

SUBDIVISION REVIEW SHEET (VARIANCE ONLY)**CASE NO.:** C8-2015-0279.0A**P.C. DATE:** November 8, 2016**SUBDIVISION NAME:** Marcy Hill Resubdivision**AREA:** .851 acre**LOT(S):** 4**OWNER/APPLICANT:** Jaomi Brasher**AGENT:** Michael Friedman**ADDRESS OF SUBDIVISION:** 1104 MARCY ST**GRIDS:** G18**COUNTY:** Travis**WATERSHED:** W Bouldin Creek**JURISDICTION:** Full Purpose**EXISTING ZONING:** SF-3**DISTRICT:** 5**NEIGHBORHOOD PLAN:** S Manchaca**PROPOSED LAND USE:** Single family**ADMINISTRATIVE WAIVERS:** None

VARIANCES: The applicant is requesting a variance from LDC Section 25-4-175(A)(2) in order to resubdivide two lots using a flag lot configuration. **RECOMMENDED**, (see attached memorandum from subdivision review staff).

SIDEWALKS: Sidewalks will be provided on both sides of all internal streets and the subdivision side of boundary streets.

DEPARTMENT COMMENTS: The request is for approval of the Marcy Hill subdivision variance request. The proposed plat is composed of 4 lots on .851 acres.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: The staff recommends approval of the above referenced variance only. The resubdivision application is still under review and will return for your approval at a later date, (subject to the Commission's approval of the above referenced variance request).

PLANNING COMMISSION ACTION:**CITY STAFF:** Don Perryman**PHONE:** 512-974-2786**e-mail:** don.perryman@austintexas.gov

VICINITY MAP
Not to scale

SOUTH BLVD.

LAMAR BLVD.

BEN WHITE BLVD.

SUBJECT

SOUTH CONGRESS AVENUE

SOUTH FIRST STREET

Marcy Street

Redd Street

Jinx Avenue

Gillis Street

MANCHACA ROAD





MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Planning Commission

FROM: Don E. Perryman, Planner Senior
Development Services Department

DATE: November 08, 2016

SUBJECT: C8-2015-0279.0A Marcy Hill Subdivision, (a Resubdivision of Lots 4 and 5, Block A, Bannister Acres Subdivision) Flag Lot variance request

The applicant for the above referenced subdivision application has requested a variance from Section 25-4-175(A)(2) of the Land Development Code to utilize a flag lot design for a resubdivision creating 2 single family residential lots. In reviewing the variance request, staff evaluated the request based upon the criteria below, (see criteria and staff response):

(i) has provided accessibility for emergency responders;

The applicant has met with Austin Fire Department review staff and AFD staff has determined that the flag lot configuration proposed will not inhibit accessibility for emergency responders.

(ii) has adequate room for required utilities

The applicant has provided a driveway and utility plan to reviewers for the City of Austin Water and Wastewater review and Austin Energy Departments. The reviewers have determined after review of the utility/driveway plan that there is adequate room to provide utility service to both lots and utilities will not cross the proposed new lot lines.

(iii) enhances environmental and tree protection;

The applicant has provided a tree survey to arborist staff with the City of Austin and the arborist have no objections or further recommendations.

(iv) is otherwise compatible with the surrounding neighborhood;

There is an existing flag lot development in the immediate vicinity, (two lots west of this lot, on the same side of Marcy Street). The entire area is zoned SF-3-NP which is the appropriate zoning for the proposed use.

(v) the applicant provides a copy of any existing private deed restrictions;

The applicant has determined that there are no existing private deed restrictions that are applicable to this property.

Based upon review of these criteria, staff **recommends** the variance request to develop a flag lot as a part of this resubdivision request.



