If you need assistance completing this application (general inquires only) please contact Susan Walker, 974-2202; 505 Barton Springs Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor (One Texas Center).

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CASE # C15-2010-0135

CITY OF AUSTIN

# APPLICATION TO BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT GENERAL VARIANCE/PARKING VARIANCE

TP#0H300-0410

WARNING: Filing of this appeal stops all affected construction activity.

PLEASE: APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED WITH ALL REQUESTED INFORMATION COMPLETED.
STREET ADDRESS: 1102 W 22 1/2 St.
LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision - PJ Lawless Addition
Lot(s) 18 Block A Outlot Pt of 29 & 30 Division P
I Ron Van Sickle on behalf of myself as authorized agent for
Rebecca Robinson affirm that on October 13, 2010, I
hereby apply for a hearing before the Board of Adjustment for consideration to:
(check appropriate items below)
_X_ ERECT ATTACH COMPLETE REMODEL MAINTAIN
A new duplex to replace the existing duplex built in 1922 due to foundation deterioration and framing that does not meet modern building code requirements. The new structure will have a similar but smaller footprint than the existing structure and will be relocated on the property to meet modern setback and parking requirements and to minimize impact on a regulated tree.
We request a variance to reduce the lot size requirement of Section 25-2-773 (A)(1) from 7,000 sq. ft. to 6,481 sq. ft. to allow continued use of the lot for a duplex.
We request a variance to reduce the lot size requirement of Section 25-2-773 (A)(2) from 50' to 49.75' to allow for the increased accuracy in surveying and to allow continued use of the lot for a duplex.

in a <u>SF3-CO-NP</u> district. (West University NP) (zoning district)



NOTE: The Board must determine the existence of, sufficiency of and weight of evidence supporting the findings described below. Therefore, you must complete each of the applicable Findings Statements as part of your application. Failure to do so may result in your application being rejected as incomplete. Please attach any additional support documents.

VARIANCE FINDINGS: I contend that my entitlement to the requested variance is based on the following findings (see page 5 of application for explanation of findings):

#### **REASONABLE USE:**

1. The zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use because:

The duplex lot size requirements added after the original duplex was constructed do not take into account that the unit is very compact and the lot is much less intensely developed than many of the surrounding lots. The new duplex structure will maintain the existing generous front and rear yards and additional lot space would not be beneficial to the occupants or neighboring properties.

## **HARDSHIP:**

2. (a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:

This property was a duplex before the current lot size requirements were put into place. This application is essentially a request to continue to use the lot the same way as it's been used since the duplex was first built, but with a replacement structure.

(b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:

The surrounding structures are in better condition than this one and could be remodeled. Many of the surrounding lots are also larger so would not need this variance.

### **AREA CHARACTER:**

3. The variance will not alter the character of the area adjacent to the property, will not impair the use of adjacent conforming property, and will not impair the purpose of the regulations of the zoning district in which the property is located because:

The current and historic use of the property will continue, but with a new structure. The character of the replacement structure will be similar to the existing one so to the casual observer there would appear to be no change.

**PARKING:** (Additional criteria for parking variances only.)

Request for a parking variance requires the Board to make additional findings. The Board may grant a variance to a regulation prescribed Section 479 of Chapter 25-6 with

respect to the number of off-street parking spaces or loading facilities required if it makes findings of fact that the following additional circumstances also apply:

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1. Neither present nor anticipated future traffic volumes generated by the use of the site or the uses of sites in the vicinity reasonable require strict or literal interpretation and enforcement of the specific regulation because:

Not Applicable
2. The granting of this variance will not result in the parking or loading of vehicles on public streets in such a manner as to interfere with the free flow of traffic of the streets because:
Not Applicable
3. The granting of this variance will not create a safety hazard or any other condition inconsistent with the objectives of this Ordinance because:
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Not Applicable
NOTE: The Board cannot grant a variance that would provide the applicant with a special privilege not enjoyed by others similarly situated or potentially similarly situated.
APPLICANT CERTIFICATE – I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Signed for Carl Mail Address 10948 Long Branch Dr.
City, State & Zip Austin, TX 78736
Printed Ron Van Sickle Phone 512-745-1394 Date October 13, 2010
OWNERS CERTIFICATE – I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application
Signed Pelrescal Robinson Mail Address 5709 High land Hills Circle
City, State & Zip Austin Texas 78731
Printed Rebecca A Robinson Phone (5/2)453-1944 Date 10/18/10





# **BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS**

CASE#: C15-2010-0135

LOCATION: 1102 W 22ND HALF STREET

GRID: J24

MANAGER: SUSAN WALKER



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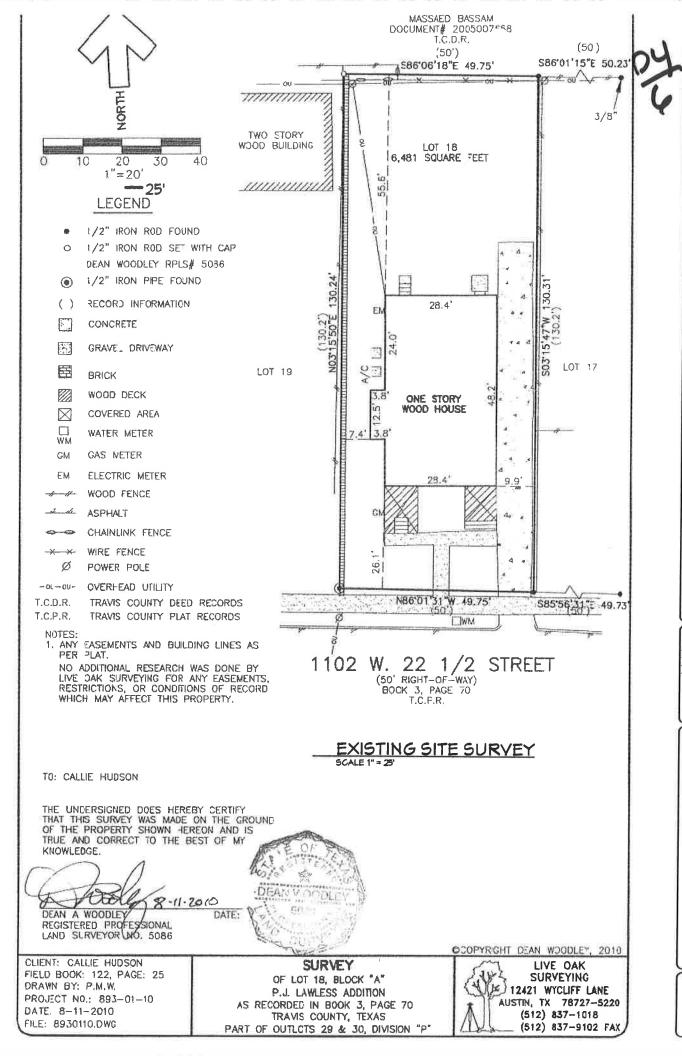
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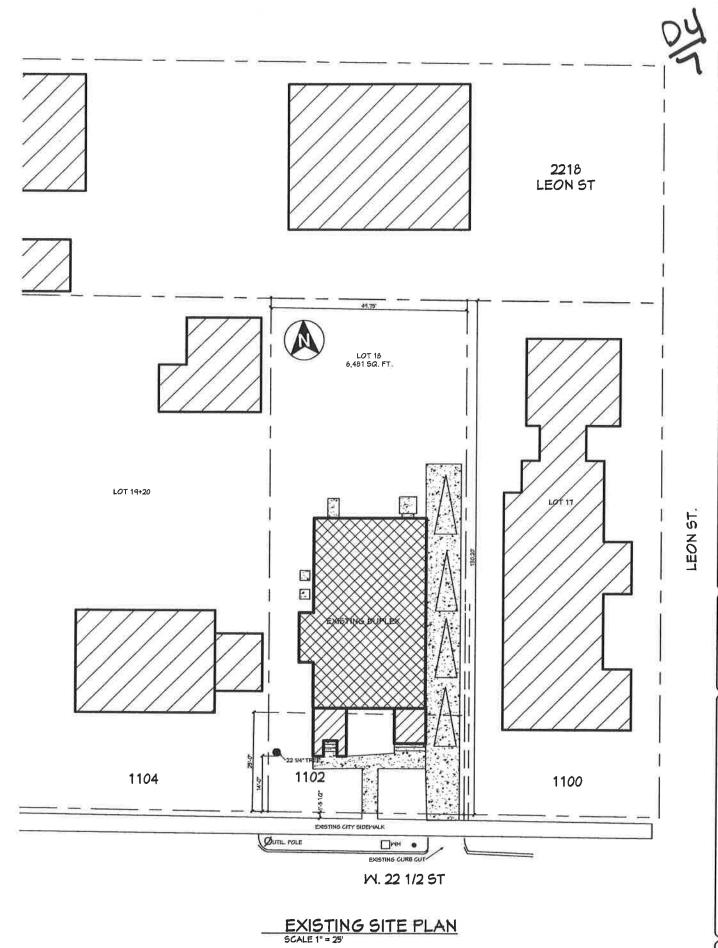
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SITE SURVEY EXISTING Scale: 1" = 25'

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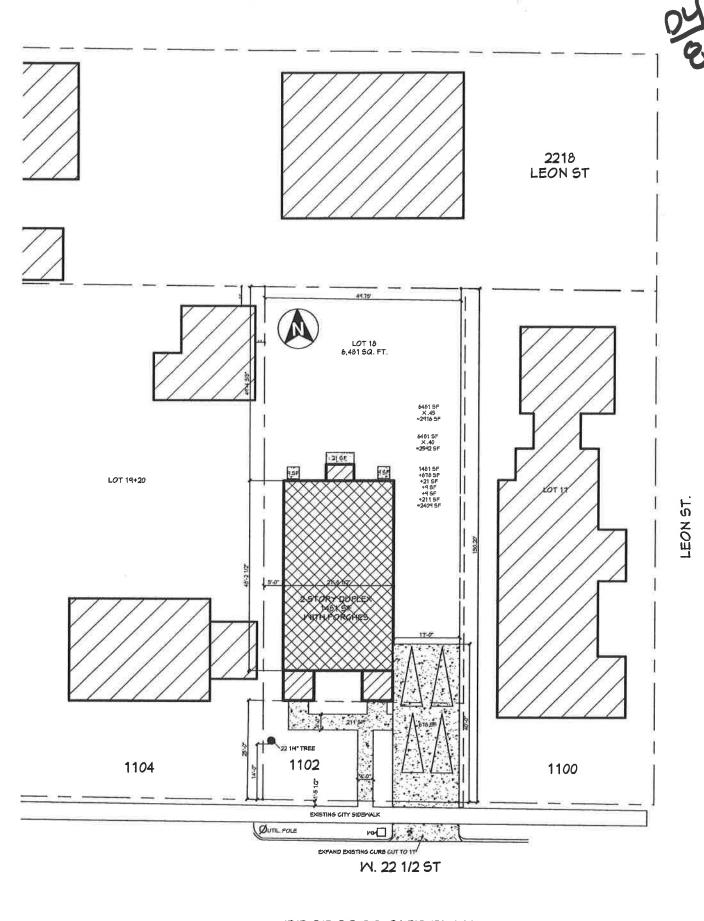
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Duplex Residence for 1102 W. 22 1/2 Street Austin, Texas

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> PROPOSED SITE PLAN Scale: 1" = 25'

SHEET **SP3** 3 of 3

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SCALE 1" = 25'