CITY OF AUSTIN Board of Adjustment/Sign Review Board Oction 2011 Decision Sheet

CASE NUMBER: C15-2011-0086

ADDRESS: 201 34TH ST VARIANCE REQUESTED: 201 E 34th Street - The applicant has requested a

variance to decrease the minimum front street setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 25 feet to 18 feet 11 inches in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a two-family residential use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence - Neighborhood Conservation Combining District - Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

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The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum side yard setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 5 feet to 4 feet 10 inches in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a two-family residential use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence - Neighborhood Conservation Combining District - Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

3307 Helms Street - The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum lot size requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 5,750 square feet to 3,060.54 square feet in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a single-family residence use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence -Neighborhood Conservation Combining District - Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum rear yard setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 10 feet to 1 foot in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a detached garage use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence — Neighborhood Conservation Combining District — Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

BOARD'S DECISION: The public hearing was closed on Board Member Heidi Goebel motion to Deny, Board Member Bryan King second on a 7-0 vote; DENIED.

FINDING:

- 1. The Zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use because:
- 2. (a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:
 - (b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:
- 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:

Susan Walker Leane Heldenfels
Executive Liaison Chairman

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October 19, 2011

City of Austin
Board of Adjustment / Sign Review Board
C/O Susan Walker
Development Department
505 Barton Springs Road
Austin, TX 78704

Dear Board Members:

RE:

C15-2001-0086

201 East 34th Street and 3307 Helms

The property owners of 201 East 34th Street and 3307 Helms and I request an appeal of the case, C15-2001-0086, heard at the October 10, 2011, meeting of the Board of Adjustment / Sign Review Board.

There were two items that were in error at the October 10, 2011, meeting. The first was the conclusion that the relief sought was solely for the economic benefit of the property owners. The second error was the presentation of the position of our neighborhood association, NUNA, and who was to represent NUNA. There was also a point of concern expressed by the BOA at the August meeting that is not supported by the facts of this property. Namely, granting this variance request will not result in the BOA being obligated to grant substandard size lot variance requests by many, if any, other property owners in the neighborhood.

The relief sought is not solely for the economic benefit of the property owners, contrary to the reason stated by the BOA for declining the requests at the October meeting. The requested variances will lead to the property owners being able to mediate a non-conforming use of the property. Historically and currently its use is multi-family due to it having two free standing houses, one free standing garage apartment and an additional free standing garage. It is zoned for single family use and is designated in the neighborhood's NCCD for single family use. NUNA and the owners want to bring it to standards seen in the neighborhood, required by zoning law, and set forth in the NCCD. Having the non-conforming use is a hardship for the neighborhood and the owners. The existing condo regime does not alleviate it. Granting the variance so as to facilitate subdivision and fee simple ownership does alleviate this hardship.

One of our variance requests is to decrease the minimum lot size requirement to allow for the subdivision of the property. Looking towards future requests for a decrease in minimum lot size from other property owners in the neighborhood, not only is the BOA free of obligation to follow precedent but it considers each request on its own merits. The merits and facts of this request and property are rare and meritorious of the BOA's reconsidering its decision. Specifically, this is a corner lot with the required frontage for both primary residences on different streets. Interior lots in the neighborhood lack sufficient frontage to create flag lots to accommodate access to a

residence at the rear of the property should a subdivision be requested. Other corner lots do not have multiple homes or garage apartments built on them pre-dating zoning regulations as do ours from 1926, 1935, and 1946. In the rare instances where there are old homes on corner lots, such as our direct neighbors across the alley to the south, they have been subdivided. In our neighbor's case, their small lot is approximately 500 square feet smaller than the one we would create. See the attachment Lot 1 Block 19 Grooms Addition Proposed rev 2.pdf. Both our proposed and our neighbor's larger subdivided lots meet zoning size requirements. Other corner lots without such old homes have been prevented by zoning laws from developing multifamily homes on lots zoned single family and thus have a different fact set than ours. Consequently, granting our variance request will not support other property owners with different fact sets from basing their claim to a variance based upon the ones we request.

Please see attached the October 14, 2011, letter of support from North University Neighborhood Association signed by NUNA President Laurence Miller. It expresses NUNA's ongoing support of the variance requests both prior to and after the October BOA meeting. NUNA also expressed its support prior to and at our first presentation at the August BOA meeting. See the attached August 8, 2011, letter of support from North University Neighborhood Association emailed by Steven Tomlinson, Chair, NUNA Development Review Committee and Vice President NUNA acting in absence of President Laurence Miller. The NUNA officer, Bill Bednar JD, who was to present at the October BOA meeting inadvertently did not attend which led to confusion about the facts surrounding our request. This was due to the facts that Mary Ingle was authorized to represent NUNA at the August BOA meeting and spoke for the variance requests then changed her mind and was no longer authorized to represent NUNA's position at the October BOA meeting. Given that the support of the neighborhood is a point of consideration for the BOA and there was cause for confusion about the position of NUNA and who was speaking on its behalf, it is reasonable that this lead to an error in the BOA's understanding of the facts surrounding our request.

Please reconsider our variance request. We believe there is ample room to see how errors were made at the October BOA meeting in the understanding of the facts, who represented NUNA, NUNA's position as well as the stated cause of the BOA's decision and its initial concern.

Sincerely,

Douglas Gibbins

Agent for Property Record Owner at 201 East 34th Street and 3307 Helms

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Encl.:

October 14, 2011, letter of support from North University Neighborhood Association

August 8, 2011, letter of support from North University Neighborhood Association.pdf Lot 1 Block 19 Grooms Addition Proposed rev 2.pdf

NORTH UNIVERSITY NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION



October 14, 2011

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Board of Adjustment City of Austin

Re:

Case # C 15-2011-0086

To the Board:

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Very truly yours,

Laurence Miller

President



Douglas Gibbins <douglas.gibbins@gmail.com>

201 E. 34th St - Board of Adjustment request to subdivide

Steven Tomlinson <steven@abporter.org>

Mon, Aug 8, 2011 at 5:44 PM

To: Douglas Gibbins <douglas.gibbins@gmail.com>, Mary Ingle <casamia@mail.utexas.edu>, Laurence Miller luentcollab.org>, Susan Walker <Susan.Walker@ci.austin.tx.us>

Dear Susan Walker:

The North University Development Review Committee has voted unanimously to support Mr. Gibbins' request for the minimum set of variances needed to subdivide this property as the owners are requesting..

Mr. Gibbins and his clients and NUNA have all agreed that the variances granted should limit the 1' setback to the garage only and that the applicants waive any bonus FAR.

If these conditions are met, NUNA supports the minimum set of variances needed to subdivide this project.

Mary Ingle will be representing NUNA at the BOA hearing this evening.

Yours, Steven Tomlinson Chair, NUNA Development Review Committee Vice President NUNA acting in absence of President Laurence Miller

On Aug 5, 2011, at 3:20 PM, Douglas Gibbins wrote:

- > Steven, Karen, Mary, Laurence, and Susan,
- > Please consider this my request to the COA's Board of Adjustment to
- > waive the bonus FAR for the entire property and have the 1' setback
- > apply only to the small and southern most garage (to be a part of the
- > future lot known as 3307 Helms) shown in the attached file "201 E 34th
- > Impervious Cover Drawing.2.pdf".
- > Susan Walker, is my understanding from our conversations that updates
- > to variance requests can be forwarded to the Board of Adjustment
- > members prior to the the hearing and that your office does this?
- > Also, have you identified which of the setback requirements written in
- > the 7/28/11 public notice are not required due to yard setback
- > averaging for the neighborhood?
- > Is it looking like the only variances needed are for the size of the
- > lots and the 1' setback on the on the garage?
- > Attached are the impervious cover and maximum building coverage
- > ratios. The improvements meet the requirements.
- > Douglas Gibbins
- > <u>512-587-1950</u> ph
- > For the property located
- > 201 E. 34th Street
- > Austin, TX 78705

building rights to this owner.

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> On Sat, Jul 30, 2011 at 11:22 AM, Steven Tomlinson < steven@abporter.org > wrote:
>> Thanks for this note, Douglas. Let me see if we can get our Development Review Committee and Executive
Committee to take action online this upcoming week.
>>
>> Do you have a copy of the variance request updated to reflect the modifications — waive bonus FAR and 1'
setback for garage only? As soon as I can forward this to the committee's I can request a motion and vote to support.
>>
>> Steven
>> <u>512.576.2760</u>.
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>> On Jul 29, 2011, at 1:35 PM, Douglas Gibbins wrote:
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>>> Karen, Mary, Laurence, Steven and Susan,
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>>> The owners of the property would accept an amendment waiving the bonus
>>> FAR as well as one establishing the 1' setback to apply only to the
>>> existing garage at 3307 Helms. Greater impervious cover is not being
>>> requested.
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>>> The existing improvements meet current impervious requirements both
>>> with the existing lots as well as if the variance is granted.
>>> Specifically, the north lot would have 5,871.2 sf with 2,440.7 SF of
>>> impervious cover = 41.57% and the south lot would have 2,980.3 SF with
>>> impervious cover of 1,276 SF 42.816%. For SF -3 lots the maximum
>>> impervious cover is 45%. Likewise the existing improvements meet the
>>> maximum building coverage limit. Hence, these issues are not
>>> mentioned in the notice letter.
>>>
>>> If any of you have concerns please let me know. We want to reach a
>>> collaborative solution so are going through this process with the BOA
>>> as per your guidance and previous offers of support.
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>>> Douglas Gibbins
>>> 512-587-1950 ph
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>>> On Wed, Jul 27, 2011 at 9:03 PM, Karen McGraw <mcgrawka@earthlink.net> wrote:
>>>> I am sending some notes because I believe this case sets some precedents for creating small lots and i think
the posting is somewhat incorrect as some of the setback variances are not required.
>>>>
>>> 1 personally think that memorializing condo regimes with substandard lot subdivisions is a slippery slope. There
are many of these situations in NUNA. It is kind of a way to go backwards in time to lesser regulations. It is perfectly
legal to maintain the property the way as it is. The Condo regime is permitted under state law and has nothing to do
with local zoning and subdivision rules.
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>>>> The current lot which is 8,851 SF permits a total .4/1 FAR of 3,540 SF of buildings. Creating the 2,980 SF
substandard lot means that this tiny lot will qualify for a bonus FAR of 2,300 SF. This would draw attention to it as a
site to demo and put up a much larger structure. I know the owner is not interested in that today - but we have a
saying in Hyde Park - "we don't zone people, we zone land". With the subdivision, the building limits will be 2,348 for
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>>>> Should NUNA want to support this, at least request that the BoA limit the FAR on the small lot to .4 FAR or

the front lot and 2,300 for the rear lot or a total of 4,648 SF. So this variance could convey an additional 1,100 SF of

1,192 SF - not 2,300 SF. This 1,192 SF for the small lot in addition to the 2,348 for the front lot results in the total allowed to remain the same as today - 3,540 SF.
>>>> | do not see any information about impervious cover on the plans or notice. Is greater impervious cover being requested?
>>>>

>>> Also, since the front and street side yard setbacks are averaged in the North University NCCD, these setbacks do not require variances. Staff should be aware of this. These setbacks are not considered non-complying. Sylvia Benavidez answered this question for me recently.

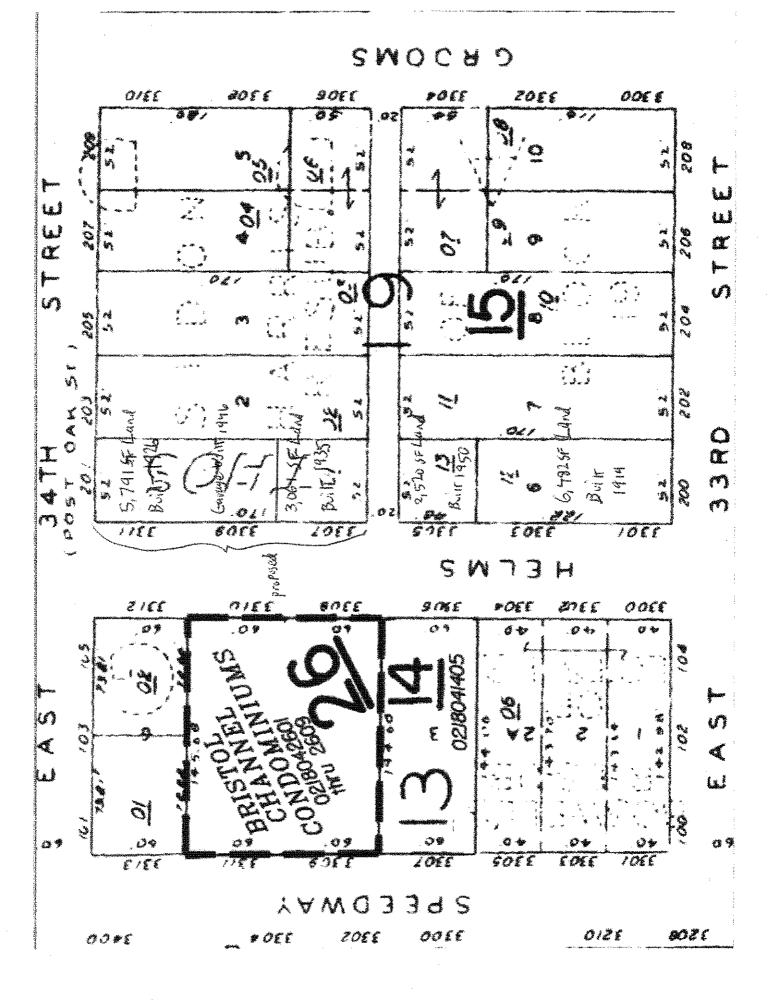
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>>>> The 1' setback being requested should be only for the garage - not for the entire lot line and not for the house. The way it is written I think it could apply to the house or a future (2,300 SF) house.

>>>> >>>> >>>> Karen McGraw AIA >>>> 4315 Avenue C >>>> Austin, TX 78751 >>>> 512-917-1761 cell >>>> >>>> >>>> >>>> >>>> >>> On Jul 27, 2011, at 11:24 AM, Douglas Gibbins wrote: >>>> <Board of Adjustment Hearing Notice.DOC> >>>> >>>> >>> >> >> > > >

> <201 E 34th Impervious Cover Drawing.2.pdf><Impervious calculations.2.pdf>



To

The Members of the Travis County board of Adjustment

From

Valerie Bauhofer, Owner of 3307 Helms Street, Austin Volum Bonlofer

This is to appeal to you to grant our request for variance # C-15-2011-0086 that was denied at the October 10, 2011 meeting. My reasons for this appeal are:

- 1. This request has the support of NUNA. Unfortunately, the person designated to represent NUNA at the October meeting was unable to attend. The person speaking against the request for a variance did NOT speak for NUNA (the letter designating her as the speaker was for the August meeting).
- 2. This request has the support of neighboring homeowners. I think it is important to give greater weight to the support of property owners than to renters who have no stake in the decision. Several support letters are being submitted.
- 3. Your granting this request will help preserve the character of the neighborhood. We would like to assure that we keep as many single family owner occupied residences as possible in this area. My little house, for instance, was for many years a rental property, and not cared for as I care for it now. This is why NUNA considers us desirable neighbors.
- 4. The properties in question were only recently (October 2006, the same month I bought my home) converted to a condominium without any input from the neighborhood and for purely financial reasons by the then owners (Hendricks/Anschutz): they wanted to sell, but could NOT sell as separate properties.
- 5. It is my understanding that it is the mission of the BOA to consider requests for variances, that is **exceptions** to city rules; and that it is able to grant such variances without setting precedence. We are not building, adding or changing what has existed here since the 1930's.

We simply want to <u>un-join</u> a very recent condominium regimen, and establish two separate lots with one family home on each. Thank you!

City of Austin Planning and Development Review

POB 1088

Austin TX 78767

CASE # C 15-2011-0086

201 E 34th Street & 3307 Helms

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This is to state <u>MY SUPPORT</u> for my neighbors at the above properties, and urge the Board of Adjustment to grant their variance request.

Subdividing this lot will not change the character of our neighborhood, but rather improve it by preserving small residences on small lots. It makes these properties affordable for families, and encourages owner occupancy. In an area that has seen the destruction of single family homes and the construction of apartment complexes, any efforts to save small existing structures has my support.

There are other similarly sized properties in this area, and they add to, and enhance, the character of this area.

Thank you!

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Address 200 EAST	34TH Street	
Phone # 482-8026	Date 10/14/11	

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Address	103	E. 349	ST Austin, TX. 78705
Phone #	512 47	B- B 3097	57 Austin, TX. 78705 Date Oct. 18, 2011

October 14, 2011

City of Austin
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C/O Susan Walker
Development Department
505 Barton Springs Road
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Dear Board Members:

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C15-2001-0086

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201 East 34th Street and 3307 Helms

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Farhad Bozoramehr

Speaker for the record at the public hearing

Douglas Gibbins

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Walker, Susan

From:

Douglas Gibbins [douglas.gibbins@gmail.com]

Sent:

Tuesday, October 18, 2011 12:05 PM

To:

Walker, Susan

Subject:

201 E. 34th St. and 3307 Helms St.

Attachments:

NUNA Support October 14, 2011.pdf; Appeal Request October 14, 2011.pdf





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Appeal Request

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Very truly yours,

Laurence Miller President

Walker, Susan

To: Subject: Douglas Gibbins RE: 201 E. 34th St. and 3307 Helms St.

I am in receipt of your reconsideration request. The bylaws of the Board of Adjustment state that a request to reconsider shall state clearly how the Board erred in its determination, why the action should be reconsidered, and be supported by new or clarified evidence. I am a little concerned that your request does not cover all this and suggest that you add more information to your request, otherwise, the Board may not grant a reconsideration.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Susan Walker
Senior Planner
Planning & Development Review Department
Phone: 512-974-2202
Fax: 512-974-6536

----Original Message----

From: Douglas Gibbins [mailto:douglas.gibbins@gmail.com]

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During a public hearing, the board or commission may postpone or continue an application's hearing to a later date, or recommend approval or denial of the application. If the board or commission announces a specific date and time for a postponement or continuation that is not later than 60 days from the announcement, no further notice is required.

A board or commission's decision may be appealed by a person with standing to appeal, or an interested party that is identified as a person who can appeal the decision. The body holding a public hearing on an appeal will determine whether a person has standing to appeal the decision.

An interested party is defined as a person who is the applicant or record owner of the subject property, or who communicates an interest to a board or commission by:

- delivering a written statement to the board or commission before or during the public hearing that generally identifies the issues of concern (it may be delivered to the contact person listed on a notice); or
- appearing and speaking for the record at the public hearing;
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- is the record owner of property within 500 feet of the subject property or proposed development; or
- is an officer of an environmental or neighborhood organization that
 has an interest in or whose declared boundaries are within 500 feet of
 the subject property or proposed development.

A notice of appeal must be filed with the director of the responsible department no later than 10 days after the decision. An appeal form may be available from the responsible department.

For additional information on the City of Austin's land development process, visit our web site: www.ci.austin.tx.us/development.

Written comments must be submitted to the board or commission (or the contact person listed on the notice) before or at a public hearing. Your comments should include the name of the board or commission, or Council; the scheduled date of the public hearing; the Case Number; and the contact person listed on the notice.

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Susan Walker
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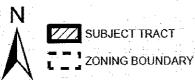
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GRID: J25

MANAGER: SUSAN WALKER

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Douglas Gibbins [douglas.gibbins@gmail.com]

Sent:

Friday, August 05, 2011 3:21 PM

To:

Steven Tomlinson

Cc: Subject: Karen McGraw; mary ingle; Laurence Miller; Walker, Susan Re: 201 E. 34th St - Board of Adjustment request to subdivide

Attachments:

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Douglas Gibbins 512-587-1950 ph For the property located 201 E. 34th Street Austin, TX 78705

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Sent:

Monday, August 08, 2011 5:45 PM

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Dear Susan Walker:

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APPLICANT: Douglas Gibbins	
OWNER: Zod Bozurgmehr	

VARIANCE REQUESTED: <u>201 E 34th Street</u> — The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum lot size requirement of Section 25-2-774 (B) from 7,000 square feet to 5,871.2 square feet in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a two-family residential use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence — Neighborhood Conservation Combining District — Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

ADDRESS: 201 34TH ST

The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum front street setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 25 feet to 18 feet 11 inches in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a two-family residential use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence – Neighborhood Conservation Combining District – Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum side street setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 15 feet to 6 feet 6 inches in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a two-family residential use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence – Neighborhood Conservation Combining District – Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum side yard setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 5 feet to 4 feet 10 inches in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a two-family residential use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence – Neighborhood Conservation Combining District – Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum rear yard setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 10 feet to 8 feet 5 inches in

order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a two-family residential use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence – Neighborhood Conservation Combining District – Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

3307 Helms Street – The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum lot size requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 5,750 square feet to 2,980.5 square feet in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a single-family residence use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence – Neighborhood Conservation Combining District – Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum front street setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 25 feet to 9 feet 2 inches in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a single-family residence use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence – Neighborhood Conservation Combining District – Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

The applicant has requested a variance to decrease the minimum rear yard setback requirement of Section 25-2-492 (D) from 10 feet to 1 foot in order to subdivide one lot into two lots and maintain a single-family residence and detached garage use in an "SF-3-NCCD-NP", Family Residence — Neighborhood Conservation Combining District — Neighborhood Plan zoning district.

BOARD'S DECISION: POSTPONED TO October 10, 2011 FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION BETWEEN APPLICANT AND NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATIONS

FINDING:

- 1. The Zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use because:
- 2. (a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:
 - (b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:

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:

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Susan Walker

Executive Liaison

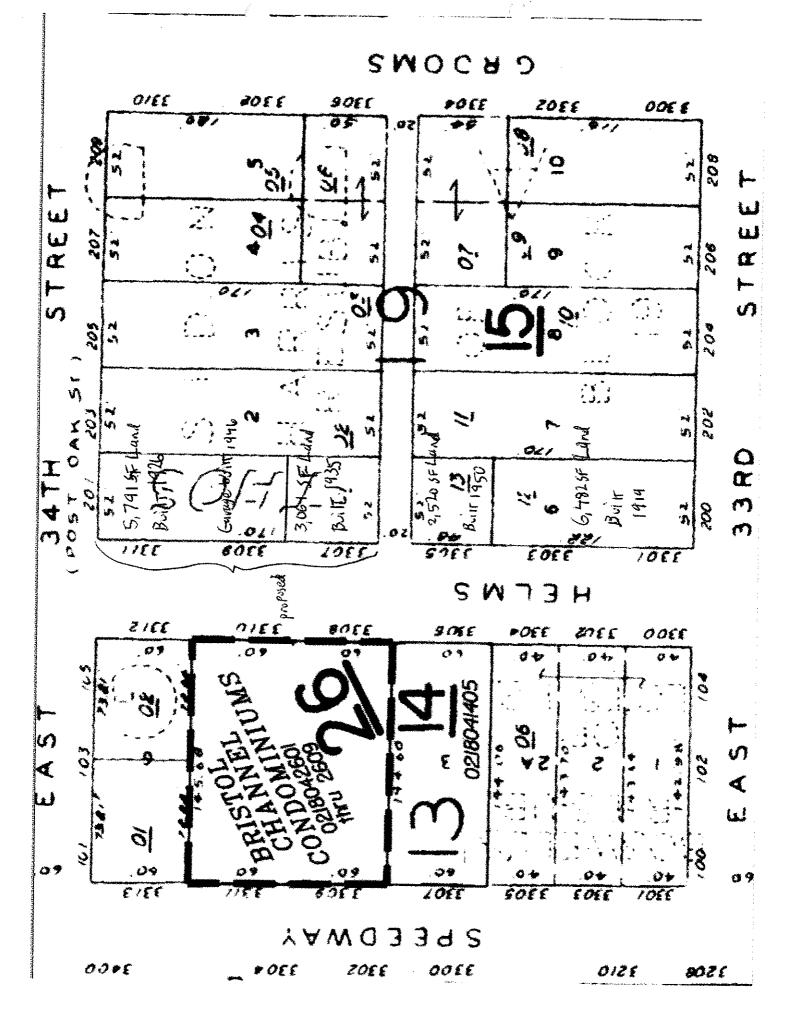
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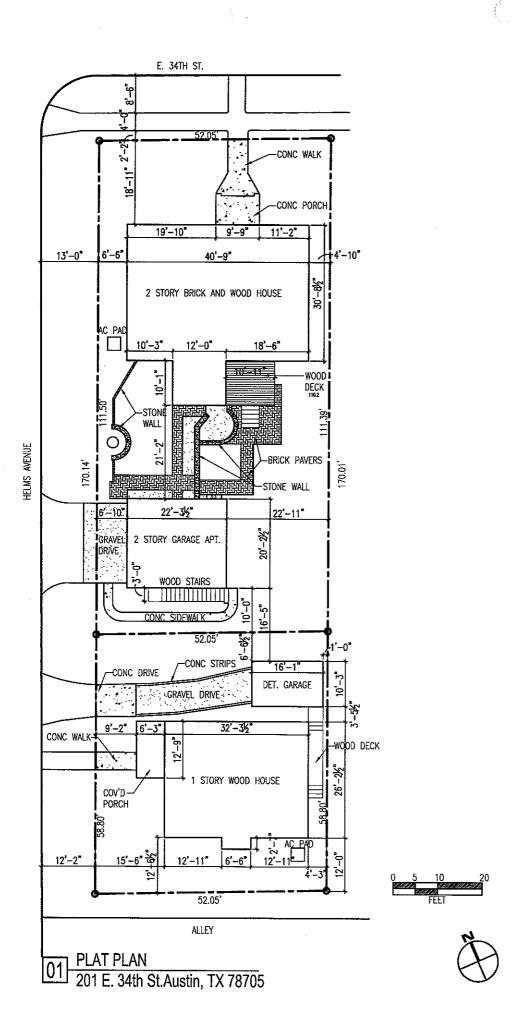
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"September 20, 2011

Impervious Cover Calculator

Address: 201 E. 34th St. Austin, TX 78705		Lot Total Area (SI N. Lot S. Lot	5) 8852 5791.46 3060.54
Impervious Cover	<u>Measure</u>	<u>Adjustmer</u>	
N. House Conc Porch			1372.3
N. Sidewalk			35.5 71.0
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Deck	68.5	50%	
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North+South Total			3716.8
% Totals			
	Maximum		
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	Coverage for SF-3	Impervious Coverage Ratio	
1411			Meets
Whole Lot	45%	42.0%	Standards Meets
N. Portion	45%	42.1%	Standards
S. Portion	45%	41.7%	Meets Standards
	Maximum		
	Building		
	Coverage for SF-3	Impervious Coverage Ratio	
		COVERAGE NAME	Meets
Whole Lot	40%	31.2%	Standards
N. Portion	4004	21 50/	Meets
14. I UIIIUII	40%	31.5%	Standards Meets
S. Portion	40%	33.6%	Standards





ORDINANCE NO. 20081120-026

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 040826-58 TO CLARIFY CERTAIN USES IN THE COMMERCIAL DISTRICT AND CORRECT AN EXHIBIT FOR THE PROPERTY GENERALLY IDENTIFIED AS THE RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT LOCATED WITHIN THE NORTH UNIVERSITY NEIGHBORHOOD CONSERVATION-NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN AREA, AND REZONING AND CHANGING THE ZONING MAP FROM NEIGHBORHOOD CONSERVATION-NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN (NCCD-NP) COMBINING DISTRICT TO NEIGHBORHOOD CONSERVATION-NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN (NCCD-NP) COMBINING DISTRICT.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

PART 1. Ordinance No. 040826-58 (the "Original Ordinance") zoned property and established a neighborhood conservation-neighborhood plan combining district to approximately 234.87 acres of land in the City of Austin, Travis County, Texas, generally known as the North University conservation-neighborhood plan combining district ("NUNA") and more particularly described and identified in Zoning Case No. C14-04-0022. The Original Ordinance was amended by Ordinance No. 20070111-077 in Zoning Case No. C14-06-0186.

PART 3. The zoning map established by Section 25-2-191 of the City Code is amended to change the base district from neighborhood conservation-neighborhood plan (NCCD-NP) combining district to neighborhood conservation-neighborhood plan (NCCD-NP) combining district on approximately 234.87 acres of land described in Zoning Case No. C14-04-0022, on file at the Neighborhood Planning and Zoning Department, and generally identified in the map attached as Exhibit "A" incorporated into this ordinance, (the "Property"), locally known as the area bounded by 38th Street to the north, San Jacinto Boulevard and 27th Street to the south, Guadalupe Street to the west, and Duval Street to the east, in the City of Austin, Travis County, Texas.

PART 4. The Original Ordinance is amended as shown in this Part.

A. District 1A was inadvertently omitted from Exhibit "C" of the Original Ordinance. A new Exhibit "C" that identifies this District 1A is substituted for the original Exhibit "C" and made a part of the Original Ordinance. It is attached to this ordinance as Exhibit "B".

- B. A group residential use is prohibited in the San Jacinto District as reflected in Part 5 Section 1(c) of the Original Ordinance. In Part 5(2) the NUNA NCCD Districts table for the commercial zoning districts is amended to remove the P designation for group residential use under the column labeled San Jacinto 4, as shown below in this Part 4.
- C. An off-site accessory use is a conditional use in the Adams Park 3 district and a permitted use at 3000 Hemphill Park only in the Adams Park 3A district. This use designation was inadvertently reversed in the NUNA NCCD Districts table. The table is amended to correct this error as shown below in this Part 4.

NUNA NCCD DISTRICTS	Speedway 2	Speedway 2	Speedway 2A	Adams Park 3	Adams Park 3A	San Jacinto 4	Guada- lupe 5	Transition 6
	CS/LR	LO/NO						
Residential Uses								
Bed & Breakfast (Group 1)	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	P	Р	Р
Bed & Breakfast (Group 2)	Р	Р	Р	Ρ	Р	Р	Р	Р
Condominium Residential	Р	Р	Р	P	Р	þ	С	Р
Duplex Residential		Р	Р	Р				P
Group Residential			Р	P(2)	P(5)	P	þ	
Mobile Home Residential							-	
Multifamily Residential	Р		Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р
Retirement Housing (Small Site)	P	₽	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р
Retirement Housing (Large Site)	С		С	C	С	С	Р	С
Single-Family Attached Residential								
Single-Family Residential	Р	Р	P	Р	Р	Р		Р
Small Lot Single-Family Residential			Р					
Townhouse Residential		Р	Р	ρ				
Two-Family Residential	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р		Р
Commercial Uses	2	2	2A	3	3 A	4	5	6
Administrative and Business Offices	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р

NUNA NCCD DISTRICTS	Speedway 2	Speedway 2	Speedway 2A	Adams Park 3	Adams Park 3A	San Jacinto 4	Guada- lupe 5	Transition 6
Agricultural Sales and							15,000	
Services	_ 			<u></u>	<u></u>			
Art Gallery	P		Р	44	Р	_ P	P	
Art Workshop			Р		Р	С	Р	Р
Automotive Rentals							P(2)	
Automotive Repair Services		**				. _	P(2)	
Automotive Sales							P(2)	
Automotive Washing (of any type)				44			P(2)	
Building Maintenance Services	4-							
Business or Trade School			Р		С	С	С	
Business Support Services					P(1)	P(1)	P(2)	
Campground								
Carriage Stable								
Cocktail Lounge					P(10)	C(2)		
Commercial Blood Plasma Čenter								
Commercial Off-Street Parking								
Communications Services	Р		Р		Р	Р	Р	Р
Construction Sales and Services								-
Consumer Convenience Services	Р		Р		Р	Р	Р	
Consumer Repair Services	Р		Р		Р	Р	Р	
Convenience Storage								
Orop-Off Recycling Collection Facility								
lectronic Prototype ssembly			Р					
quipment Repair Services								
quipment Sales								
xterminating Services								

NUNA NCCD DISTRICTS	Speedway 2	Speedway 2	Speedway 2A	Adams Park 3	Adams Park 3A	San Jacinto 4	Guada- lupe 5	Transition 6
Financial Services		••	Р	••			Р	
Food Preparation	Р		P		Р	P	Р	
Food Sales	P(4)		Р.		P(4)	P/C	P(3)	
Funeral Services						70		
General Retail Sales (Convenience)	P		Р	**	P	Р	Р	<u> </u>
General Retail Sales (General)	P/C(13)		P		Р	Р	Р	
Hotel-Motel	Р		P		Р	Р	Р	С
Indoor Entertainment			Р					••
Indoor Sports and Recreation	**		Р		С	С	С	
Kennels		. 						
Laundry Services							P(11)	
Liquor Sales							P(10)	
Marina								<u></u>
Medical Offices								
Exceeding 5000 sq. ft. gross floor area			P(6)		С	С	P	
Medical Offices							ļ	
not exceeding 5000 sq. ft. gross floor area	Р		Р		Р	Р	Р	
Monument Retail Sales	••							
Off-Site Accessory Parking			С	P(12) <u>C</u>	<u>P(12)</u> C	С	С	
Outdoor Entertainment								
Outdoor Sports and Recreation					c		С	
Pawn Shop Services	••		P(4)		["]			
Personal Improvement Services	Р		P		P	Р	P	
Personal Services	Р		Р	7.	Р	Р	Р	Р
Pet Services			Р		Р	Р	Р	
Plant Nursery					С	С	С	
Printing and Publishing							Р	

NUNA NCCD DISTRICTS	Speedway 2	Speedway 2	Speedway 2A	Adams Park 3	Adams Park 3A	San Jacinto 4	Guada- lupe 5	Transition 6
Professional Office	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	
Recreational Equipment Maint. & Stor.				46		**	45	
Recreational Equipment Sales		i						
Research Assembly Services		•						
Research Services	••		Р					
Research Testing Services		**					**	
Research Warehousing Services								u au
Restaurant (General)	P(4)		P/C(7)		P	Р	Р	
Restaurant (Limited)	Р		P		Р	Р	Р	
Scrap and Salvage		4.						
Service Station			P(8)		**	<u></u>	P(2)	
Software Development	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	ρ	Р	Р
Special Use Historic	С		С С		С	С	Р	С
Stables								
Theater	P/C(13)		P		Р	Р	P	
Vehicle Storage								
Veterinary Services	P(4)		P(4)				Р	<u></u>
Industrial Uses	2	2	2A	3	3A	4	5	6
Basic Industry	**							
Custom Manufacturing	P(4)		P(4)		P(4)	P(4)	P(4)	
General Warehousing and Distribution		4.4						
Light Manufacturing	••		••					
Limited Warehousing and Distribution		**						
Recycling Center	••		4+					••
Resource Extraction		<i></i>						
Urban Farm	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р			р
All Other Agricultural Uses	·							**

NUNA NCCD DISTRICTS	Speedway 2	Speedway 2	Speedway 2A	Adams Park 3	Adams Park 3A	San Jacinto 4	Guada- lupe 5	Transition 6
Civic Uses	2	2	2A	3	3A	4	5	6
Administrative Services	P(4)	Р	P(4)	Р	Р	Р	р	Р
Aviation Facilities						-	<u>.</u>	
Camp								
Cemetery								•
Club or Lodge						,		
College and University Facilities			С			С	С	
Communication Service Facilities	_с		Р		С	С	С	
Community Events								
Community Recreation (Private)			P(9)		С	С	С	
Community Recreation (Public)					C	С	С	
Congregate Living		С	С	_ с				
Convalescent Services								
Convention Center								
Counseling Services							Р	
Cultural Services	Р		Р	•	Р	P	Р	С
Day Care Services (Commercial)	_ c	С	С	С	С	С	С	
Day Care Services (General)	_ c	Р	С	Р	С	С	P	
Day Care Services (Limited)	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	P
Detention Facilities								
Employee Recreation								
Family Home		Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	P	P
Group Home, Class I (General)			Р	С	С	С	С	C
Group Home, Class I (Limited)		<u></u>	Р	Р	P	Р	P	Р
Group Home, Class II			С				С	
Guidance Services			С				C	
Hospital Services								

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(General)				· univ	, un or	ouomito 4	iupe o	
Hospital Services (Limited)	••		P				С	
Local Utility Services	С	С	С	С	С	С	С	С
Maintenance and Service Facilities								
Major Public Facilities								
Major Utility Facilities				**			••	
Military Installations Park and Recreation								
Services (General)								*-
Park and Recreation Services (Special)			H-W	**				#-
Postal Facilities_	С		С				С	
Private Primary Educational Facilities			С	C _.	С	С	С	С
Private Secondary Educational Facilities				C	С	С	_с	С
Public Primary Educational Facilities				C_	Р	P	P	P
Public Secondary Educational Facilities			**	С	Р	Р	P	P
Railroad Facilities	••						••	
Religious Assembly	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р	Р.
Residential Treatment			С	С				
Safety Services	С		С		С	c	С	
Transitional Housing			**				С	
Transportation Terminal					••			
All other Civic Uses								
(1) Limited to 5,000 Gross Square Feet			,					
(2) Limited to south of 29th St.								
(3) Limited to 10,000 Gross Square Feet								
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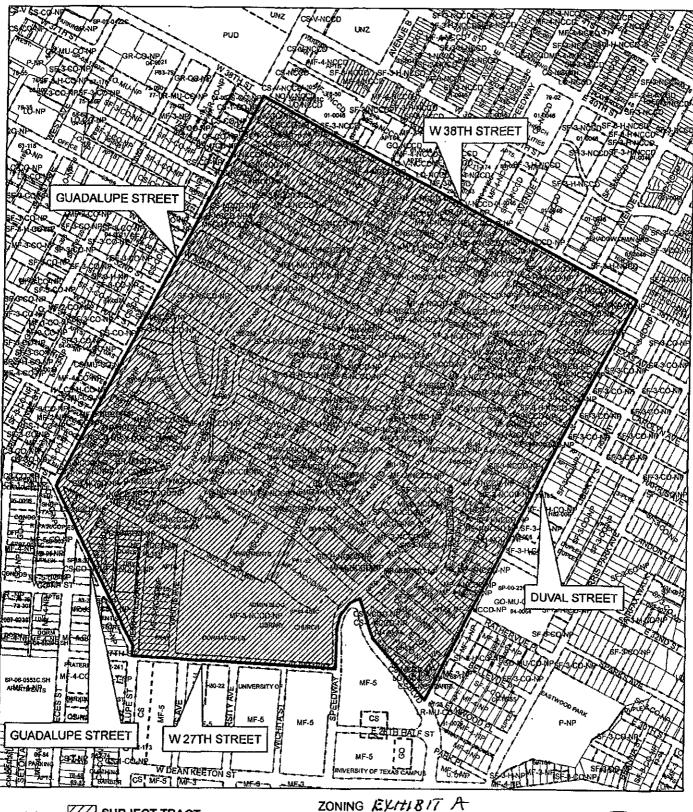
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PART 5 Except as otherwise specifically provided in this ordinance, the Property in the NUNA plan area is subject to Ordinance No. 040826-58, as amended, that established the North University neighborhood conservation-neighborhood plan combining district.

PART 6. This ordinance takes effect on December 1, 2008.

PASSED AND APPROVED

Nover	nber 20, 2008	§ WWWn
	,	Will Wynn
	•	Mayor
APPROVED:		ATTEST: Worne Some for
•	David Allan Smith	Shirley A. Gentry
	City Attorney	City Clerk





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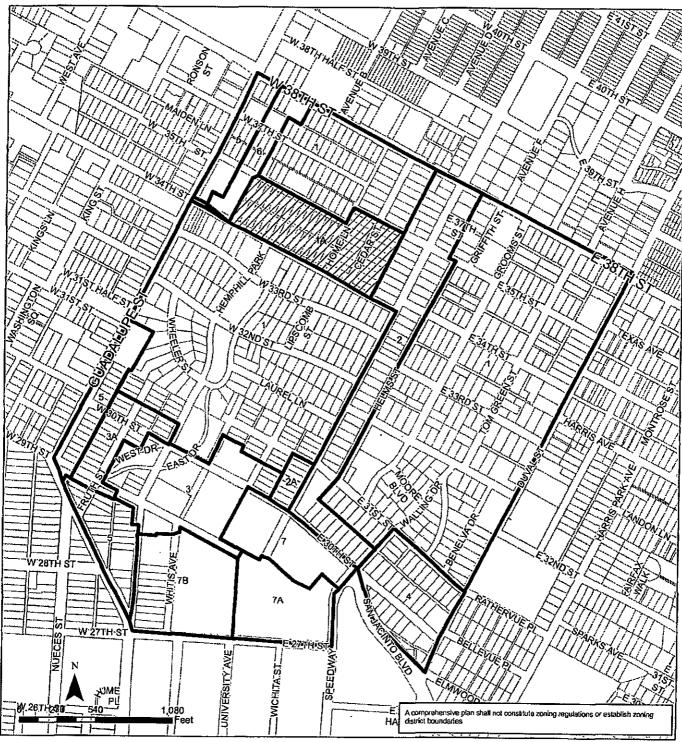
PENDING CASE

ZONING CASE#: C14-04-0022

ADDRESS: NORTH UNIVERSITY NCCD.

SUBJECTAREA: 234.870 ACRES GRID: J24 & J25 MANAGER: W. RHOADES





North University Neighborhood Conservation Combining District

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 5, Guadalupe District Central
 1A, Residential District West
 6, Transition District
 2-2A, Speedway District
 7, 7A, 7B Waller Creek/Seminary
- 3-3A, Adams Park District

4, San Jacinto District

EXHIBIT B

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L. C. Purnell

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in and also before no on this day paragetty there Louis May Purhelly life of C. Purnell, known to me to be the person whom is is subscribed to ... foreging trument, and hering been exemined by me printly an apert from her husband, and having send fully explained to her, she, the said tours my recell, ecknowledged suc trument to be her out and deed declared that she had wallingly signed the same for purposes and considers tigg serein expressed, and that she did by wish to retree t vi on under my head seed of office, this the 10th day of Jenney, A. D. 1

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Motory Public, Trevis County, Texas

led for 3 an. 10, 1948 et 3:15 P. M. Becorded Jan. 15, 1946 et 5:00 P.

STATE OF TRACE

COUNTY OF TRAVES

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I, Ada Horson Huck, a widow, of Travis County, Texas, for and in consideration the natural love and affection which I have and bear for Catherine Hock Smothers, wife of George Smothers, have greated, sold and conveyed and by these presents do great, well and convey unto the said Catherine Huck Smothers, of the County of Travis, in the State of Texes, as here separate property and estate, all that certain treat or percel of land lyin and being situated in the City of Austin, Travis County, Texas, and described as follows, to-wit:

The North forty-eight (48) feet of Lot No. Six (6) in Block No. Nigeteen (19) in Opocus Addition in the City of Austin, Travis County, Texas, seconding to the map or plat of said Addition recorded in Book 1, at page 89, of the Plat Records of Tree is County. Texes, and being a persion of the same property conveyed Ed. R. Huck by warranty deed of W. L. Bredfield at ux., dated November 4, 1927; of report in Travia County, Deel Records, said map or plat and said deed and the records thereof reference is here made for descrip

To have and to hold the above described presides, together with all and singular, rights and appurtenances thereto in enywise belonging, unto the said Orantes above passed, her severate property and estate, her helps or assigns, forever, and I do hereby bind any heirs, executors, and administrators to Warrent and Forever Defend, all and singular, said premises unto the said Grentes, her heirs and sanigms, against every person uncased.

Lawfully obtaining or to claim the same, or any part thereof.

Witness my hand this 21st day of December, A.D. 1945.

Ade Horton Husk

COUNTS OF THATS

Defore me, the undersigned outhority, on this day personally appeared administrate Ruck, a widow, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and administrated to me that she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

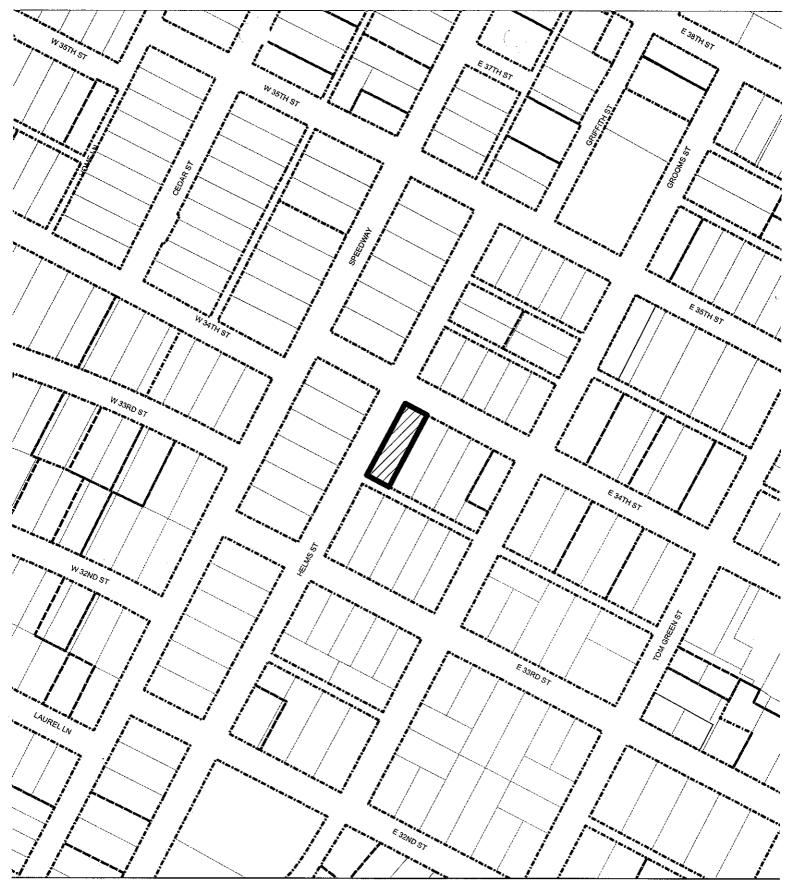
Given under my hand and seel of office, this list day of December, A. D. 1945.

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Filed for Record Jen. 10, 1946 at 3:30 P. H. Recorded Jen. 15, 1946 at 5:18 P. M.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I, where Lens Neier, a feme sole, of Travis County, Texas, and we in conserve of the sum of Pitter Mundred and No/100 Dollers (\$1500.00) cash that is head paid to the Grontee hereinefter named the receipt of which is head acknowled. And confess, and for the payment of which no look or lien, expensed or implied, is retained, and further sum of Twenty-five Hundred and No. 100 Collers (\$2500.00) secured to be paid it secondence with one dertein promisect purchase many note; of even date herenith, expense by the Grantee herein, payeble on my request to the order the Austin Mational Brainest Austin, T-xes, which in fact ion has this day advanced to me the lawtin Mational Brainest the principal of the note being payable in annual installments of \$250.000 more, in the first such installments being due and payable on the lat day of January, No. 101947 and account installment of \$250.000 or more being due and payable on the lat day of January, No. 101947 and account installment of \$250.000 or more being due and payable on the lat day of January.





BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS

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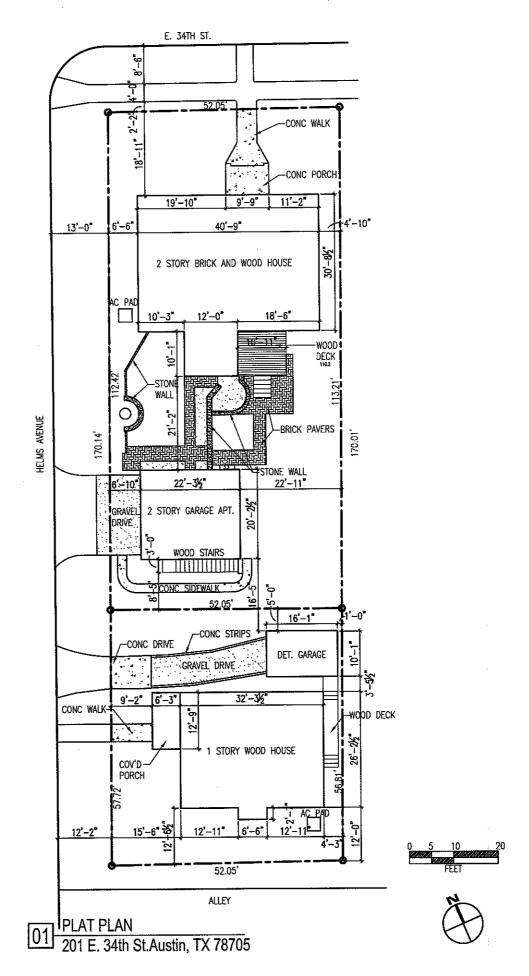
LOCATION: 201 EAST 34TJ ST & 3307 HELMS ST

GRID: J25

MANAGER: SUSAN WALKER



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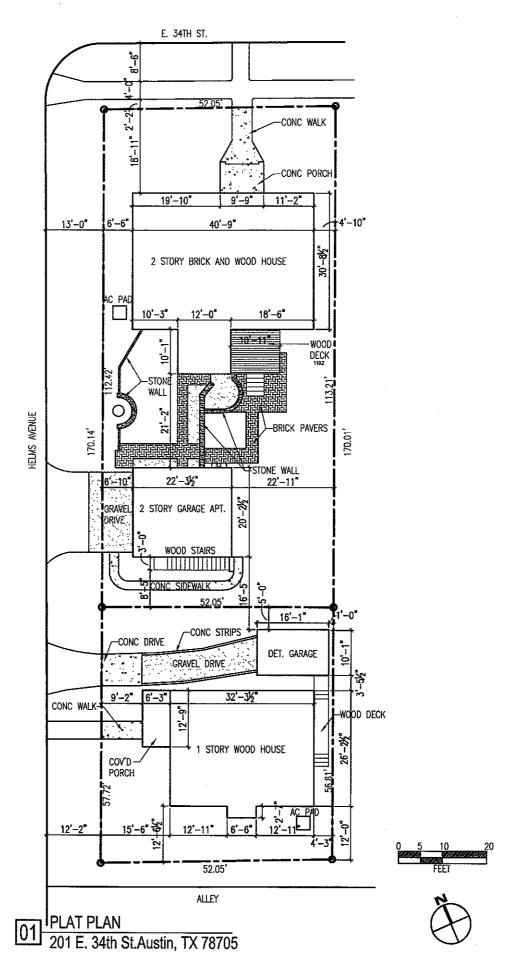


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"August 1, 2011

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% Totals			200	
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Whole Lot	45%		42 A0%	Meets Standards
WINDLE COL	4370		72.076	Meets
N. Portion	45%		41.6%	Standards
				Meets
S. Portion	45%		42.8%	Standards
	Maximum Building Coverage for SF-3	Impervious Coverage Ra	itio	Marka
Whole Lot	40%		31.2%	Meets Standards
				Meets
N. Portion	40%		31.0%	Standards
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S. Portion	40%		34.5%	Standards
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If you need assistance completing this application (general inquires only) please contact Susan Walker, 974-2202; 505 Barton Springs Road, 2^{nd} Floor (One Texas Center).

CASE # (1) -2011-0086 ROW # 10 62.1259
CITY OF AUSTIN TP-6218041501
APPLICATION TO BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
GENERAL VARIANCE/PARKING VARIANCE 02 - 1804 - 2802
GENERAL VARIANCE/PARKING VARIANCE 02 - 1804 - 2802 VARNING: Filing of this appeal stops all affected construction activity. 201 E 34+315+
PLEASE: APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED WITH ALL REQUESTED INFORMATION COMPLETED. SEE ATTRIBED. 02-1804-2803 TREET ADDRESS: 201 East. 344 57. and 3307 Helms St. 201 E34th 2 EGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision—
TREET ADDRESS: 201 Eurs, 340 ST. and 3307 Helms St. 201 634th 2
EGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision –
Lot(s)BlockOutlotDivision
We Wo (as Gibb) burbehalf to myself/ourselves as authorized agent for a large Babhabters & John affirm that on 6-10, 2010
ereby apply for a hearing before the Board of Adjustment for consideration to:
heck appropriate items below)
ERECT ATTACH COMPLETE REMODEL MAINTAIN
decrease the minimum lot size
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a SF-3-NCCD-NP LU Order to Nesubdivide (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.
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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:
<u>H</u>	ARDSHIP:
2.	(a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:
	(b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:
	REA 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:
<u>P</u>	ARKING: (Additional criteria for parking variances only.)
Bo res fin	quest for a parking variance requires the Board to make additional findings. The sard may grant a variance to a regulation prescribed Section 479 of Chapter 25-6 with spect to the number of off-street parking spaces or loading facilities required if it makes dings of fact that the following additional circumstances also apply: 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:

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:
3.	The granting of this variance will not create a safety hazard or any other condition inconsistent with the objectives of this Ordinance because:
4.	The variance will run with the use or uses to which it pertains and shall not run with the site because:
N	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.
	PLICANT CERTIFICATE – I affirm that my statements contained in the complete plication are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
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RE: City of Austin Application to Board of Adjustment General Variance

201 East 34th Street Austin, TX 78705 UNT 1 34TH & HELMS CONDOMINIUMS PLUS 50.0 % INT IN COM AREA

And

3307 Helms Street Austin, TX 78705 UNT 2 34TH & HELMS CONDOMINIUMS PLUS 50.0 % INT IN COM AREA

I, Douglas Gibbins, on behalf of myself as authorized agent for Farzad Bozorgmehr, Vallerie Bauhaofer, and John White affirm that on June 10, 2011, hereby apply for a hearing before the Baord of Adjustment for the consideration to:

Maintain the property with the same zoning while allowing subdivision of the lot into two lots smaller than the minimum lot size the zoning allows in SF-3-NCCD-NP district.

VARIANCE FINDINGS

1. REASONABLE USE

The owners are deprived of fee simple ownership of single family properties enjoyed by neighbors due to the original and subsequent imposition of zoning ordinances on the property. The improvements (two free standing houses, one free standing garage with a second story living quarters, and a free standing single story garage) pre-date the ordinances that render the property non-conforming and not eligible for subdivision. It is reasonable that free standing, single family homes fronting different streets be allowed to have separate, fee simple ownership.

If subdivision is allowed, the properties will be fully conforming except for lot size with one being 5,735 SF and the other 3,081 SF. The larger lot would have a free standing single family home that has a detached garage with a second story living quarters. The second property would have a free standing single family home with a detached garage. This is a reasonable use that conforms with the character of the neighborhood.

2. HARDSHIP

The hardship on the property owners for this variance request are not general to the area. The single family improvements built in 1926, 1935, and 1946 pre-date the zoning ordinances that render the property non-conforming and not eligible for subdivision. Without the lot being subdivided, the owners cannot have fee simple ownership of single family homes without the undue burden of demolishing one of the well maintained, 76 + year old homes on the lot. Other neighbors have fee simple ownership for their free standing, single family homes. Notable are the similar homes next door at 200 East 33rd Street built 1919 with lot size 6,482 SF and 3305 Helms built 1950 with lot size 2,520 SF. Combined they are the other half of the block on the other side of the alley. These neighbors directly next door do not have this same hardship due to enjoying having a similar sized parcel subdivided into two lots.

3. AREA CHARACTER

Granting the variance will bring the historical use and future permitted use of the property to be in compliance with the character of the neighborhood. This single lot has three separate residential structures with one being a second story living quarters above a garage plus a second detached garage. As it exists as just one lot, it is not in compliance with the character of the neighborhood. If it were subdivided into two lots, it would be in compliance with the character of the neighborhood. Other similar lots have one primary residential structure, a garage and occasionally a living quarters combined with the garage. We are asking to have this property be granted a variance to minimum lot size so as to be subdivided so it is more like the rest of the neighborhood.

The variance, if granted, will not impair the use of adjacent conforming property since it makes this property more like the adjacent properties.

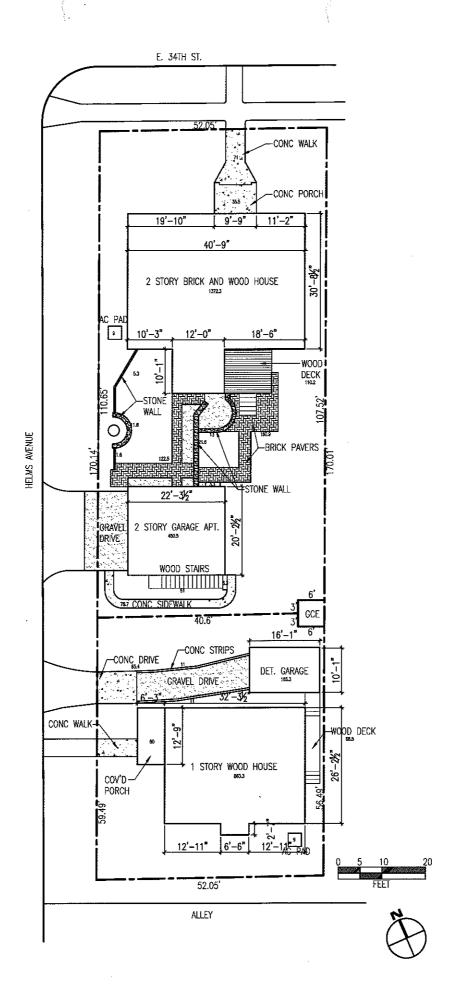
The variance, if granted, will not impair the purpose of the regulations of the zoning district in which the property is located because it makes the property/properties better comply with the zoning district site development standards.

PARKING

- 1. The improvements and use of the property are not altered should the variance be granted. Hence, there will not be a change in traffic volumes.
- 2. The improvements and use of the property are not altered should the variance be granted. Hence, there will not be a change in parking or loading of vehicles on public streets.
- 3. The improvements and use of the property are not altered should the variance be granted. Hence, there will not be new safety hazards or any other condition inconsistent with the objectives of this ordinance.

4. The variance will run with the use or uses to which it pertains and shall not run with the site because it is a variance to the zoning district site development standards. If the variance is granted, the owners will promptly seek to subdivide the lot. There is no Change to

parting or need GI have.



Impervious Cover Calculator

Address:

201 E. 34th St. Austin, TX

for:

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Lot Total	8852	
N. Lot	5735	
S. Lot	3081	
GCE	36	
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Impervious Cover	<u>Measure</u>	<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>Subtotal</u>
N. House			1372.3
Conc Porch			35.5
N. Sidewalk			71
Deck	110.2	50%	55.1
N. AC pad			9
Garage			450.5
Garage Stairs	51	50%	25.5
Garage Conc walk			78.7
N. Paver walkway			283.4
N. Stone Walls			59.7

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North Subtotal		2440.7
S. House		863.3
Covered Porch		80
S. Garage		165.3
Conc Walk		36.8
S. AC Pad		9
Conc Drive		65.4
Conc Strips		22
Deck	68.5	50% 34.25

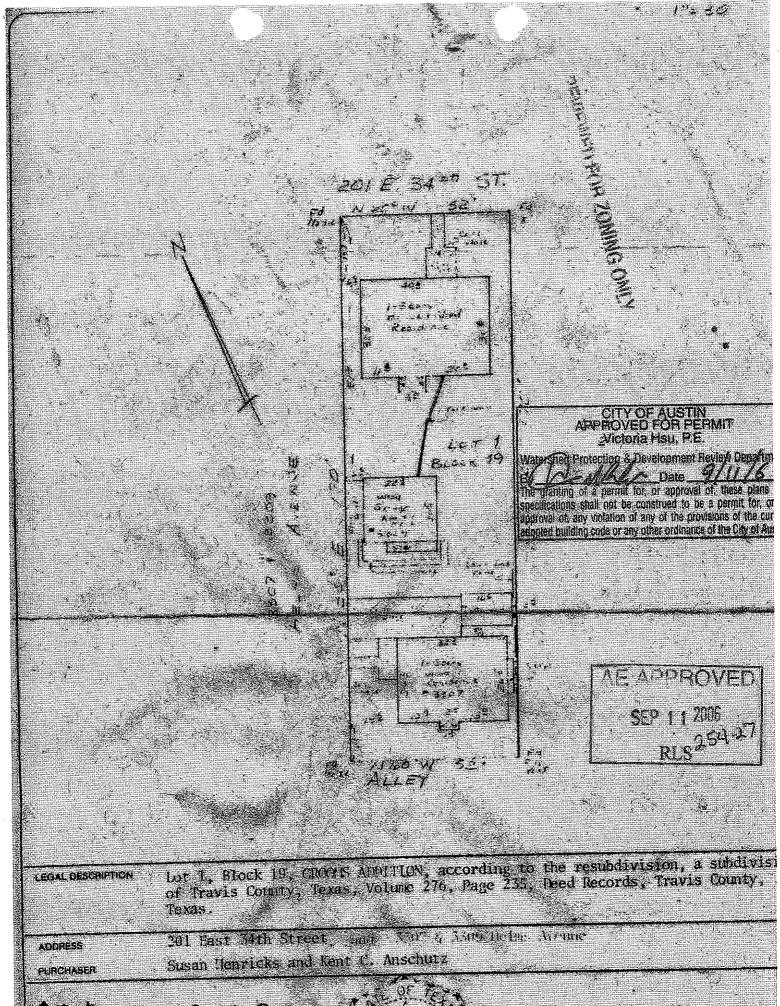
North+South Total	3716.75
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South Subtotal

% Totals	
Whole Lot	41.99%
N. Portion	42.56%
S. Portion	41.42%

Note: North and South Portions do not include the "GCE" indicated on survey. If redrawn and split equally, this would add 18 sq ft of *pervious* cover to each lot.

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American Surveying Company

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