402	PECAN DR	DALLAS HOUSING ACQUISITION & DEV CORP
11	404	PECAN DR	PARKER DE LAWRENCE
12	411	BOBBIE ST	TEXAS HEAVENLY HOMES LTD
13	407	BOBBIE ST	MCFARLAND GLADYS MARIE
14	405	BOBBIE ST	CANYON O C & DELMA
15	403	BOBBIE ST	FAIRCHILD M E
16	401	BOBBIE ST	SMITH NAOMI JOE
17	408	BOBBIE ST	TEXAS HEAVENLY HOMES
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23	400	ALBRIGHT ST	GAMBER MONTY
24	402	ALBRIGHT ST	J E M COLOR INC
25	404	ALBRIGHT ST	J E M COLOR INC
26	410	ALBRIGHT ST	NEW COVENANT PENTECOSTAL EVANGELIST HOLY TEMPLE

### FILE NUMBER: BDA167-100(SL)

**BUILDING OFFICIAL'S REPORT:** Application of Steve Gottsaker, represented by John Hamilton, for a special exception to the landscape regulations at 2820 Reagan Street. This property is more fully described as Lot 9, 10, & 11, Block 2/1336, and is zoned PD-193 (MF-2), which requires mandatory landscaping. The applicant proposes to construct and/or maintain a structure and provide an alternate landscape plan, which will require a special exception to the landscape regulations.

- LOCATION: 2820 Reagan Street
- APPLICANT: Steve Gottsaker Represented by John Hamilton

### REQUEST:

A request for a special exception to the landscape regulations is made to construct and maintain an approximately 450 square foot office structure on a site developed with a 1960's multifamily use, and not fully provide required landscaping.

### STANDARD FOR A SPECIAL EXCEPTION TO THE LANDSCAPE REQUIREMENTS IN OAK LAWN:

Section 51P-193-126(a)(4) of the Dallas City Code specifies that the board may grant a special exception to the landscaping requirements of this section if, in the opinion of the Board, the special exception will not compromise the spirit and intent of this section. When feasible, the Board shall require that the applicant submit and that the property comply with a landscape plan as a condition to granting the special exception.

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Denial

Rationale:

• The City of Dallas Chief Arborist recommends denial of the applicant's request because it is viewed that the limited planting plan does compromise the spirit and intent of the PD 193 landscape regulations for multifamily development.

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Site:	PD 193 (MF-2) (Planned Development, Multifamily)
North:	PD 193 (MF-2) (Planned Development, Multifamily)
South:	PD 193 (MF-3) (Planned Development, Multifamily)
East:	PD 193 (MF-2) (Planned Development, Multifamily))
West:	PD 193 (MF-2) (Planned Development, Multifamily))

### Land Use:

The subject site is developed with a multifamily use that according to DCAD was constructed in 1967. The areas to the north, east, south, and west are developed with multifamily uses.

### Zoning/BDA History:

There has not been any recent related board or zoning cases recorded either on or in the immediate vicinity of the subject site.

### **GENERAL FACTS/ STAFF ANALYSIS:**

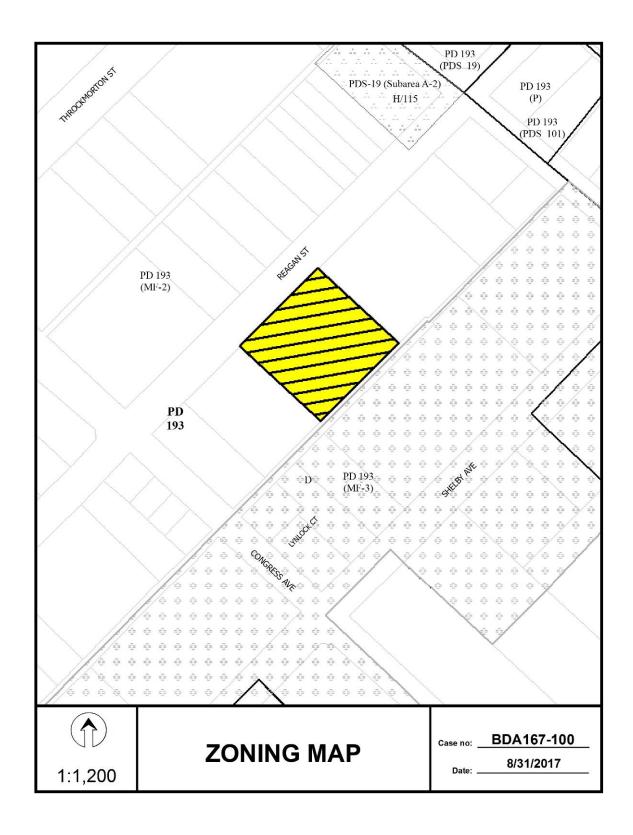
- This request for a special exception to the landscape regulations focuses on constructing and maintaining an approximately 450 square foot office structure on a site developed with a 1960's multifamily use, and not fully providing required landscaping. More specifically, according to the City of Dallas Chief Arborist, the proposed alternate landscape plan is deficient in surface parking area screening, sidewalk and street tree, and landscape site area, general planting area, and special planting area requirements of the PD 193 landscape requirements.
- PD 193 states that the landscape, streetscape, screening, and fencing standards shall become applicable to uses (other than to single family and duplex uses in detached structures) on an individual lot when work is performed on the lot that increases the existing building height, floor area ratio, or nonpermeable coverage of the lot unless the work is to restore a building that has been damaged or destroyed by fire, explosion, flood, tornado, riot, act of the public enemy, or accident of any kind.
- The City of Dallas Chief Arborist submitted a memo regarding the applicant's request (see Attachment A). The Chief Arborist states the applicant is requesting a special exception to the landscape regulations of PD 193 (MF-2) related to a building permit for construction with an increase of 450 square feet of new floor area, which will require compliance with PD 193.126 landscape regulations).

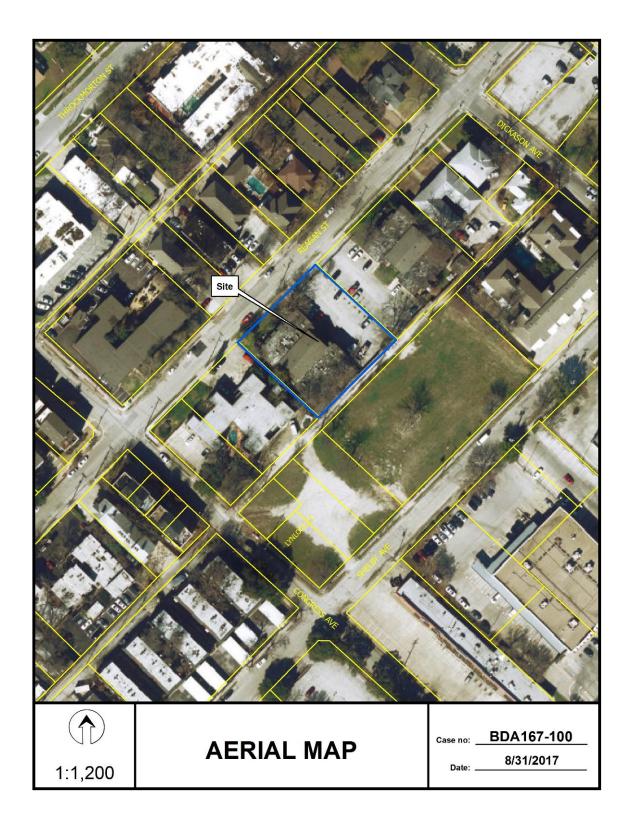
- The Chief Arborist states how the submitted alternate landscape plan provides for existing landscaping within the interior of the property and introduces two 'street trees' and two 'site trees' in the required front yard, and three 'new site trees' behind the main structure; that an existing 'street tree' in the parking lot is incorrectly located; and that the plan does not provide a list of tree sizes or species to be applied on the landscape.
- The Chief Arborist's memo states the following regarding deficiencies:
  - 1. An automatic irrigation system is not specified. (.126(b)(2)).
  - 2. All surface parking is required to be screened at a minimum height of 3.5 feet above the parking surface. No screening of parking is provided and paved parking surfaces are established in the required front yard adjacent to the driveway entries. (.126(b)(3)).
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- The Chief Arborist's memo lists the following factors for consideration:
  - 1. The property has an existing multifamily use with a planned small office addition.
  - 2. The placement of four large trees in the required front yard would be favorable to avoid planting large trees under overhead electric utility lines in the parkway.
  - 3. The property was built and maintained before the PD 193 regulations were initiated. In 2015, the property was renovated, and established large trees and other landscaping, including large shrubs in front of a recessed front yard fence, were removed from the front and rear of the lot. Permits have not been identified to determine the scope of work which included a patio area shown on the landscape plan and the new fence in the required front yard.
- The City of Dallas Chief Arborist recommends denial of this request because it is viewed that the limited planting plan does compromise the spirit and intent of the PD 193 landscape regulations for multifamily development.
- The applicant has the burden of proof in establishing the following:
  - The special exception (where an alternate landscape plan has been submitted that is deficient in meeting the surface parking area screening, sidewalk and street tree, and landscape site area, general planting area, and special planting area requirements of the PD 193 landscape requirements) will not compromise the spirit and intent of Section 51P-193-126: Landscape, streetscape, screening, and fencing standards".

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# Memorandum



DateSeptember 6, 2017ToSteve Long, Board AdministratorSubjectBDA #167-100 Arborist report - 2820 Reagan Street

#### Request

The applicant is requesting a special exception to the landscape regulations of PD 193 (MF-2). A building permit has been submitted for construction with an increase of 450 square feet of new floor area, which will require compliance with PD 193.126 landscape regulations.

#### Provision

The alternate landscape plan provides for existing landscaping within the interior of the property and introduces two 'street trees' and two 'site trees' in the required front yard, and three 'new site trees' behind the main structure. An existing 'street tree' in the parking lot is incorrectly located. The plan does not provide a list of tree sizes or species to be applied on the landscape.

#### Deficiencies

- An automatic irrigation system is not specified. (.126(b)(2))
- All surface parking is required to be screened at a minimum height of 3.5 feet above the parking surface. No screening of parking is provided and paved parking surfaces are established in the required front yard adjacent to the driveway entries. (.126(b)(3))
- Sidewalks in residential districts are required at a minimum of 4' wide and between 5 and 10' from back of curb. The sidewalks are at about 4 feet from back of curb. (.126(b)(4))
- Trees of 3.5" caliper are required within the tree planting zone of 2.5 5' from back of curb at 1 per 25 feet of frontage. Four trees are located in the required front yard. (.126(b)(5))
- The alternate landscape plan does not designate the amount of the required 20% landscape site area (50% required front yard), nor the applicable General Planting Area, or Special Planting Areas on the property. A minimum of 20% of the parkway must be designated as parkway planting area. (.126(f)). The following table is added for reference.
- Designated Landscape Areas / Features · MF subdistricts

	Front yard setback = 15'
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area %'s in sqft	Landscape Site Area 20%		a General Planting Area 50% (of LSA)		Special Planting Area 20% (of GPA)	
Lot Area						
Required FY	500	%	25%		5%	
	Required	Provided	Required	Provided	Required soft / plants	Provided s qft / plants
Lot Area			Guide			
Required FY						

A minimum of 20% of the parkway must be designated as parkway planting area

#### Factors

- The property has an existing multifamily use with a planned small office addition.
- The placement of four large trees in the required front yard would be favorable to avoid planting large trees under overhead electric utility lines in the parkway.
- The property was built and maintained before the PD 193 regulations were initiated. In 2015, the property was renovated, and established large trees and other landscaping, including large shrubs in front of a recessed front yard fence, were removed from the front and rear of the lot. Permits have not been identified to determine the scope of work which included a patio area shown on the landscape plan and the new fence in the required front yard.

#### Recommendation

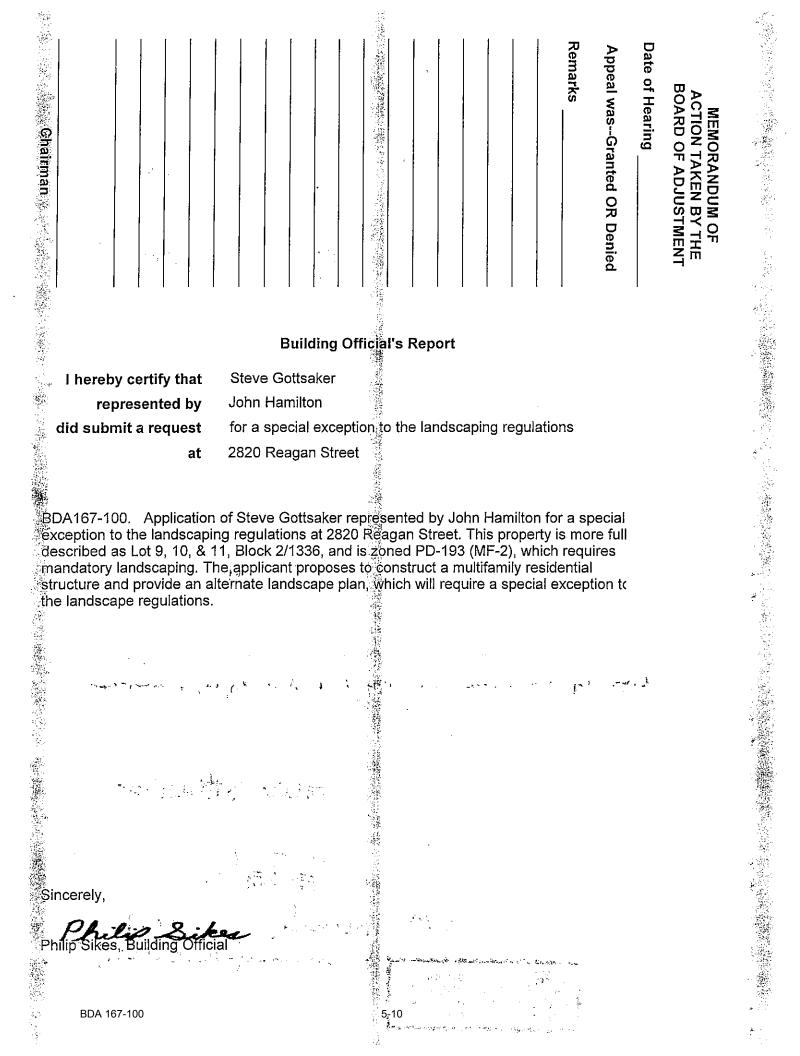
The chief arborist recommends denial of the alternate landscape plan because it is viewed that the limited planting plan does compromise the spirit and intent of the PD 193 landscape regulations for multifamily development.

Philip Erwin Chief Arborist Building Inspection

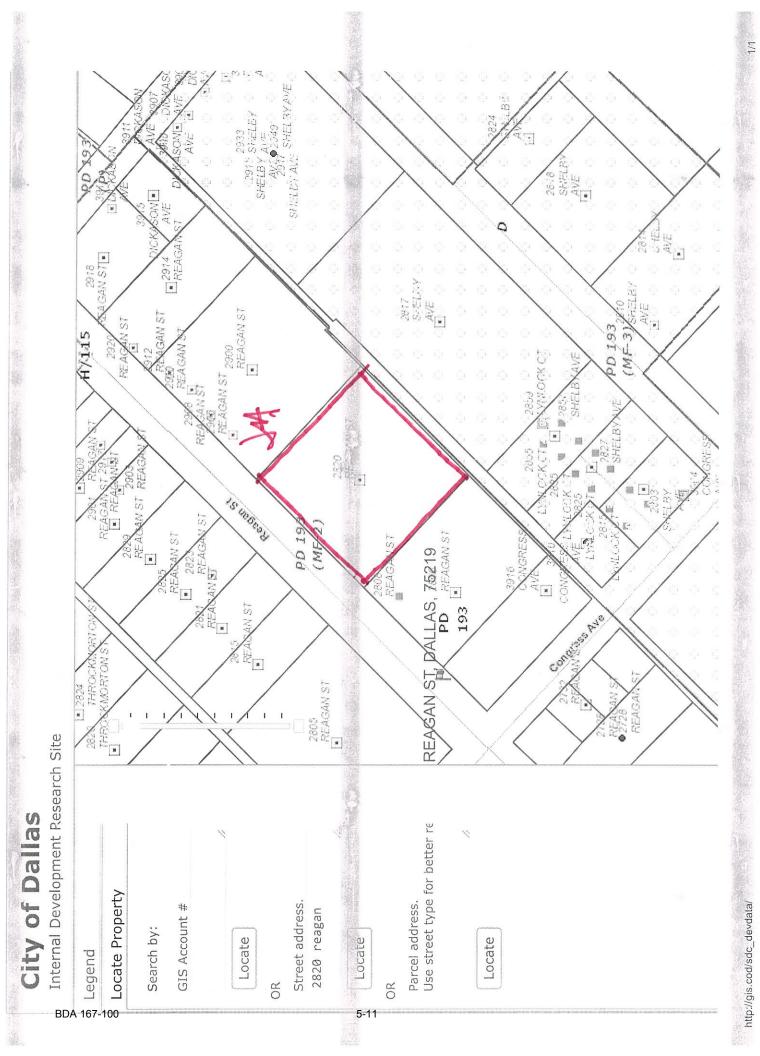


# APPLICATION/APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

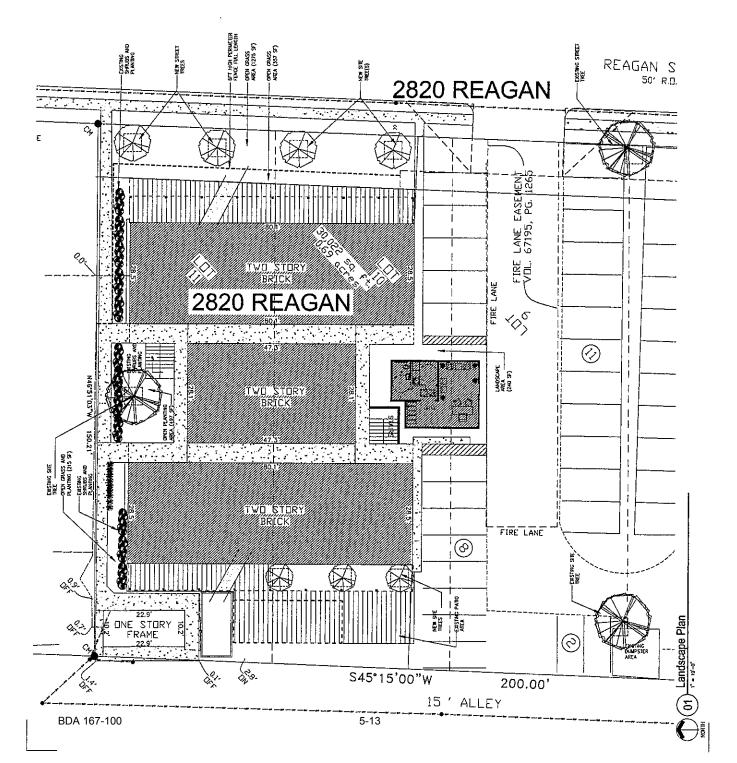
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Data Relative to Subject Property: Date: 6/21/17	
Location address: 2820 REAGAN ST. Zoning District: PP-1	93 (MF-2)
Lot No.: 9/10/11 Block No.: 2/1336 Acreage: .517 Census Tract: 5.00	
Street Frontage (in Feet): 1)_200 3) 4) 5)	
To the Honorable Board of Adjustment :	
Owner of Property (per Warranty Deed): SPG Apont MEMTS ESpenANZA	,LLC
Applicant: STEVE GOTISAKER Telephone: 214.80	8.0616
Mailing Address: 2820 FEAGAN Zip Code:	
E-mail Address: STEVE Q GOTTBROS, COM	
Represented by: HAMILTON Telephone:	
Mailing Address: 2602 N. CAPROIL AVE #4309 Zip Code: 75:	204
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Before me the undersigned on this day personally appeared Steve Gottsache	v
(Affiant/Applicant's name printed) who on (his/her) oath certifies that the above statements are true and correct to his/her knowledge and that he/she is the owner/or principal/or authorized representative of the sub property. Respectfully submitted:	best
(Affiant/Applicant's signature)	
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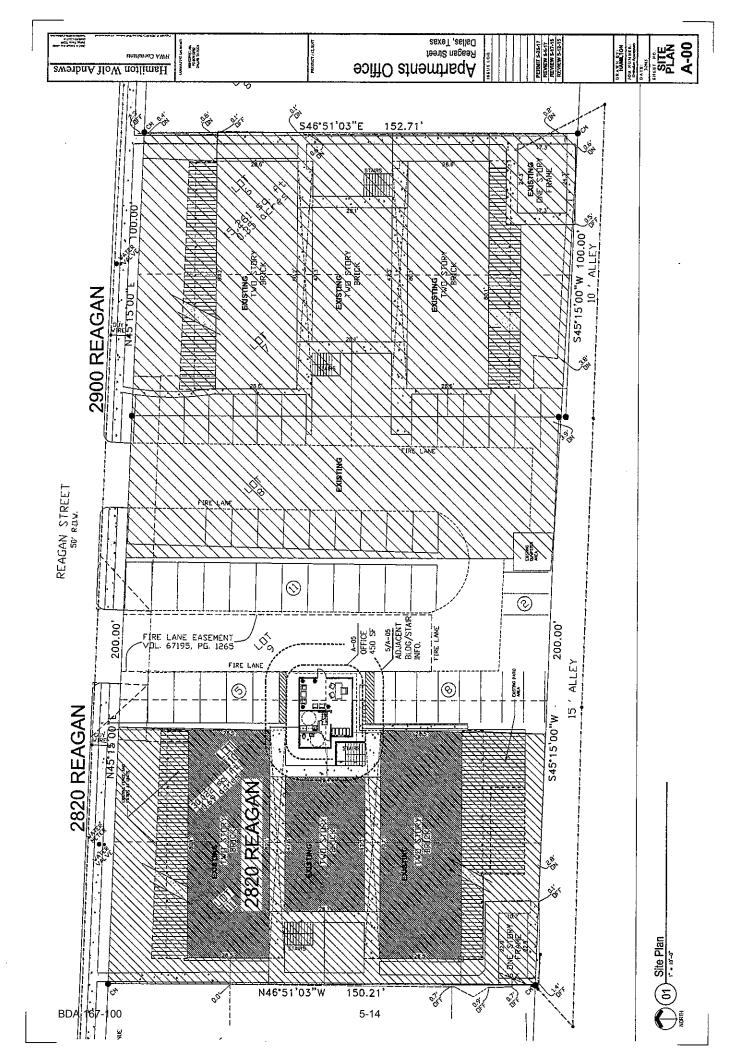


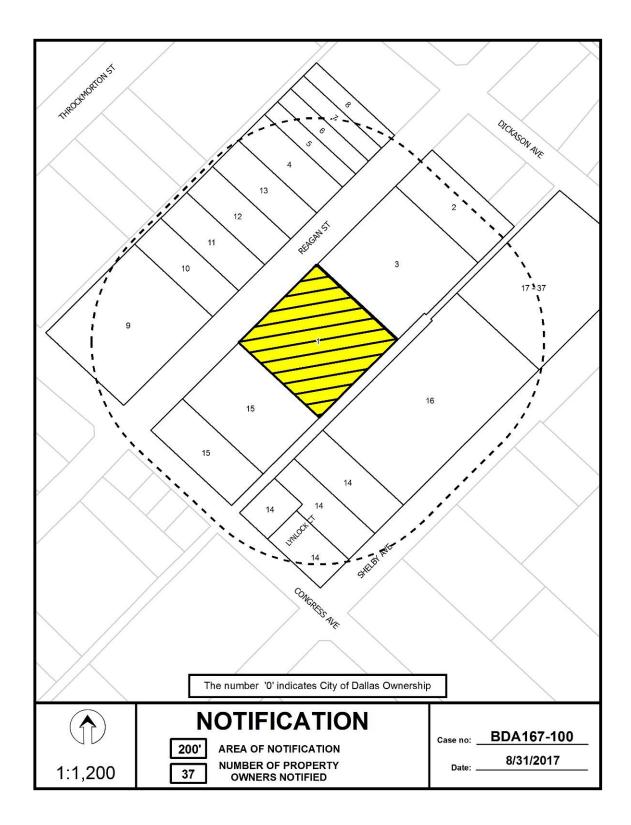


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# Notification List of Property Owners

# BDA167-100

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Label #	Address		Owner
1	2820	REAGAN ST	SPG APARTMENTS ESPERANZA LLC
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3	2900	REAGAN ST	SPG APARTMENTS ESPERANZA LLC
4	2901	REAGAN ST	WEISFELD HERSCHEL ALAN
5	2909	REAGAN ST	RODRIGUEZ ALAN F
6	2911	REAGAN ST	JIANG SHUKMAN OLIVIA
7	2913	REAGAN ST	HUGH ROGER P &
8	2915	REAGAN ST	ZELMAN BRIAN &
9	2805	REAGAN ST	LH 2805 REAGAN LLC
10	2815	REAGAN ST	CINCO ACES PROPERTIES LLC
11	2821	REAGAN ST	REAGAN TERRACE LLC
12	2825	REAGAN ST	S WALSH DESIGN LLC
13	2829	REAGAN ST	ELLERBACH LYLE
14	3910	CONGRESS AVE	TEXAS INTOWNHOMES LLC
15	2806	REAGAN ST	LH 2806 REAGAN LLC
16	2817	SHELBY AVE	GUEFENLIGHT SHELBY LLC
17	2907	SHELBY AVE	KELSCH DAVID R
18	2909	SHELBY AVE	BUSHE PRISCILLA W
19	2929	SHELBY AVE	MAH YEE CHING
20	2931	SHELBY AVE	BERG JOHN RYAN
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22	2927	SHELBY AVE	BOLDEN LARRY
23	2947	SHELBY AVE	ALLEN DENZEL
24	2949	SHELBY AVE	THRESHER STUART D
25	2911	SHELBY AVE	MENDOLIA PAUL JR
26	2913	SHELBY AVE	RAMIREZ VIRGINIA NOEMI SANZ

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27	2915	SHELBY AVE	JJEMMA LLC
28	2919	SHELBY AVE	DUGAS KEVIN
29	2921	SHELBY AVE	519 LLC
30	2923	SHELBY AVE	HEADINGS THEODORE H
31	2933	SHELBY AVE	<b>RIVIELLO CHRISTINE</b>
32	2935	SHELBY AVE	BRAY WADE
33	2937	SHELBY AVE	RODRIGUEZ ROSA M
34	2939	SHELBY AVE	JACOBSEN DESIREE A
35	2941	SHELBY AVE	SIGLER JACOB M
36	2943	SHELBY AVE	YOUNG KAREN E
37	2945	SHELBY AVE	OBRIEN ANN LOUISE

#### FILE NUMBER: BDA167-104(SL)

**BUILDING OFFICIAL'S REPORT:** Application of Dave Bornheim, represented by Nate Farish, for a variance to the front yard setback regulations at 7303 Casa Loma Avenue. This property is more fully described as Lot 1, Block E/2738, and is zoned R-7.5(A), which requires a front yard setback of 15 feet. The applicant proposes to construct and/or maintain a structure and provide a 6 foot 6 inch front yard setback, measured at the roof eave, which will require an 8 foot 6 inch variance to the front yard setback regulations.

LOCATION: 7303 Casa Loma Avenue

APPLICANT: Dave Bornheim Represented by Nate Farish

#### REQUEST:

A request for a variance to the front yard setback regulations of 8' 6" is made to maintain a two-story single family home structure with an approximately 3,400 square foot building footprint, part of which is located 6' 6" from one of the site's two front property lines (Tucker Street) or 8' 6" into this 15' front yard setback.

#### STANDARD FOR A VARIANCE:

The Dallas Development Code specifies that the board has the power to grant variances from the front yard, side yard, rear yard, lot width, lot depth, lot coverage, floor area for structures accessory to single family uses, height, minimum sidewalks, off-street parking or off-street loading, or landscape regulations provided that the variance is:

- (A) not contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done;
- (B) necessary to permit development of a specific parcel of land that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that it cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land with the same zoning; and
- (C) not granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing a parcel of land not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land with the same zoning.

# **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Denial

Rationale:

 While staff recognized at the time of the September 5<sup>th</sup> staff review team meeting that the subject site is unique and different from most lots in the R-7.5(A) zoning district in that it is restrictive in area due to having two front yard setbacks, staff concluded that the applicant had not substantiated that the development on the site was commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land with the same R-7.5(A) zoning.

## BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

## <u>Zoning:</u>

<u>Site</u> :	R-7.5(A) (Single family residential 7,500 square feet)
North:	MF-2(A) (Multifamily)
South:	R-7.5(A) (Single family residential 7,500 square feet)
East:	R-7.5(A) (Single family residential 7,500 square feet)
<u>West</u> :	R-7.5(A) (Single family residential 7,500 square feet)

# Land Use:

The subject site is developed with a two-story single family home structure. The area to the north is developed with a multifamily use, and the areas to the east, south, and west are developed with single family uses.

## Zoning/BDA History:

1. BDA145-047, Property located at 7303 Casa Loma Avenue (the subject site) On March 31, 2015, the applicant withdrew a request for a variance to the front yard setback regulations of 3' that had been tentatively scheduled to be heard by Board of Adjustment Panel C on April 20, 2015.

# **GENERAL FACTS/STAFF ANALYSIS:**

- This request for variance to the front yard setback regulations of 8' 6" focuses on maintaining a two-story, approximately 5,000 square foot single family home structure (with an approximately 3,400 square foot building footprint), part of which is to be located 6' 6" from one of the site's two front property lines (Tucker Street) or 8' 6" into this 15' front yard setback.
- The property is located in an R-7.5(A) zoning district which requires a minimum front yard setback of 25 feet.

- The subject site is located at the east corner of Casa Loma Avenue and Tucker Street. Regardless of how the structure is oriented to front Casa Loma Avenue, the subject site has front yard setbacks along both street frontages. The site has a 25' front yard setback along Casa Loma Avenue, the shorter of the two frontages, which is always deemed the front yard setback on a corner lot in this zoning district. The site also has a 15' front yard setback along Tucker Street\*, the longer of the two frontages of this corner lot, which is typically regarded as a side yard where a 5' side yard setback is required. But the site's Tucker Street frontage that functions as a side yard on the property is treated as a front yard setback established by the lot (currently developed as a multifamily use and zoned MF-2(A)) to the northeast that fronts/is oriented northwestward towards Tucker Street. (\*The Dallas Development Code states that if street frontage within a block is divided by two or more zoning districts, the front yard for the entire block must comply with the requirements of the district with the greater front yard requirement).
- The submitted scaled site plan indicates that a portion of the existing structure is located 6' 6" from the Tucker Street front property line or 8' 6" into this 15' front yard setback.
- According to DCAD records, the "main improvement" for property addressed at 7303 Casa Loma Avenue is a structure built in 2016 with 4,500 square feet of living/total area, and the "additional improvements" is a 484 square foot attached garage.
- The subject site is somewhat sloped, rectangular in shape (145' x 60'), and according to the submitted application is 8,700 square feet in area. The site is zoned R-7.5(A) where lots are typically 7,500 square feet in area.
- Most lots in the R-7.5(A) zoning district have one 25' front yard setback, two 5' side yard setbacks, and one 5' rear yard setback; this site has two front yard setbacks (one 25' front yard setback on Casa Loma Avenue; one 15' front yard setback on Tucker Street) and two 5' side yard setbacks.
- On September 7, 2017, the owner of the subject site submitted information that represented the total square feet on the property was 5,053, and that average square footage of 21 other properties in the same R-7.5(A) zoning was 5,008. (Note that this information was not factored into the staff recommendation since it was submitted after the September 5<sup>th</sup> staff review team meeting).
- The 60' wide subject site has 40' of developable width available once a 15' front yard setback is accounted for on the northwest and a 5' side yard setback is accounted for on the southeast. If the lot were more typical to others in the zoning district with only one front yard setback, the 60' wide site would have 50' of developable width.
- If the subject site were more typical to other parcels of land in the same zoning district (one front yard, one rear yard, and two side yards), no variance would be required since the applicant is providing a 6' 6" setback (the side yard setback for properties zoned R-7.5(A) is 5') on the west side of the site that is a front yard.
- The applicant has the burden of proof in establishing the following:
  - That granting the variance to the front yard setback regulations will not be contrary to the public interest when, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of this chapter would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and substantial justice done.

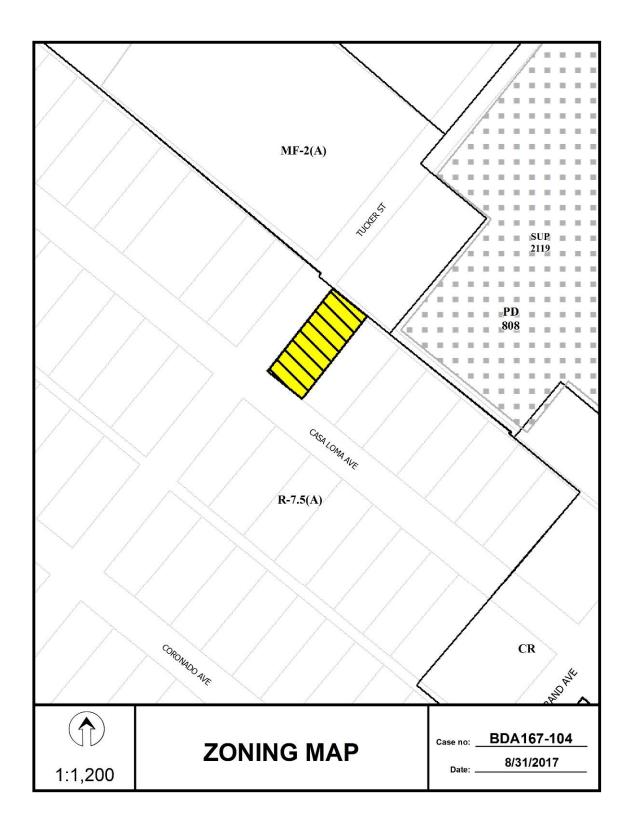
- The variance is necessary to permit development of the subject site that differs from other parcels of land by being of such a restrictive area, shape, or slope, that the subject site cannot be developed in a manner commensurate with the development upon other parcels of land in districts with the same R-7.5(A) zoning classification.
- The variance would not be granted to relieve a self-created or personal hardship, nor for financial reasons only, nor to permit any person a privilege in developing this parcel of land (the subject site) not permitted by this chapter to other parcels of land in districts with the same R-7.5(A) zoning classification.
- If the Board were to grant the variance request, and impose the submitted site plan as a condition, the structure in the front yard setback would be limited to what is shown on this document which in this case is a structure that is located 6' 6" from the site's Tucker Street front property line (or 8' 6" into this 15' front yard setback).

#### Timeline:

- July 20, 2017: The applicant submitted an "Application/Appeal to the Board of Adjustment" and related documents which have been included as part of this case report.
- August 8, 2017: The Board of Adjustment Secretary assigned this case to Board of Adjustment Panel C. This assignment was made in order to comply with Section 9 (k) of the Board of Adjustment Working Rule of Procedure that states, "If a subsequent case is filed concerning the same request, that case must be returned to the panel hearing the previously filed case".
- August 8, 2017: The Board Administrator emailed the applicant the following information:
  - an attachment that provided the public hearing date and panel that will consider the application; the August 30<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence for staff to factor into their analysis; and the September 8<sup>th</sup> deadline to submit additional evidence to be incorporated into the Board's docket materials;
  - the criteria/standard that the board will use in their decision to approve or deny the request; and
  - the Board of Adjustment Working Rules of Procedure pertaining to "documentary evidence."
- September 5, 2017: The Board of Adjustment staff review team meeting was held regarding this request and the others scheduled for September public hearings. Review team members in attendance included: the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Director of Engineering, the Sustainable Development and Construction Assistant Building Official, the Board Administrator, the Building Inspection Senior Plans Examiner/Development and Construction Department Senior Planner, and the Assistant City Attorney to the Board.

No review comment sheets were submitted in conjunction with this application.

September 7, 2017: The owner of the subject site submitted additional information to staff beyond what was submitted with the original application (see Attachment A). Note that this information was not factored into the staff recommendation since it was submitted after the September 5<sup>th</sup> staff review team meeting.





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#### Long, Steve

From: Sent: To: Subject: Attachments: x Eric Messer <eric@ericmesser.com> Thursday, September 07, 2017 9:58 PM Long, Steve Re: 7303 Casa Loma 7303 Casa Loma Compairables.pdf

Steve,

I cannot thank you enough for spending the time with me and helping be navigate through the process. Your department has been great.

As I mentioned, my builder (New Summit Homes) is not responding to me or providing any information on this matter. Therefore, if possible, I would like to remove Nate Farish as my representative and have all communication directed to me, the home owner. (See contact information below)

I am providing you with information that I hope will help you and your board better understand the need for a variance and show that the property at 7303 Casa Loma is commensurate to other properties zoned R-7.5(A). I have attached a list of properties that I believe are comparable in lot size and home square footage.

The home as constructed at 7303 Casa Loma is 5053 square feet and the lot is .2 acres. The compairables are all within a couple of hundred feet in square footage and similar lot size. 7303 Casa Loma is a corner lot and some of the properties used to compare are also corner lots.

7303 Casa Loma is a corner lot and zoned with two front yards and two side yards. The front yard facing Casa Loma has a 25-foot setback and the front yard facing Tucker has a 15-foot set back. It is the front yard facing Tucker that is causing the hardship. The restrictions caused by the current setbacks are not self-created and do not allow for a home to be built that will meet current market values based on land values for the area.

I understand that the variance should have been requested prior to construction, however due to various circumstances this was overlooked. The home currently is not contrary to the public interest and as mentioned above is commensurate with other properties zoned R-7.5(A) as shown on the attached list.

I am asking that the board adjust the set-backs for 7303 Casa Loma. This will include that the front yard faces Casa Loma and has a 25 foot set-back, two side yards each with 5 foot set-backs (one on the East side of the property and the other adjacent to Tucker) and the back yard facing the alley.

Thank you for your time and feel free to contact me with any questions. I look forward to seeing you again soon.

Eric Messer 972-741-6887 eric@ericmesser.com

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#### LIST OF PROPERTIES ZONED R-7.5(A)

	Subject Address	SqFt Total	Lot Size Area	Lot Location	Zoned
	7303 Casa Loma	5053	0.2	Corner	R-7.5(A)
	Comparable Address	SqFt Total	Lot Size Area	Lot Location	Zoned
1	6942 La Vista	5031	0.184		R-7.5(A)
2	7019 La Vista Drive	4,971	0.188		R-7.5(A)
3	6816 Woodland Drive	5,255	0.2		R-7.5(A)
4	6722 Vanderbilt Avenue	4,545	0.179		R-7.5(A)
5	6704 Woodland	5,258	0.196	Corner	R-7.5(A)
6	7006 Shook Avenue	4,617	0.183		R-7.5(A)
7	6540 Sondra Drive	5,017	0.206		R-7.5(A)
8	6733 Lake Circle Drive	5,017	0.214	Corner	R-7.5(A)
9	6713 Lake Circle Drive	4,800	0.184		R-7.5(A)
10	7803 Amherst Avenue	5,049	0.193		R-7.5(A)
11	8414 Ridgelea Street	4,911	0.17		R-7.5(A)
12	5000 W. Hanover Ave.	4,868	0.199	Corner	R-7.5(A)
13	7314 Centenary Ave.	5,190	0.2		R-7.5(A)
14	4428 Greenbrier Dr.	5,056	0.192		R-7.5(A)
15	4325 Caruth	5,197	0.185		R-7.5(A)
16	7319 Centenary Ave.	5,136	0.203		R-7.5(A)
17	6547 Lake Circle	5,004	0.214		R-7.5(A)
18	4111 Rock Creek	5,138	0.213		R-7.5(A)
19	5426 Purdue Ave	4,862	0.206		R-7.5(A)
20	6600 Vanderbilt	5,127	0.198	Corner	R-7.5(A)
21	4930 Elsby Ave	5,126	0.199		R-7.5(A)
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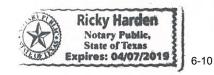


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Location address: <u>1303 CASA LOMA AVE</u> .	Zoning District: <u>R-7.5(4)</u>
Lot No.: Block No.: E/2738 Acreage: 8760	Census Tract: 7.00
Street Frontage (in Feet): 1) 60' 2) 145' 3)	4) 5)
To the Honorable Board of Adjustment :	
Owner of Property (per Warranty Deed): MESSER HOLD NAS	ERIES LAC-SER NES 1303CL
Applicant: Dave BORNHEIM	Telephone: 817-819-2222
Mailing Address: 1901 CENTRA De. #100 BEDFORD, TK.	Zip Code: 76021
E-mail Address: dave Onew summithomes. com	
Represented by: NATE FARISH	Telephone: 817-889-3998
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Before me the undersigned on this day personally appeared	Fiant/Applicant's name printed)
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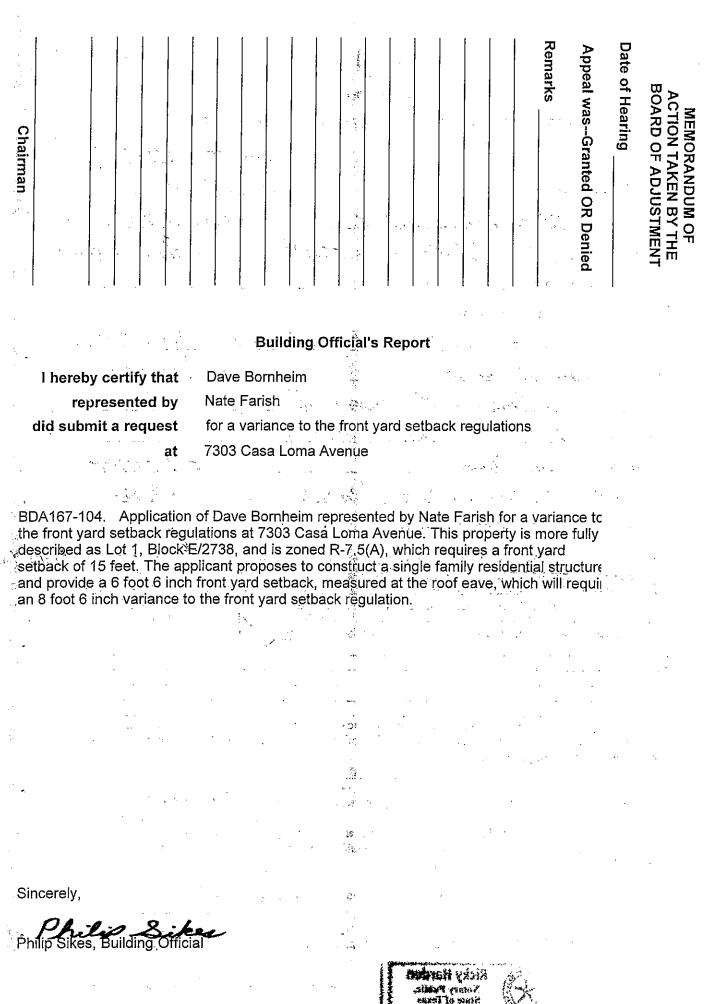
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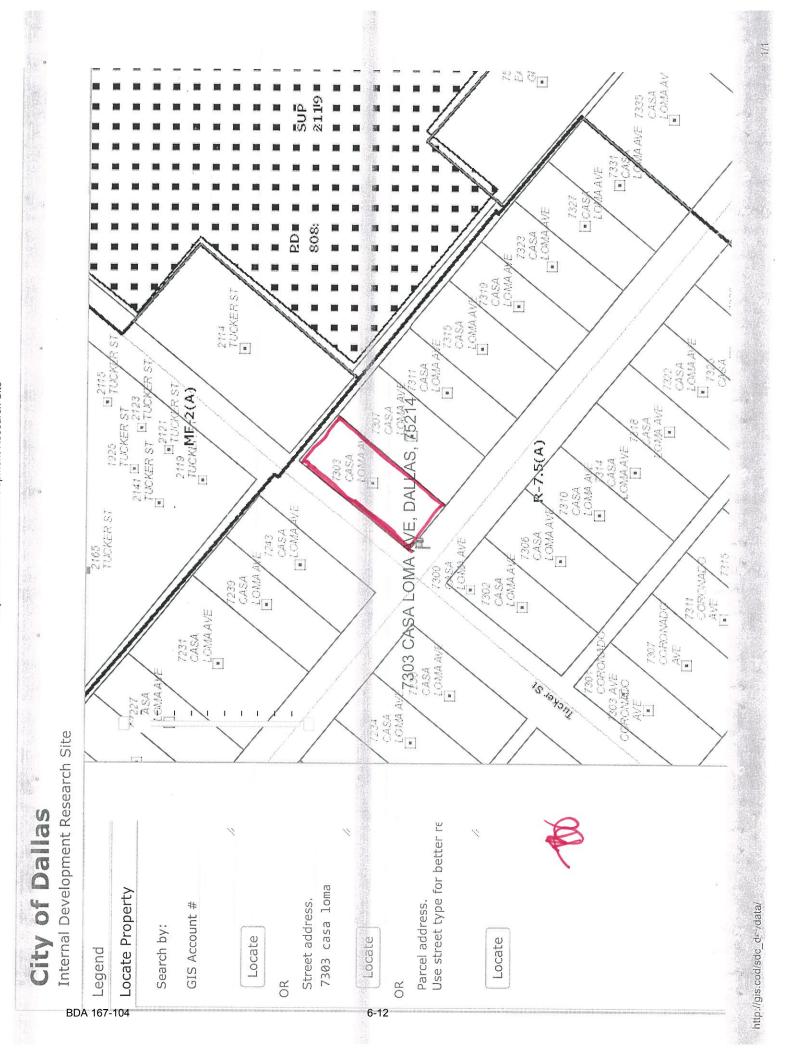


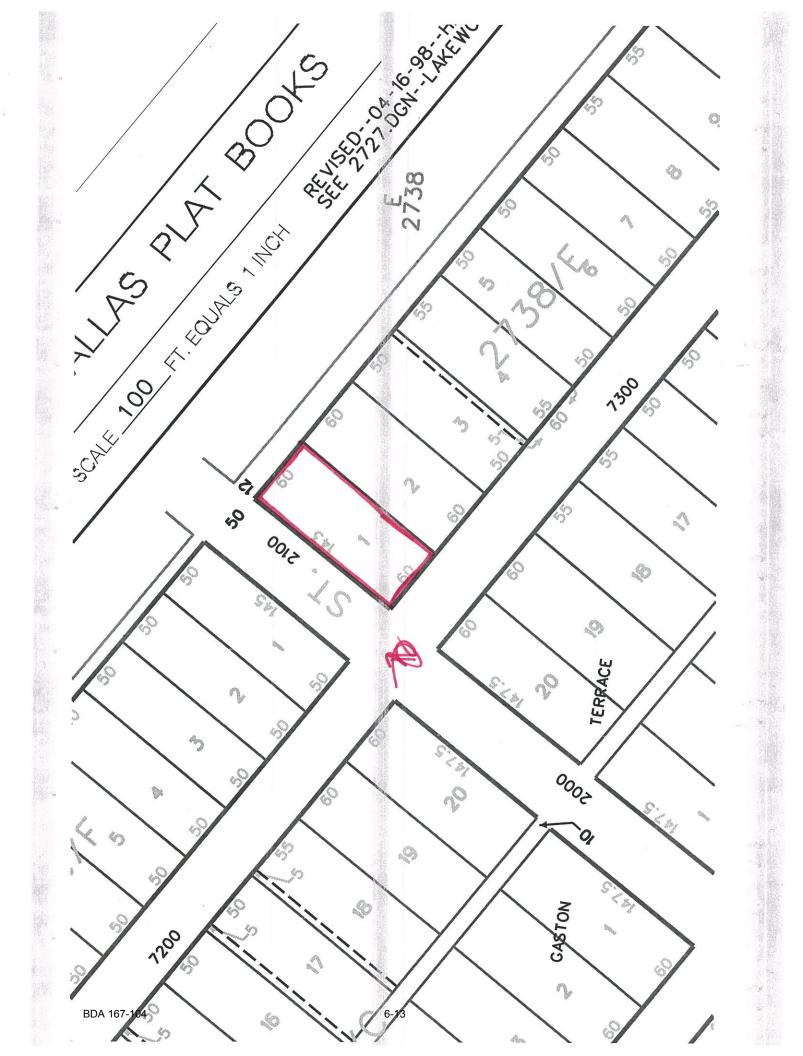
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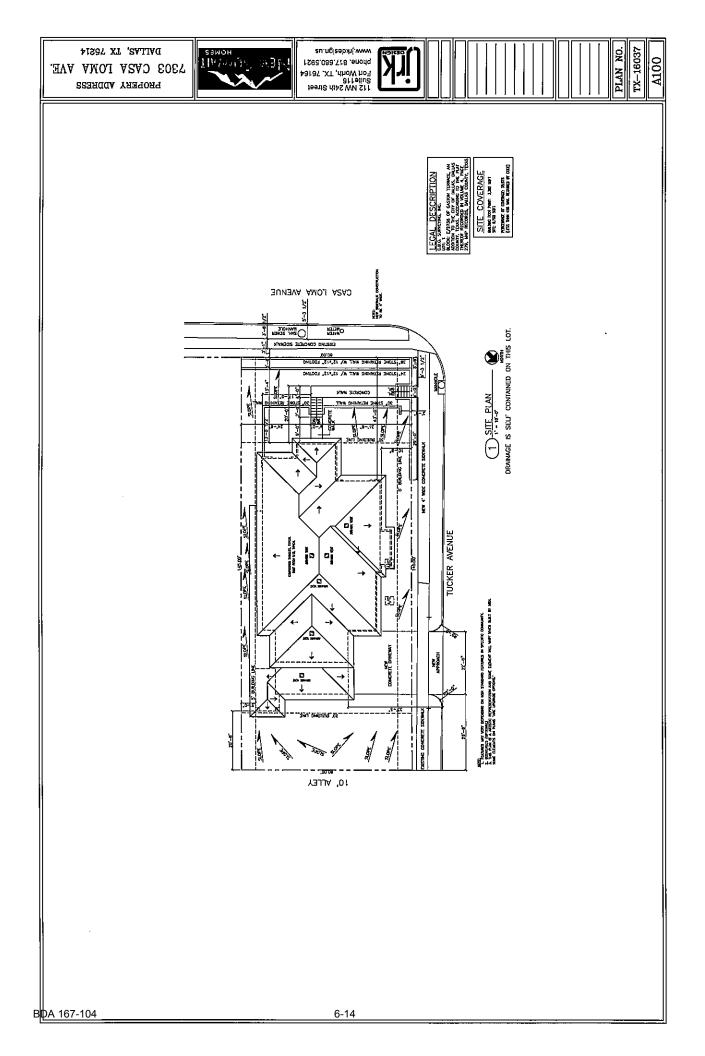
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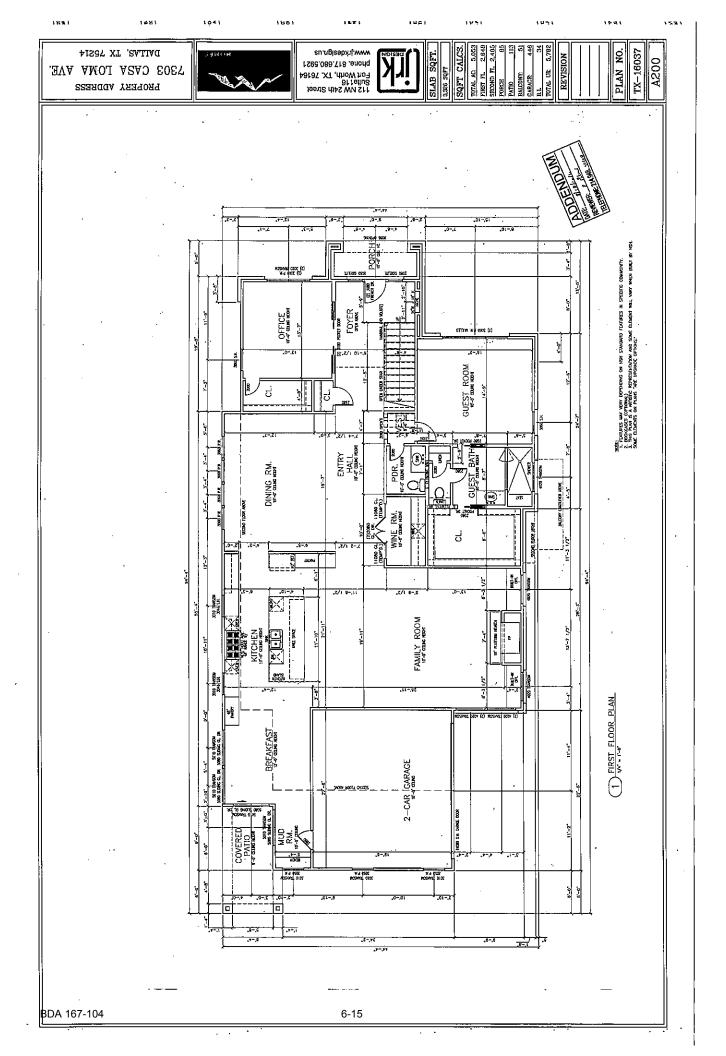
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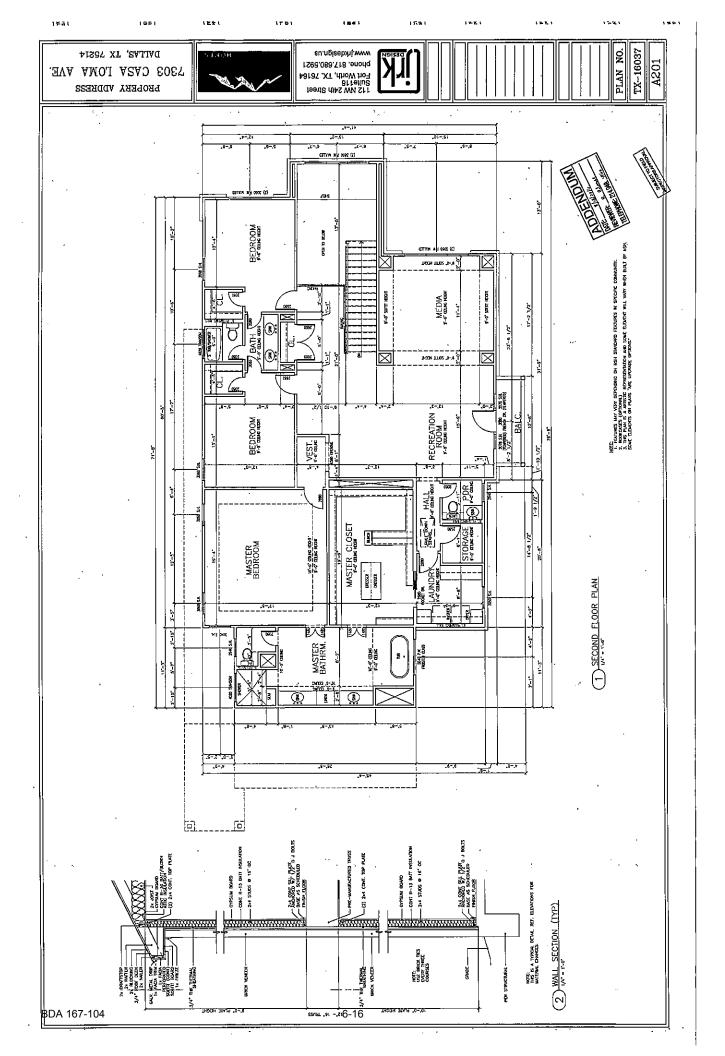


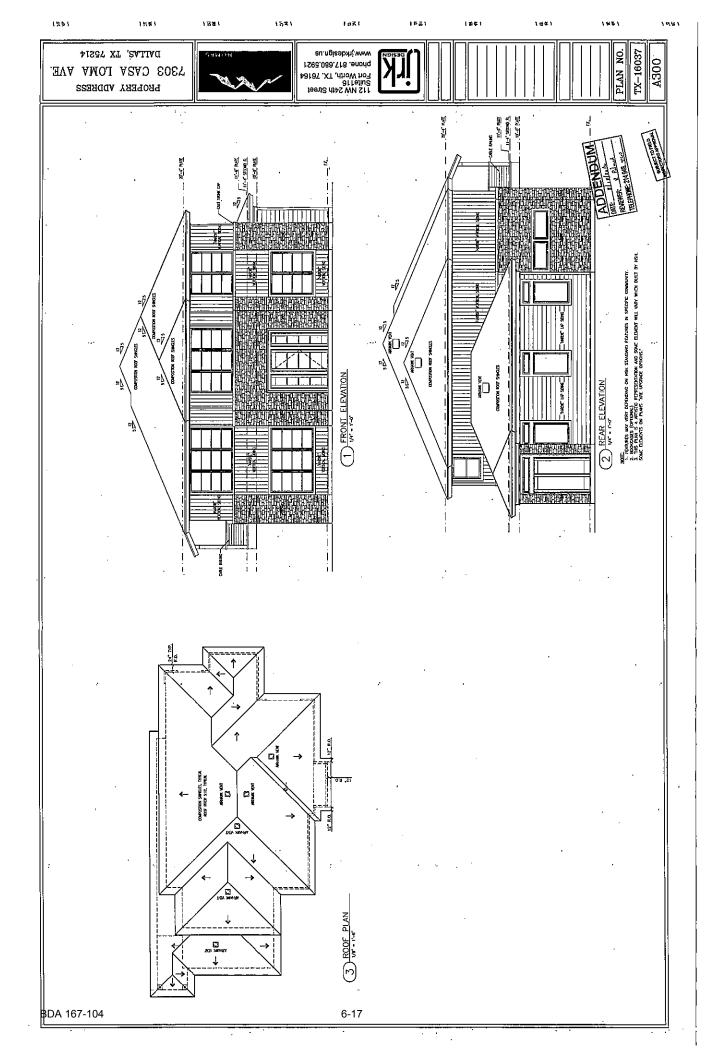


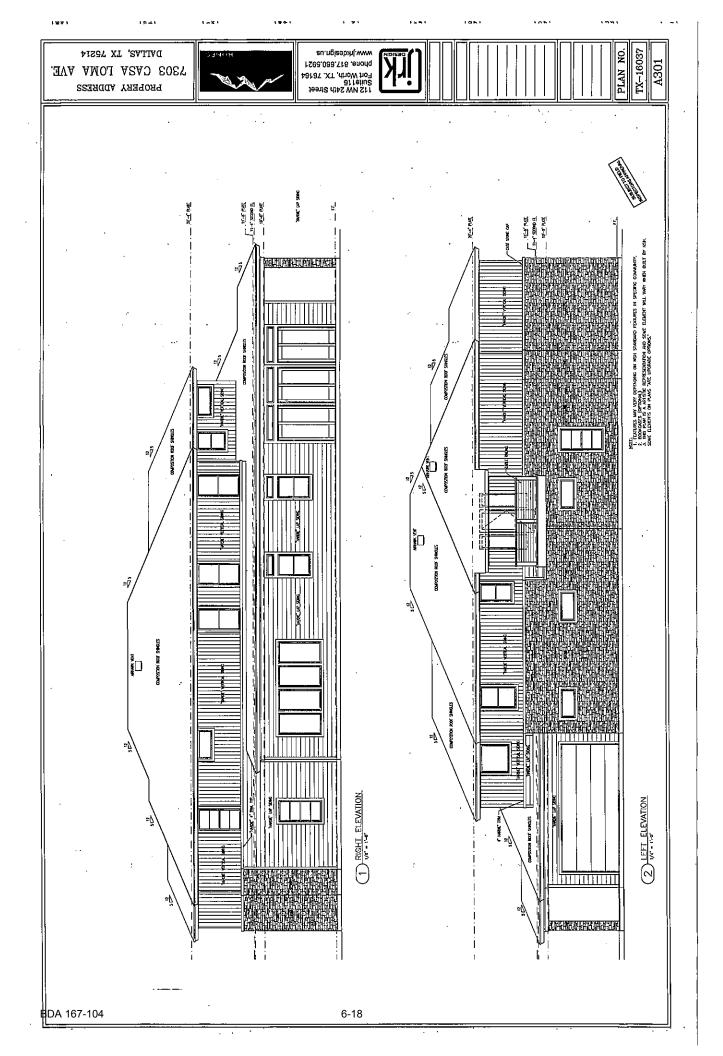


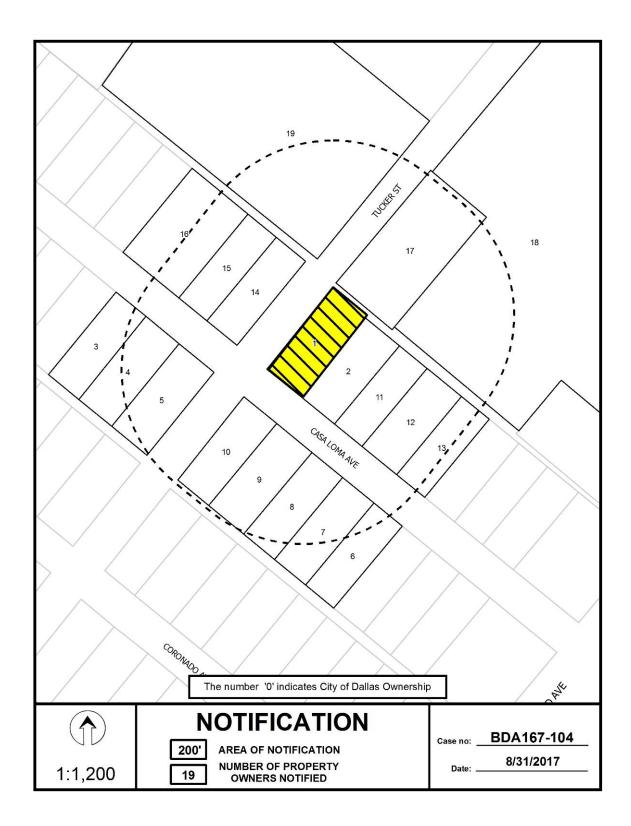












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3	7230	CASA LOMA AVE	HALTOM JEROME I
4	7234	CASA LOMA AVE	BURROWS JANICE & JARRETT
5	7238	CASA LOMA AVE	MAJOR ERRIN C
6	7318	CASA LOMA AVE	SNAPPY REAL ESTATE INVESTORS
7	7314	CASA LOMA AVE	REID BRADLEY MD
8	7310	CASA LOMA AVE	CAMPAGNA ANTHONY J SR
9	7306	CASA LOMA AVE	ALLEN DANA L & CHRISTINE E
10	7302	CASA LOMA AVE	BIRDI KANU & MARISSA
11	7311	CASA LOMA AVE	RATCLIFF KIMBERLY SUE
12	7315	CASA LOMA AVE	HAMMACK HOMES LLC
13	7319	CASA LOMA AVE	CULLIVAN MARISSA T
14	7243	CASA LOMA AVE	TUNCER ENIS
15	7239	CASA LOMA AVE	CASTRO JASON &
16	7231	CASA LOMA AVE	GORDY JUDITH FOWLER &
17	2114	TUCKER ST	SHELTON SYLVIA KIRKWOOD
18	7330	GASTON AVE	7324 GASTON AVE LTD
19	2115	TUCKER ST	MPC LAKEWOOD LLC