CITY OF AUSTIN Board of Adjustment Decision Sheet

DATE: Thursday, November 8, 2018	CASE NUMBER: C15-2018-0042
Y Brooke Bailey	
Y William Burkhardt	
Christopher Covo	
Y Eric Golf	
- Melissa Hawthorne	
Y Bryan King	
Y Don Leighton-Burwell	
Y Rahm McDaniel	
Martha Gonzalez (Alternate)	
L Veronica Rivera	
Y James Valdez	
Y Michael Von Ohlen	
Y Kelly Blume (Alternate)	
Ada Corral (Alternate)	
ADDLICANT, Latte Making	

APPLICANT: Lotte Vehko

OWNER: Ben Reid

ADDRESS: 4214 AVENUE B

VARIANCE REQUESTED: The applicant has requested variance(s) to Ordinance 020131-20 Part 8, (Residential District) 10. A. to decrease the minimum setback from a property line facing an avenue, Duval Street or the south side of West 39th St. from 60 feet (required) 33 feet (requested) in order to construct a new detached two car garage with second floor living space in a SF-3-HD-NCCD-NP, Family residence – historic district – Neighborhood Conservation Combining District – Neighborhood Plan zoning district. (Hyde Park)

BOARD'S DECISION: BOA Nov 8, 2018 The public hearing was closed on Board Member Bryan King motion to Postpone to December 10, 2018, Board Member Don Leighton-Burwell second on a 9-0 vote (Board member Veronica Rivera late); POSTPONED TO DECEMBER 10, 2018.

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:

Leane Heldenfels Executive Liaison William Burkhardt

Chairman





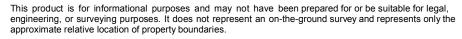


PENDING CASE

ZONING BOUNDARY

NOTIFICATIONS

CASE#: C15-2018-0042 LOCATION: 4214 AVENUE B





Board of Adjustment General/Parking Variance Application

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

For Office Use Only

This application is a fillable PDF that can be completed electronically. To ensure your information is saved, click here to Save the form to your computer, then open your copy and continue.

The Tab key may be used to navigate to each field; Shift + Tab moves to the previous field. The Enter key activates links, emails, and buttons. Use the Up & Down Arrow keys to scroll through drop-down lists and check boxes, and hit Enter to make a selection.

The application must be complete and accurate prior to submittal. If more space is required, please complete Section 6 as needed. All information is required (if applicable).

Case #C15 - 2018 - 604 ROW # 12030970	Tax# 0221050610
Section 1: Applicant Statement	
Street Address: 4214 Avenue B	
Subdivision Legal Description:	
E 80FT OF LOT 30-32 BLK 1 HYDE PARK ADDN NO 2	
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Lot(s): 30-32 Block(s	i): <u>1</u>
Outlot: Division	1: <u></u>
Zoning District: SF-3-HD-NCCD-NP (Hyde Park)	
I/We Lotte Vehko	on behalf of myself/ourselves as
authorized agent for Ben Reid	
Month September , Day 10 , Year 2018	
Board of Adjustment for consideration to (select appropriat	te option below):
● Erect ○ Attach ○ Complete ○ Remodel ○	○ Maintain ○ Other:
Type of Structure: new detached two-car garage with sec	ond floor living space

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Portion of the City of Austin Land Development Code applicant is seeking a variance from:
ORDINANCE NO. 020131-20, Part 8, #10a we request that the accessory building setback from Avenue B be reduced from 60 feet to 33 feet.
Section 2: Variance Findings
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 supporting documents.
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.
I contend that my entitlement to the requested variance is based on the following findings:
Reasonable Use The zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use because:
The regulation requires that an accessory building be placed 60 feet from a property that faces
an avenue and 5 feet from the rear property line. The subject lot faces Avenue B. It is 75 feet wide and 80 feet deep and has an existing single family home. Complying with the regulation as
written does not allow a reasonable space to add and accessory structure because when
combining both setback rules only fifteen feet of space remain for construction of the new
garage. That small buildable space is inadquate for a garage intended to store a vehicle.
Hardship
a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:
The 75 X 80 lot size and shape is not common to the area; most lots are narrower and deeper. Additionally, there are several heritage-size trees and an historic well, that limit locations that a new garage can be placed.
b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:
The deeper and narrower lots more common to the area allow adherance to the regulation and
provide enough room for an adequately-sized garage. Additionally, the existing house is about 8'-9" forward of the front setback, unlike adjacent properties. The combination of these factors

makes this hardship not general to the area.

Area Character

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:

Many houses in Hyde Park have two-story garages at the rear of their lots and this is a traditional historic configuration for the neighborhood. The proposed new garage will be designed to be stylistically compatible with these existing traditional structures and will preserve the privacy sightlines of adjacent properties to the greatest extent possible. The spirit of the regulation (to keep garages well back from the front facade of houses) will be preserved because the existing house placement is almost 10' in front of the front setback.

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 in the City of Austin Land Development Code Chapter 25-6, Appendix A 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:

1.	Neither present nor anticipated future traffic volumes generated by the use of the site or the uses of sites in the vicinity reasonably 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 inconsisten 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:
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Section 3: Applicant Certificate

Applicant Signature:	Date: <u>09/10/2018</u>
A B 481	
Applicant Mailing Address: 807 Porter Street	
City: Taylor State: T	TX Zip: 76574
Phone (will be public information): (512) 708-0703	
Email (optional – will be public information):	
Section 4: Owner Certificate	
I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application are my knowledge and belief.	e true and correct to the best of
Owner Signature:	Date: <u>09/10/2018</u>
Owner Name (typed or printed): Ben Reid	
Owner Mailing Address: 4214 Avenue B	
City: Austin State: _T	TX Zip: 78751
Phone (will be public information):	
Email (optional – will be public information):	
Section 5: Agent Information	
Agent Name: Lotte Vehko	
Agent Mailing Address: 807 Porter Street	
City: Taylor State: TX	Zip: 76574
Phone (will be public information): (512) 708-0703	
Email (optional – will be public information):	
Section 6: Additional Space (if applicable)	
Please use the space below to provide additional information as need referenced to the proper item, include the Section and Field names	

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Phone (will be public information):		
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Section 5: Agent Information Agent Name: Lotte Vehko		
Agent Mailing Address: <u>807 Porter Street</u>		
City: <u>Taylor</u>	State: <u>TX</u>	Zip: 76574
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Email (optional – will be public information):		
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ORDINANCE NO. 020131-20

AN ORDINANCE REZONING AND CHANGING THE ZONING MAP ACCOMPANYING CHAPTER 25-2 OF THE CITY CODE TO ESTABLISH THE HYDE PARK NEIGHBORHOOD CONSERVATION COMBINING DISTRICT (NCCD) FOR THE PROPERTY WHOSE BOUNDARIES ARE 45TH STREET TO THE NORTH, 38TH STREET TO THE SOUTH, GUADALUPE STREET TO THE WEST AND DUVAL STREET TO THE EAST, IN THE CITY OF AUSTIN, TRAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS; AND TO MODIFY CERTAIN BASE DISTRICTS IN THE NCCD; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

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

PART 1. The zoning map established by Section 25-2-191 of the City Code is amended to establish the Hyde Park neighborhood conservation combining district (NCCD) and to add a NCCD to each base zoning district within the property bounded by 45th Street to the north, 38th Street to the south, Guadalupe Street to the west, and Duval Street to the east, described in File C14-01-0046 and as more particularly identified in the map attached as Exhibit "A," SAVE AND EXCEPT Lots 5 through 16 of Block 12 of the Hyde Park Addition No. 1, and to change the base zoning districts on 13 tracts of land within the NCCD.

PART 2. The base zoning of the 13 tracts shown in the chart below are changed from family residence (SF-3) district, multifamily residence medium density (MF-3) district, multifamily residence moderate- high density (MF-4) district, multifamily residence moderate-high density-historic (MF-4-H) combining district, limited office-historic (LO-H) combining district, and general commercial services (CS) district, to multifamily residence limited density neighborhood conservation (MF-1-NCCD) combining district, multifamily residence low density neighborhood conservation (SF-3-NCCD) combining district, family residence-historic-neighborhood conservation (SF-3-H-NCCD) combining district, limited office-historic-neighborhood conservation (LO-H-NCCD) combining district, neighborhood commercial neighborhood conservation (LR-NCCD) combining district, and multifamily residence medium density neighborhood conservation (MF-3-NCCD) combining district.

Surveyors and dated August 26, 1993, attached to this ordinance as Exhibit "C" and on file with the Director of Neighborhood Planning and Zoning Department in File C14-01-0046.

- g. The following provision applies to parking required under Subsection d.
 - 1. Tandem parking:
 - a. for a single-family or duplex residential use, is permitted; and
 - b. for a multi-family use, is permitted if both spaces are assigned to the same unit.
 - 2. Two parking spaces per dwelling unit are required in the Residential District and the West 38th Street District.
- h. This subsection applies to property located at 4307 Speedway. Parking is permitted in a street yard for any use if an off-site accessory parking use exists on any part of the property.

PART 8. RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT. The following site development regulations apply in the Residential District.

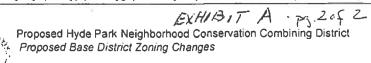
1. Site Development Standards Table. Except as otherwise modified in this part, the following site development regulations apply in the Residential District.

-	RESID	ENTIAL DISTRICT	Γ
	Site Development Standards		
	Single-family Zoning Districts	Multifamily Zoning Districts	Commercial Zoning Districts
Minimum lot size	5750	8000	5750
Minimum lot width	50	50	50
Maximum FAR		0.5 to 1	0.5 to 1

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- a. The street yard setback of the subject property may equal the average of the street yard setbacks of the buildings on adjoining lots if the setbacks are 15 feet or less. In this section, a building across an alley is a building on an adjoining lot. The street yard setback may be established by a principal building or an accessory building that contains a living unit on the ground floor that fronts on the street.
- b. Notwithstanding any provision in this section, a setback may not be less than five feet.
- 6. For a building façade that is longer than 50 feet, the façade may not extend horizontally in an unbroken line for more than 30 feet.
- 7. A two-family residential use is permitted in the Residential District on a lot that is 7000 square feet or larger.
- 8. Except as provided in Section 9 of this part, a porch may extend:
 - a. on an avenue, a maximum of eight feet in front of the street yard setback; and
 - b. on a street other than an avenue, a maximum of five feet in front of a street yard setback.
- 9. A porch must be at least five feet from a property line that faces a street.
- 10. Except as otherwise provided in Sections 13 and 14 in this part, for an accessory building the minimum setback from:
 - a. a property line facing an avenue, Duval Street, or the south side of West 39th Street is 60 feet;
 - b. a property line facing a street other than a street identified in Subsection a. of this section is 15 feet; and
 - c. an interior side property line is five feet.
- 11. Except as otherwise provided in Section 12, 13, and 14 of this part, the minimum setback from a rear property line for an accessory building that is not more than 30 feet in height, is five feet.





PEC 10

See attached chart for zoning recommendations.



From: Heldenfels, Leane
To: Ramirez, Diana

Subject: c15-2018-0042/4214 Avenue B advance packet, amanda upload

Date: Thursday, November 01, 2018 10:02:44 AM

From: Lotte Vehko

Sent: Tuesday, September 11, 2018 4:20 PM

Subject: RE: 4214 Avenue B pending BOA application

Emily Layton advised that a second sink is what makes the accessory living space into a dwelling unit, so we designed it to have a shared sink between the kitchen and bathroom.

The owner is talking to neighbors now, will send anything we get back.

Thanks!

Date: 17 October 2018

To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

From Name:

Address:

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Thank you,

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PUBLIC HEARING INFORMATION

Although applicants and/or their agent(s) are expected to attend a public hearing, you are not required to attend. However, if you do attend, you have the opportunity to speak FOR or AGAINST the proposed development or change. You may also contact a neighborhood or environmental organization that has expressed an interest in an application affecting your neighborhood.

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; and:

City of Austin Planning and Zoning Department Andrew Rice, Historic Preservation Office

PO Box 1088

Austin, TX 78767-8810 FAX 512-974-9104

- occupies a primary residence that is within 500 feet of the subject property or proposed development;
- 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 14 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, please visit our website: www.austintexas.gov/abc.

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 board or commission's name, the scheduled date of the public hearing, the Case Number and the contact person listed on the notice.

Case Number(s): LHD-2018-0016 – 4206 Avenue B —Contact: Andrew Rice, 512-974-1686	I am in favor
THE CANADAM TO	I object
Public Hearing: Historic Landmark Commission, July 23, 2018	
DAND/ANDERSON 4	210 AVENUE B
Your Name (please print) Your address(es) affected	by this application
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If you use this form to comment, it may be returned to:	

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Date: October 8th Lok

To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

From Name: Towning Sheffer - Bracha Oren Bracha
Address: 4003 AUEB
Author TX 787.

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	10/8/2018	
Date:	_ 1812018	

To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

From Name:

Matt McCartney

Address:

307 N 43 d St.

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Date: 10 9 18

To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

Address:

Jonathan Parkhurst
4206 Avenue B, Austin, TX 78751

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Date: 10/11/16

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Address:

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Date: 10-12-2018

To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

From Name:

Shelley Madsen

Address:

4100 Averve R

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Address: Michelle Lee Address: AVSTIN TX 78751
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Thank you, Party and is a lovely neighbors. He has
Thank you, We have met Mr. Reid at a neighbor's party and is a lovely neighbor. He has taken a neglected property and has improved it to a Hyde Park beauty. Signature

Date: Oct 13, 2018

To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

Date: 10/28/18

To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

RAY MOTRIUK 4205 UVE C Address:

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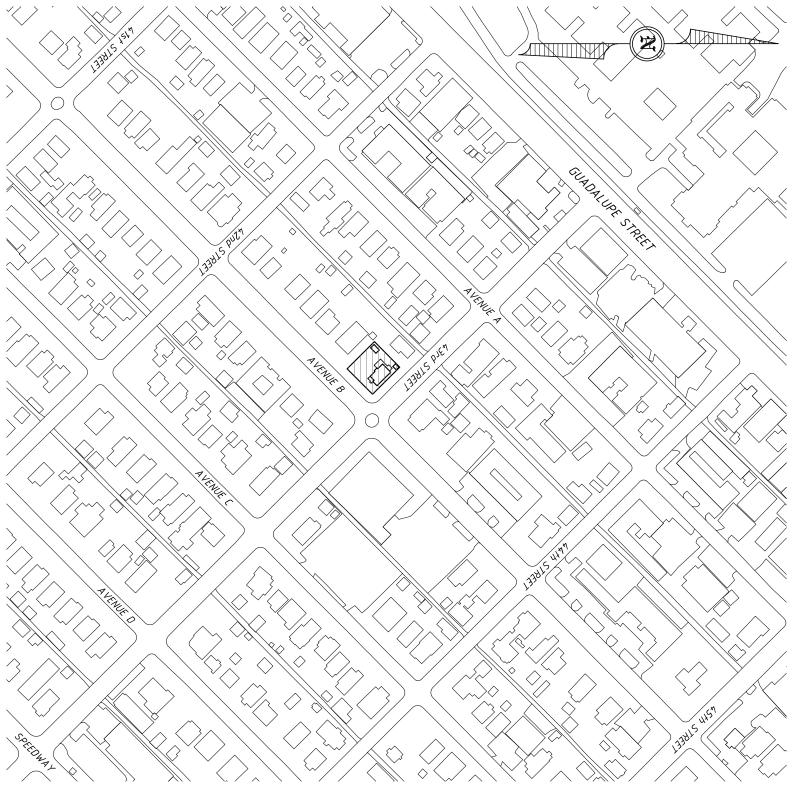
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COMMON ABBREVIATIONS

ELEVATION VIEW AT NUMER

KEYED NOTE ROOF SLOPE

EXTERIOR ELEVATION EASTEXTERIOR ELEVATION WESTEXTERIOR ELEVATION SOUTH

- 1st FLOOR PLAN - 2nd FLOOR PLAN - ROOF PLAN

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REID RESIDENCE | 4214 Avenue B | Austin, Texas DATE: 01 OCT 2018

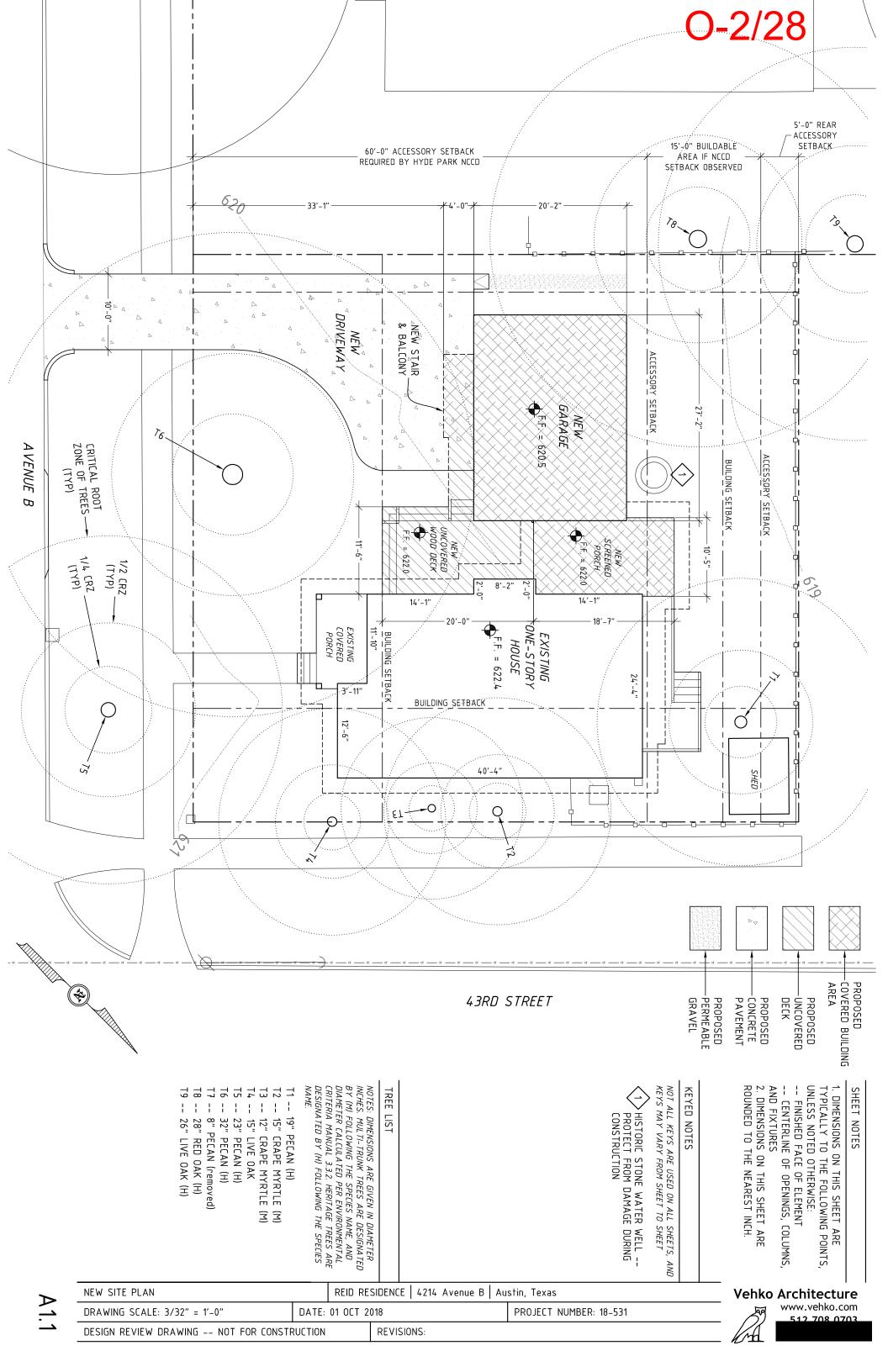
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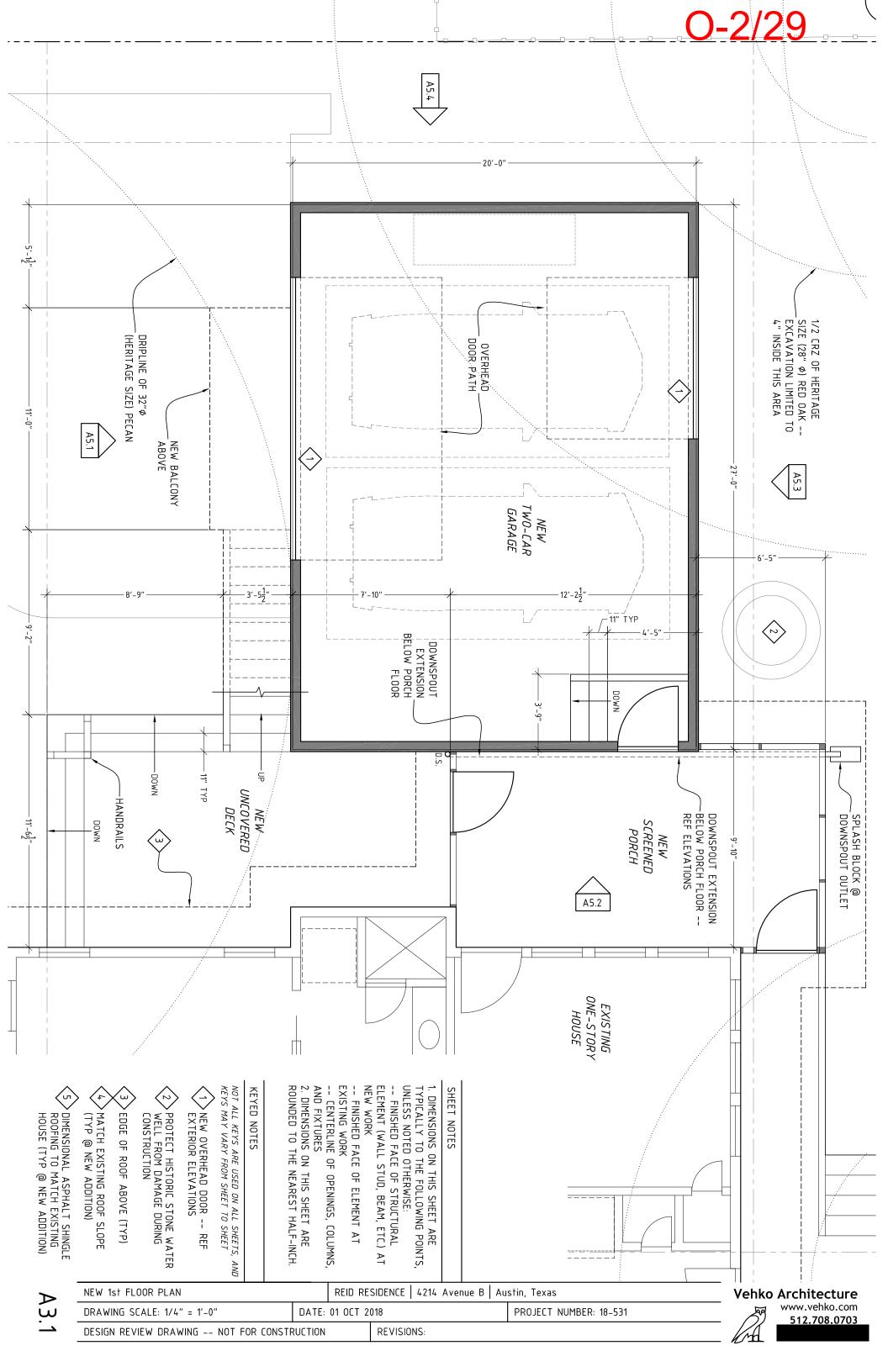
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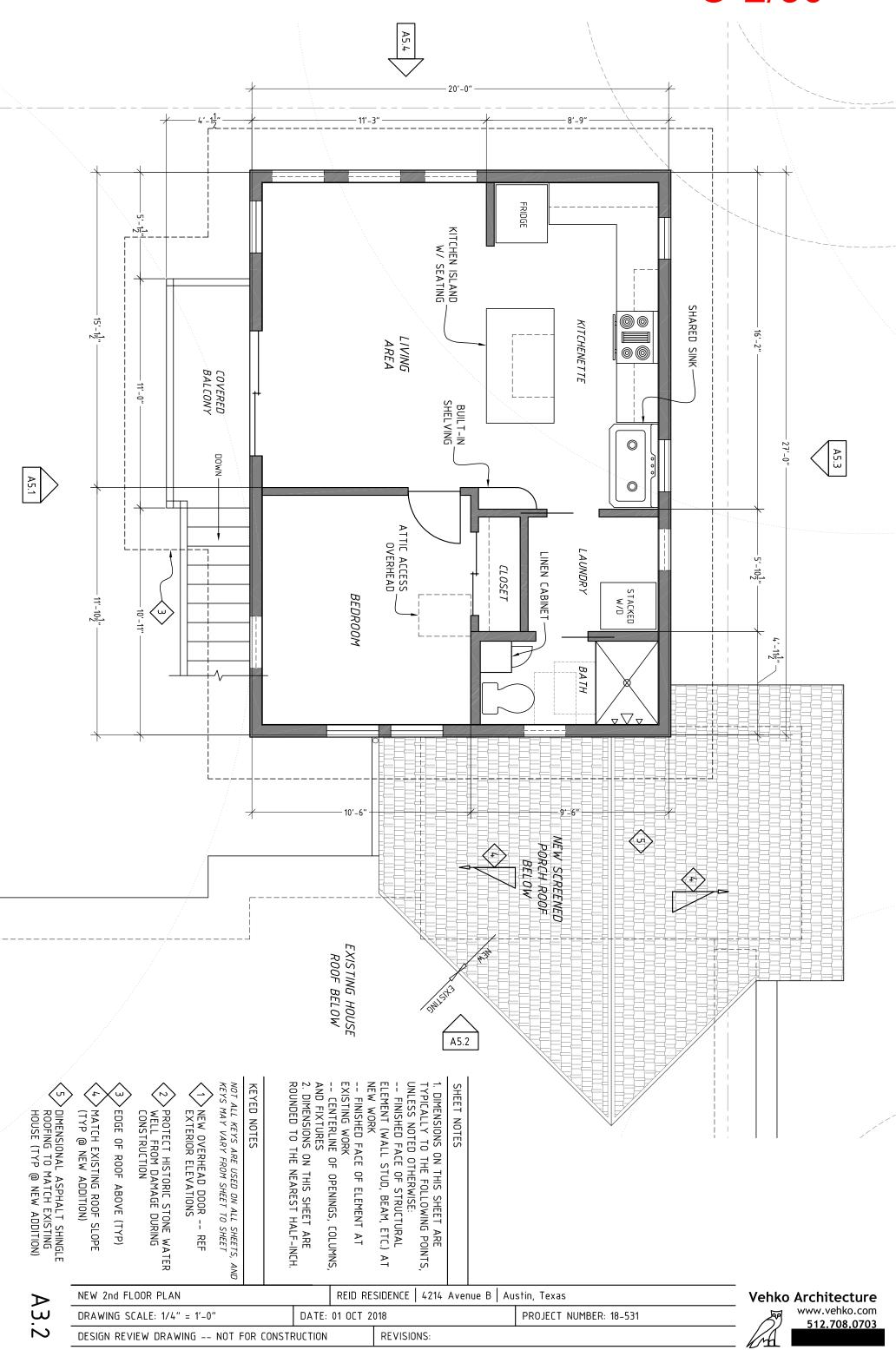
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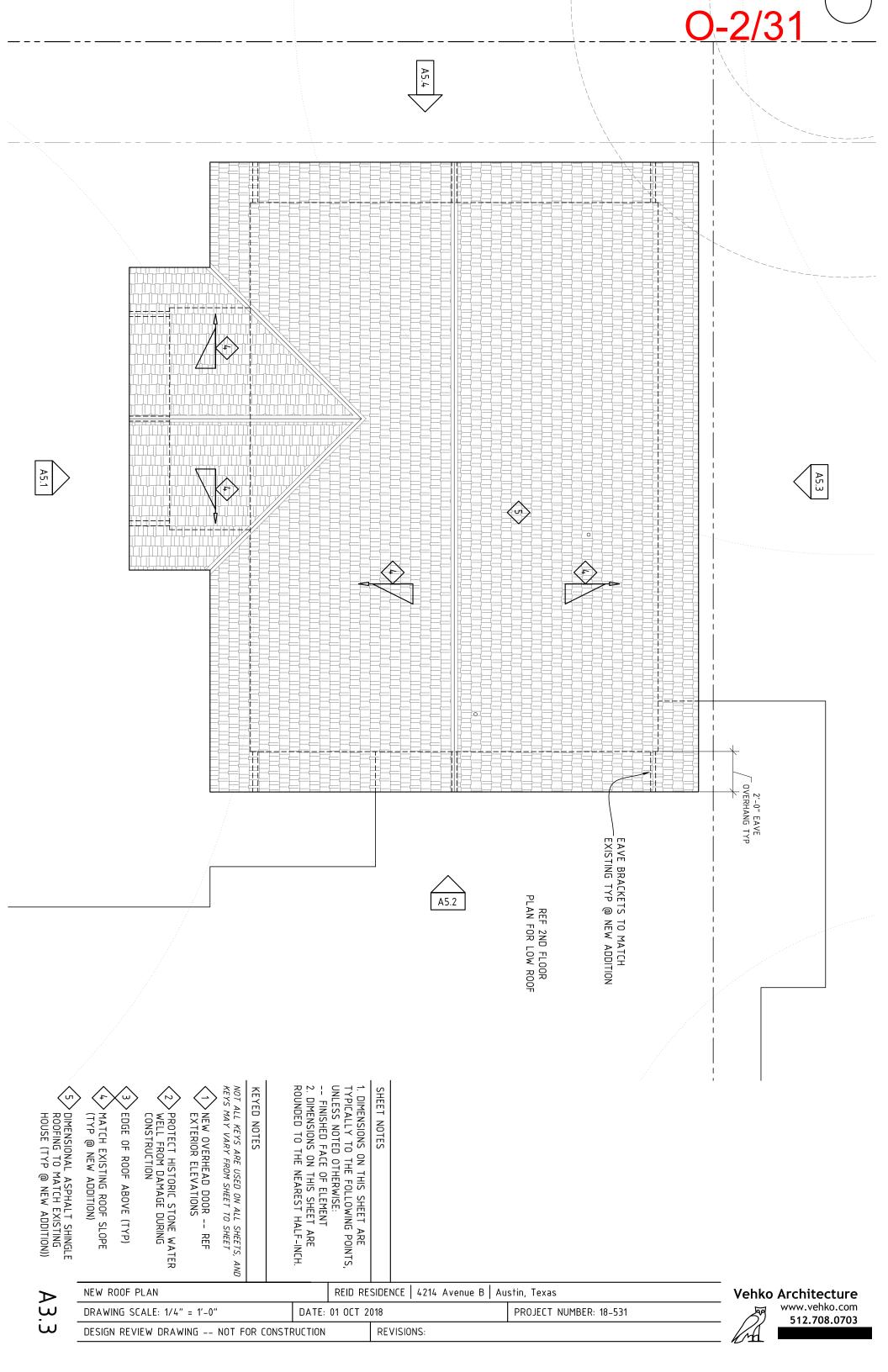
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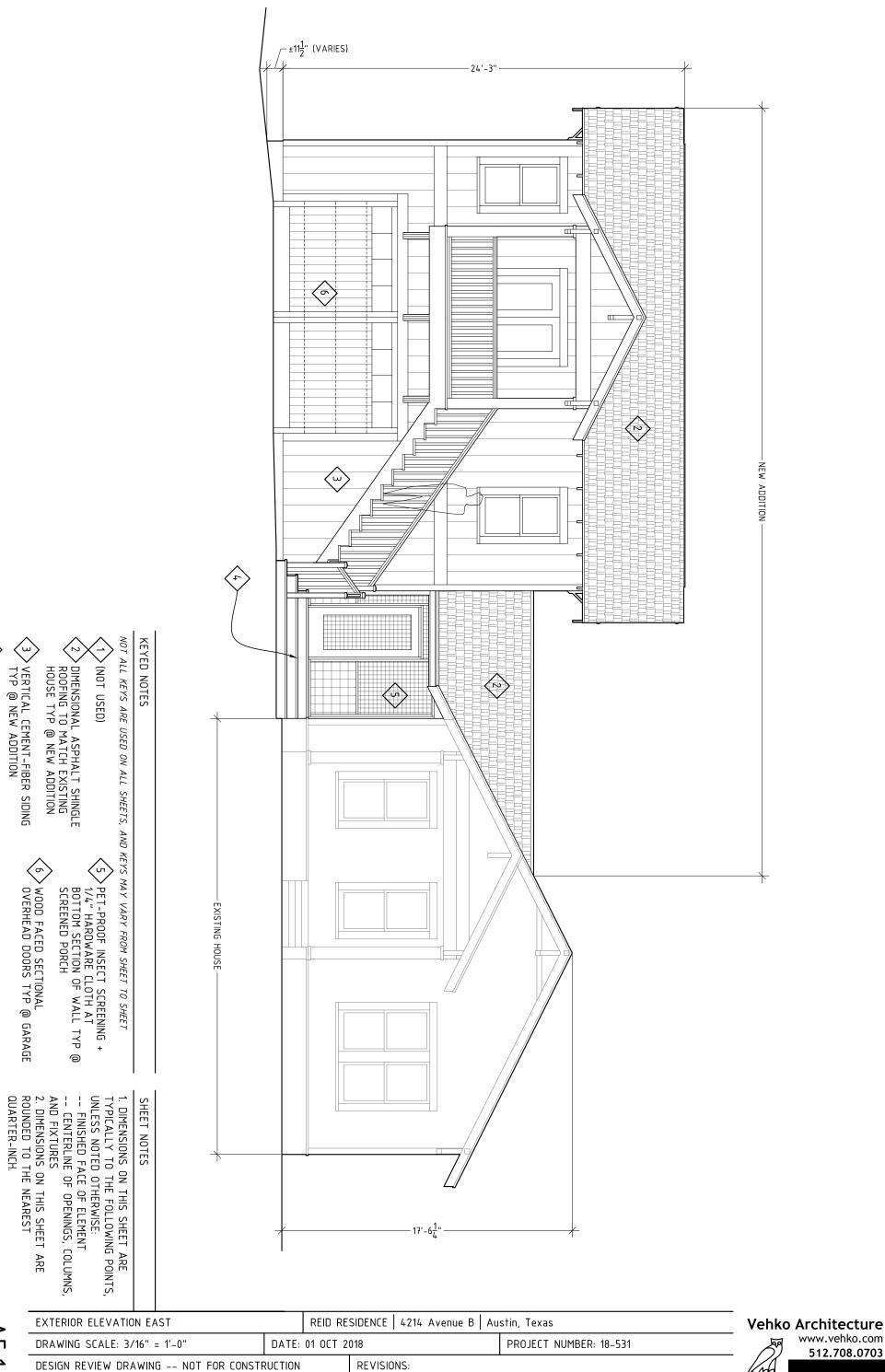
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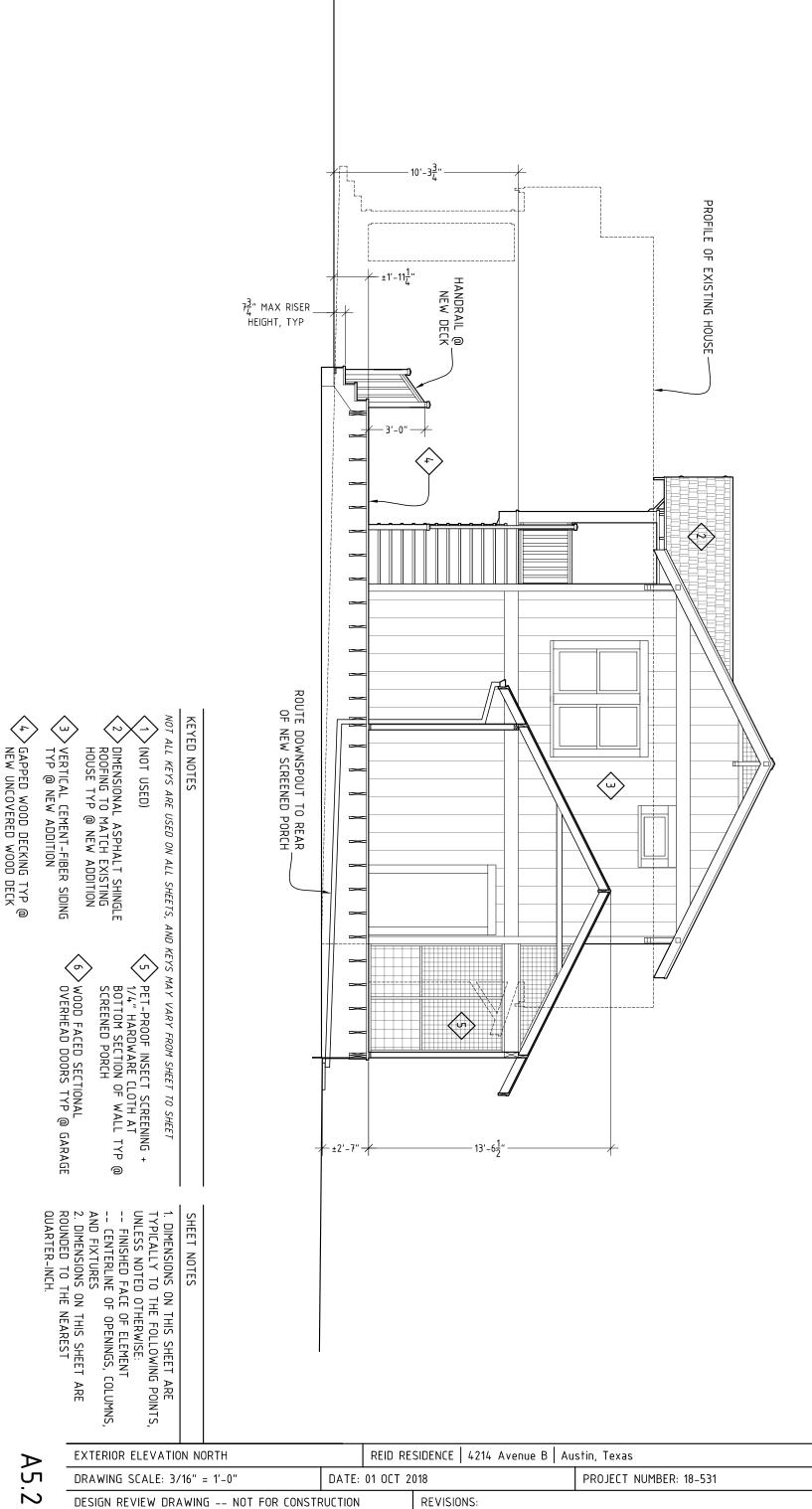


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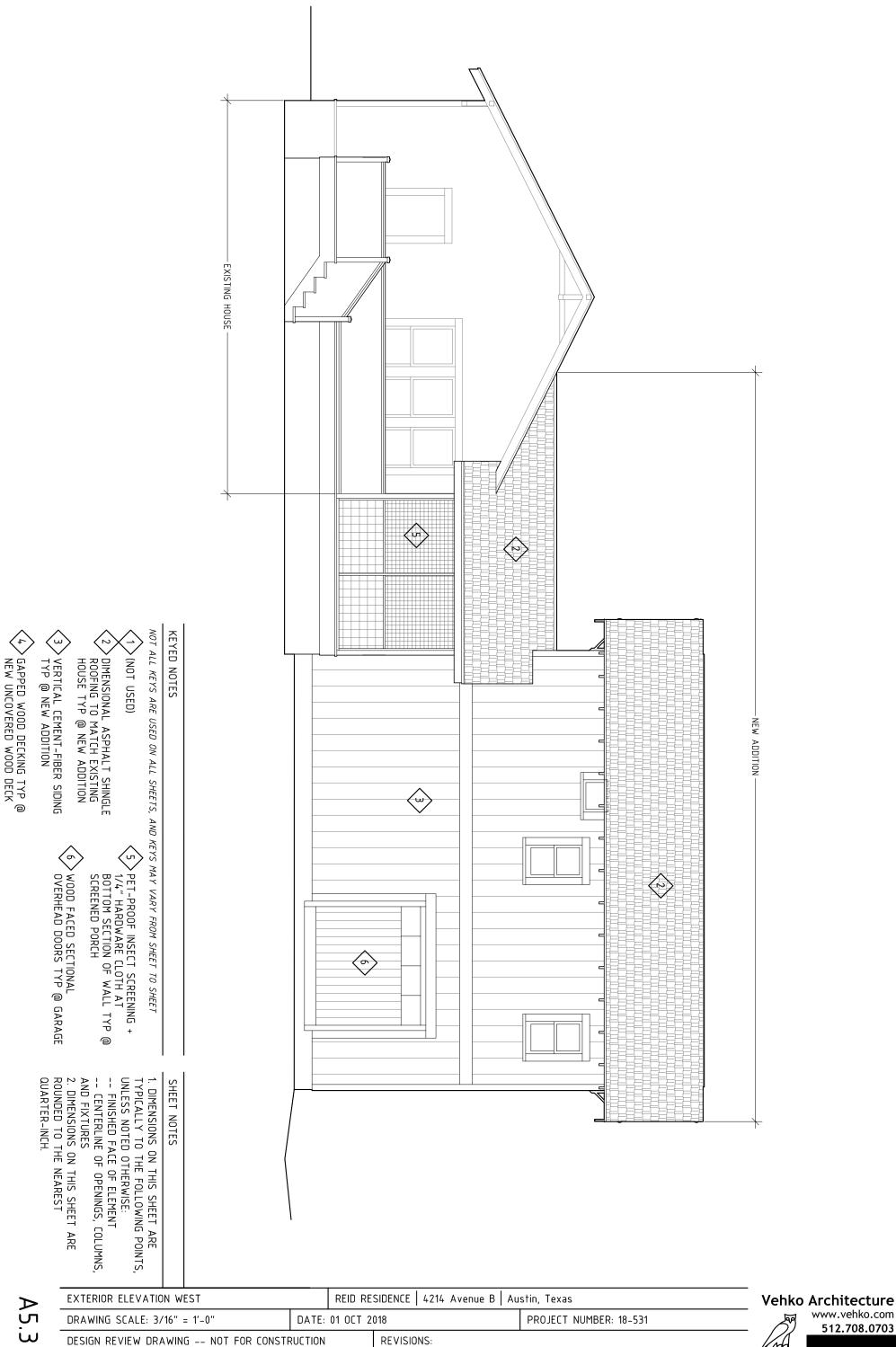
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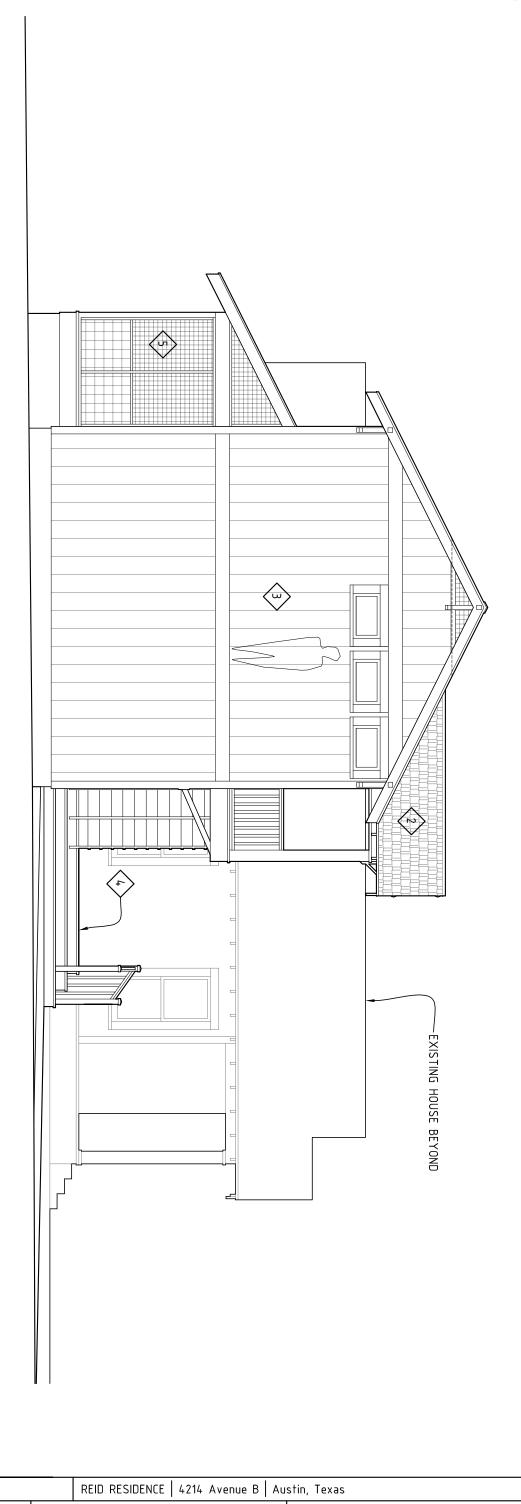


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6 WOOD FACED SECTIONAL OVERHEAD DOORS TYP @ GARAGE

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KEYED NOTES

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EXTERIOR ELEVATION SOUTH DRAWING SCALE: 3/16" = 1'-0" DATE: 01 OCT 2018 PROJECT NUMBER: 18-531 DESIGN REVIEW DRAWING -- NOT FOR CONSTRUCTION **REVISIONS:**

Vehko Architecture www.vehko.com 512,708,0703 Sent: Tuesday, November 06, 2018 1:34 PM To: Heldenfels, Leane Subject: CaseNo C15-2018-0042 4214 Ave B

Hello Leane,

I am in favor FOR the variance request.

thank you, John Mitchell 512-454-6917

porperty owner: 4209 Guadalupe 4207 Guadalupe 4205 Guadalupe (Departure Investments)

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Subject: Letter of Support for Ben Reid

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From: <u>Heldenfels, Leane</u>
To: <u>Ramirez, Diana</u>

Subject: C15-2018-0042/Avenue B new case tonight, late back up

Date: Thursday, November 08, 2018 10:16:49 AM

Sent: Wednesday, November 07, 2018 5:05 PM

To: Heldenfels, Leane

Subject: Comments, Case #C15-2018-0042

To: Leane Heldenfels, City of Austin Development Services

Re: Case # C15-2018-0042, 4214 Avenue B

Public Hearing: November 8, 2018, City of Austin Board of Adjustment

Although I understand the lot constraints that the owner of 4214 Ave. B has to work with, I am concerned about the proposed 2-story garage/apartment addition and the request for a variance to allow a 33-foot setback from the Avenue for the following reasons:

- A 2-story structure so close to the street seems aggressive and will appear looming relative to the neighboring lots and homes.
- The prominence of the 2-car garage, in particular, & its proximity to the Avenue will appear uniquely out of sync with the historic character of the Hyde Park neighborhood.
- The proposed exterior stairs leading to the upstairs apartment, which directly face the Avenue, seem a poor aesthetic choice.
- The owner has proposed that the upstairs apartment might be a future living space for aging parents, but the stairs make it a highly unlikely accommodation for the elderly.

In conclusion, I would simply add that a single-story addition at a 33-foot setback from Avenue B would be less objectionable alternative.