BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

AGENDA

March 17, 2022

6:00 P.M.

Roll Call.

Approval of Minutes: February 17, 2022.

- (1) BZA-0322-07 Hallie Weaver is requesting a Front Setback Variance for the property located at 2012 Hickory Road. The purpose of this request is to reduce the front setback to 47' in lieu of the required 50' to rebuild front porch. The property is owned by Hallie Weaver and is zoned Vestavia Hills R-3.
- (2) BZA-0322-08 William Watson is requesting a Front and Side Setback Variance for the property located 2117 Shades Ave. The purpose of this request is to reduce the front setback to 38' in lieu of the required 50' & to reduce the side setback to 5' in lieu of the required 15' to build a new home. The property is owned by William Watson and is zoned Vestavia Hills R-3.
- (3) BZA-0322-09 Stuart and Emily Rein are requesting a Side Setback Variance for the property located at 1812 Post Oak Road. The purpose of this request is to reduce the side setback to 10' in lieu of the required 15' to a home addition. The property is owned by Stuart and Emily Rein and is zoned Vestavia Hills R-2.

Time of Adjournment.

BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

MINUTES

February 17, 2022

The Board of Zoning Adjustment of the City of Vestavia Hills met in regular session on this date at 6:00 PM. The roll was called with the following:

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Rick Rice, Chairman Stephen Greer Loring Jones, III Thomas Parchman, Alt

MEMBERS ABSENT: Robert Gower

Tony Renta

Ryan Rummage, Alt

OTHER OFFICIALS PRESENT: Jack Wakefield, Planner/GIS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of January 20, 2022 were presented for approval.

MOTION Motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes of December 16, 2021 was made by Mr. Jones and 2nd was by Mr. Greer. Motion as carried on a voice vote as follows:

Mr. Greer – yes Mr. Jones – yes Mr. Parchman – yes Chairman Rice – yes

Motion carried

^{*}The start of the public hearing was delayed until after 6pm, due to a tornado warning for the area. *

FRONT SETBACK VARIANCE

Henry M. Clark is requesting a **Front Setback Variance** for the property located at 1997 Rocky Brook Drive. The purpose of this request is to reduce the front setback to 30' in lieu of the required 40' to build a new house. The property is owned by Henry M. Clark and is zoned Vestavia Hills R-1.

Mr. Wakefield described the area where the property is located and read the review which included the purpose of the request, comprehensive plan and staff review.

Henry Clark was present for the case and stated that the corner lot caused a hardship.

Chairman Rice asked about the construction closer to Rock Brook Drive.

Mt. Clark stated that there is a sewer line near the Rocky Ridge side of the lot and there is added room needed on that end. Also, impervious surfaces is limited with the 10' move closer to Rocky Brook.

Chairman Rice opened the floor for a public hearing. There being no one present in regard to the request, Mr. Rice closed the public hearing and opened the floor for a motion.

MOTION Motion to approve a 10' front setback variance to reduce the setback to 30' in lieu of the recorded 40', for the property located at 1997 Rocky Brook Drive, was made by Mr. Jones and 2nd was by Mr. Greer. Motion was carried on a roll call vote as follows:

Mr. Greer – yes Mr. Jones – yes Mr. Parchman – yes Chairman Rice – yes Motion carried

SIDE SETBACK VARIANCE

BZA-0222-04 Lee and Jaime McClure are requesting a Side Setback Variance for the property located 3877 Timberline Way. The purpose of this request is to reduce the side setback to 11' in lieu of the required 15' to build an addition. The property is owned by Lee and Jaime McClure and is zoned Vestavia Hills RC-1.

Mr. Wakefield described the area where the property is located and read the review which included the purpose of the request, comprehensive plan and staff review.

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Richard Long, 1825 29th Ave South, was present for this case. Mr. long stated that the hardship was an odd-shaped lot. Also, the orientation of the home on the lot limits buildable area with the required setbacks and the odd shape of the lot.

Mr. Greer asked if this was just a single-story addition.

Mr. Long stated that is was a single-story addition.

Chairman Rice opened the floor for a public hearing. There being no one present in regard to the request, Mr. Rice closed the public hearing and opened the floor for a motion.

MOTION Motion to approve a 4' side setback variance to reduce the setback to 11' in lieu of the required 15', for the property located at 3877 Timberline Way, was made by Mr. Jones and 2nd was by Mr. Greer. Motion was carried on a roll call vote as follows:

Mr. Greer – yes Mr. Jones – yes Mr. Parchman – yes Chairman Rice – yes Motion carried

SIDE & REAR SETBACK VARIANCE

BZA-0222-05 Laura C Woodard is requesting a **Side and Rear Setback Variance** for the property located at 4224 White Oak Drive. The purpose of this request is to build a storage structure. The property is owned by Laura C. Woodard and is zoned Vestavia Hills R-4.

Mr. Wakefield described the area where the property is located and read the review which included the purpose of the request, comprehensive plan and staff review.

Laura Woodard, 4224 White Oak Drive, was present for the case and stated that the hardship was an abnormal lot.

Chairman Rice asked for the height of the shed.

Mrs. Woodard stated that she didn't know and that it was not labeled on the drawing.

Mr. Wakefield stated that based on the dimensions of the drawing submitted, it looks like the height is less than 16' (which is the requirement).

Mr. Greer asked if this is the same location as the last variance that was approved.

Mr. Wakefield said the setback parameters are the same.

Chairman Rice opened the floor for a public hearing. There being no one present in regard to the request, Mr. Rice closed the public hearing and opened the floor for a motion.

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MOTION Motion to approve a 8' side setback variance to reduce the setback to 2' in lieu of the required 10' & 10' rear setback variance to reduce the setback to 5' in lieu of the required 15', for the property located at 4224 White Oak Drive, was made by Mr. Jones and 2nd was by Mr. Greer. Motion was carried on a roll call vote as follows:

Mr. Greer – yes
Mr. Jones – yes
Mr. Parchman – yes
Chairman Rice – yes
Motion carried

At 6:33 PM, Mr. Jones made a motion to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 6:33 PM.

Jack Wakefield, Planner/GIS

SYNOPSIS AND STAFF RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING APPLICATION BEFORE THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

Date: March 17, 2022

• <u>CASE</u>: BZA-0322-07

• **REQUESTED ACTION:** 3' Front Setback Variance to reduce the setback to 47' in lieu of the required 50'.

• ADDRESS/LOCATION: 2012 Hickory Road

• **APPLICANT/OWNER:** Hallie Weaver

• **REPRESENTING AGENT:** NA

• **GENERAL DISCUSSION:** The applicant is seeking a front setback variance to rebuild front porch. The applicant contends the odd-shaped lot causes a hardship. The lot is larger in the front than in the rear. The front porch was already non-conforming and the current front porch is old and beginning to rot. It must be rebuilt with new materials to keep the porch safe and stable. The original porch extends further in the front than what is being proposed, so as to limit the amount of space encroached. The current porch sits 5' over the setback and the applicant is proposing moving the setback to 3' over the requirement. The applicant's property is zoned Vestavia Hills R-3.

STAFF REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION:

1. City Planner Review: No problems noted.

2. City Engineer Review: No problems noted.

3. City Fire Marshal Review: No problems noted.

4. Building Safety Review: No problems noted.

CITY OF VESTAVIA HILLS BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT APPLICATION

The owner of the property understands that the Board of Zoning Adjustment only has jurisdiction to grant variances from the Vestavia Hills Zoning Code in cases of undue hardship only. Variances cannot be considered or granted on any kind of private covenants as covenants are restrictions between property owners.

EXAMPLE: If you are asking for a variance from a building setback line and the building setback line is recorded on the plat and matches the Zoning Code, then the Board of Zoning Adjustment would only hear the case based on the Zoning Code requirements, not what is on the recorded plat. The recorded plat is a covenant between property owners of the subdivision. You must have signatures of every property owner on the recorded plat map to change the covenant portion of the setback. The letter of signatures approving the amendment of the covenants must be filed with the Office of the Probate Court. Again, the BZA can only grant a variance based on the Zoning Code and that is the only portion of the building setback changes that the BZA can vote upon. Once a waiver is filed with the Office of the Probate, please include a copy of the recorded amendment with the application to the Office of the City Clerk.

Please note: Only completed applications will be accepted by this office. The applicant is responsible for the Application Fee as well as all postage fees incurred by this request.

APPLICA	NT INFORMATION:		
Owner of P	roperty (This Section Must Be C	Completed)	
Name:	Hallie Weaver		
Address:	2012 Hickory Road		
	2012 Hickory Road		
Phone #:	205-427-7364	Other #:	
E-Mail:	hallielweaver@gmail.com		
Billing/Resp	onsible Party		
Name:	Hallie Weaver		
Address:	2012 Hickory Road		
Phone #:	205-427-7364	Other #:	Z0322-07//28-00-19-4-007
E-Mail:	hallielweaver@gmail.com		2012 Hiclkory Rd.
			Front Setback to rebuild from Hallie Weaver

	Representing Attorney/Other Agent		
	Name: Address:		
			2012 Hickory Road
			2012 Hickory Road
	Phone #:		205-427-7364 Other #:
	Е-М	ail:	hallielweaver@gmail.com
		s section	must be completed in order for a representative to represent the owner.
II.	DES	CRIPTI	ON OF SUBJECT PROPERTY:
		CATION: nore, Lot #6	2012 Hickory Road Street Address Subdivision name, Lot #, Block #, etc.
III.	REA	SONS F	OR REQUEST (PLEASE FILL IN APPLICABLE STATEMENTS):
	1.		A request to vary:
			variance to reduce the lot width to' in lieu of the required'.
			square foot variance to reduce the lot area to square feet in lieu required square feet.
			_'(front/side/rear (circle one) setback variance to reduce the setback to _' in lieu of the required'.
			_' front/side/rear (circle one) setback variance to reduce the setback to _' in lieu of the required'.
			_' front/side/rear (circle one) setback variance to reduce the setback to _' in lieu of the required'.
	2.		A decision of the Zoning Official which the applicant believes to be
	3.		contrary to the meaning of the Zoning Ordinance. An application to establish a use which must be approved by the Board of Zoning Adjustment (See Section .).
	4 5. 6. 7.		A request for extension of non-conforming use (See Section). Variance for location of a fence. Sign Code Variance (See Section). Other - Explain (See Section).
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2012 Hickory Rd.Front Setback to rebuild front porch Hallie Weaver

Z0322-07//28-00-19-4-007-008.000 2012 Hickory Rd.

Front Setback to rebuild front porch Hallie Weaver

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IV. ZONING

Vestavia Hills Zoning for the subject property is

HARDSHIP

Describe those things which you feel justify the action requested. An Undue Hardship is required in order to seek a variance. List, when necessary, the specific sections of the City Code(s) which have a bearing on your request. (Use additional space on separate page if necessary).

We currently have a nonconforming front porch that existed when house was originally built. We need to rebuild it with our renovation to make it more functional. Additionally, the wood on the current front porch is old and beginning to rot, so it is necessary to rebuild it with new material. However, location of the porch will not be changing.

VI. PROJECT:

Describe the scope of the project and/or the reason for requesting this variance.

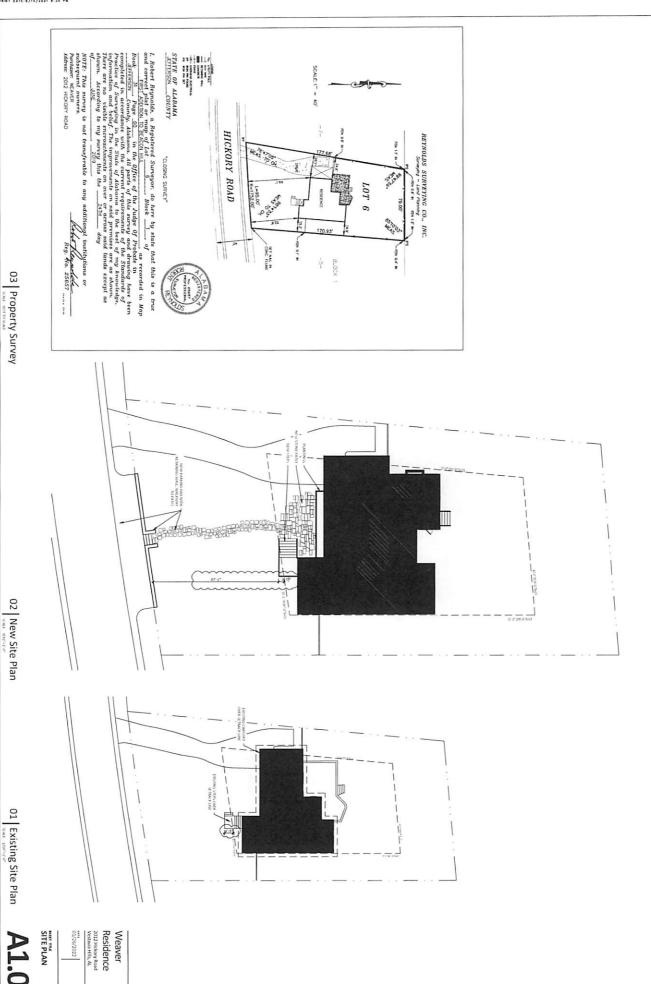
Approval is needed to allow us to rebuild the front porch. The current front porch is in the same location as the porch we are requesting approval for.

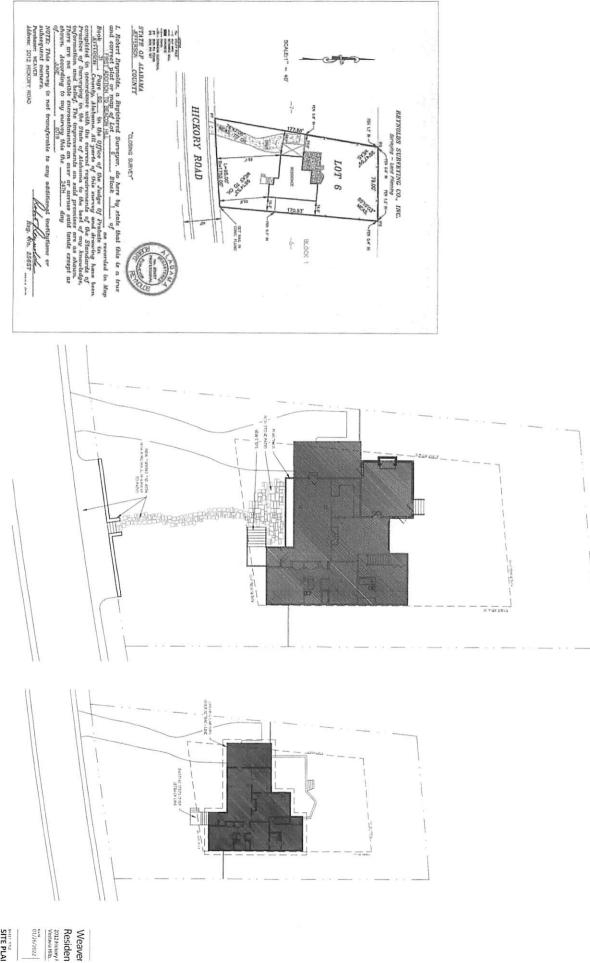
OWNER AFFIDAVIT: VII.

day of October

I do hereby declare the above statements are true and that I, the owner, and/or my duly appointed representative will be at the scheduled hearing. understand that I am asking for a variance based on the Zoning Code only and not on any or all covenants that are on the subject property. *Note, this application must be signed by the owner of the property before a notary. The original application shall be submitted, no copies shall be accepted*

Hally Weaver 2-14-22 Owner Signature/Date	Representing Agent (if any	v)/date
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Notary Public My commission expires day of October 120 73.		My Commission Expires October 30, 2023





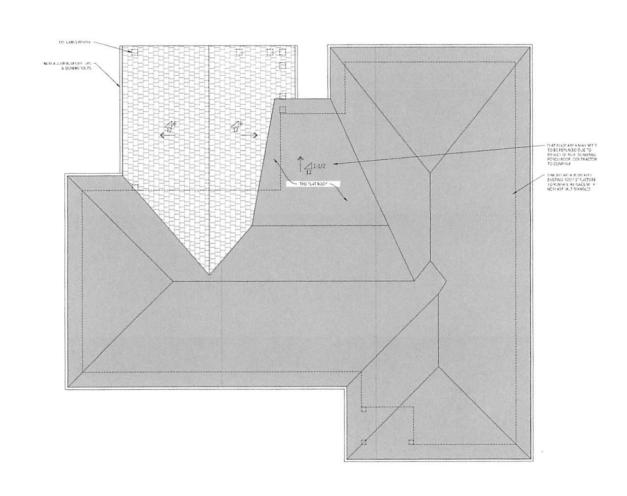
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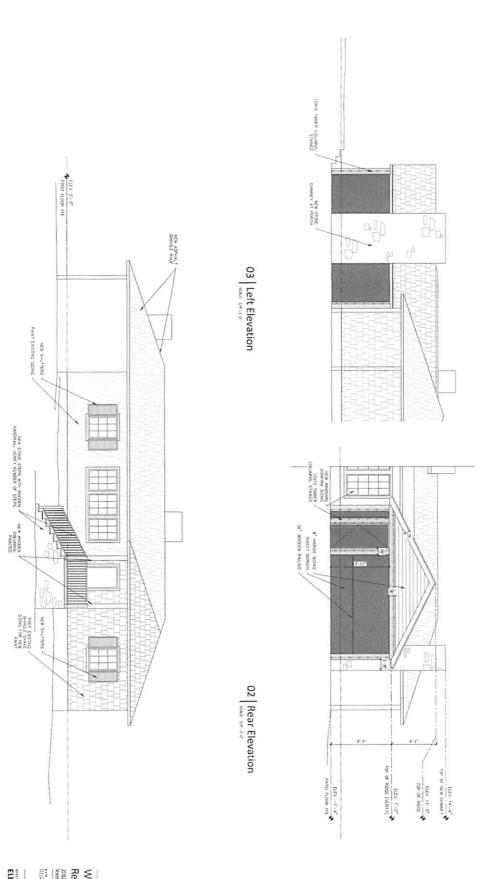
02 New Site Plan

03 Property Survey

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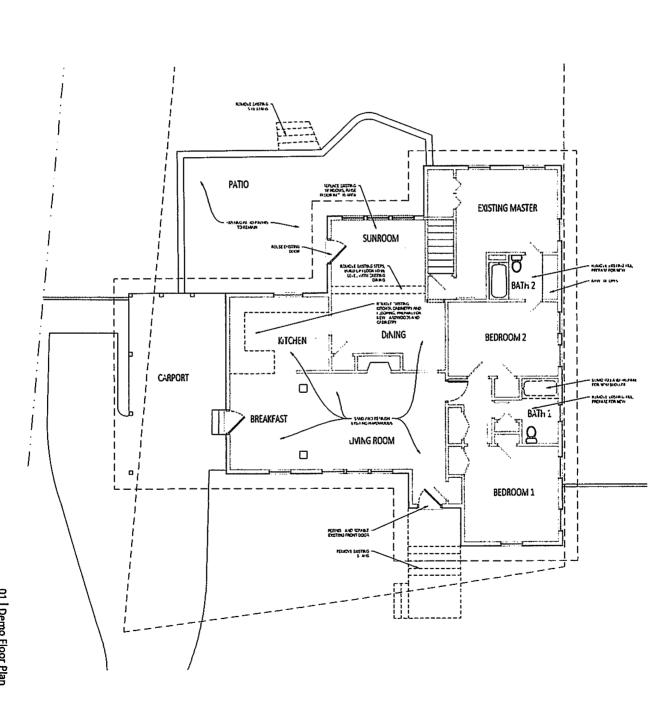






01 Front Elevation

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01 Demo Floor Plan

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CITY OF VESTAVIA H 2012 Hickory Rd.

Department Review of Appl Front Setback to rebuild front porch

(To be completed by City). Hallie Weaver

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The following application and case file has been reviewed and the following comments in submitted as follows: Location: 202 Hickory Rd. Case No.: B3H0322-07 Neg Ver				
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SYNOPSIS AND STAFF RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING APPLICATION BEFORE THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

Date: March 17, 2022

• <u>CASE</u>: BZA-0322-08

- **REQUESTED ACTION:** 12' Front Setback Variance to reduce the setback to 38' in lieu of the required 50' & 5' Side Setback Variance to reduce the setback to 10' in lieu of the required 15'.
- ADDRESS/LOCATION: 2117 Shades Ave
- **APPLICANT/OWNER:** William Watson
- REPRESENTING AGENT: NA
- GENERAL DISCUSSION: The applicant is seeking a front and side setback variance to build a house. The applicant contends the location of the septic tank creates a hardship. The existing septic field and tank have been deemed inadequate and Jefferson County is requiring the installation of a new septic system. The current house was built to past septic standards, but the County is requiring the applicants to leave even more room than what is existing between the house and tank. The septic tank is in the rear and the house cannot be pushed further back. The only area that is available is if the house is pushed into the front setback, but there are limitations to the front as well. The County has required the applicants to establish an REDF zone in the front. The applicant's property is zoned Vestavia Hills R-3.

• STAFF REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION:

1. City Planner Review: No problems noted.

2. City Engineer Review: No problems noted.

3. City Fire Marshal Review: No problems noted.

4. Building Safety Review: No problems noted.

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Front & Side Setback for a new home William Watson

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II.	DESC	CRIPTIO	ON OF SUBJECT PROPERTY:		
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	3.		An application to establish a use which must be approved by the Board of Zoning Adjustment (See Section).		
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2117 Shades Ave.
Front & Side Setback for a new home
William Watson

IV.	ZONING

Vestavia Hills Zoning for the subject property is_

V. HARDSHIP

Describe those things which you feel justify the action requested. An Undue Hardship is required in order to seek a variance. List, when necessary, the specific sections of the City Code(s) which have a bearing on your request. (Use additional space on separate page if necessary).

The existing septic field and tank have been deemed inadequate to support the construction of a new home by the Jefferson County Health Department. The county's requirements for a new, engineered septic system will require the planned project to encroach into the front and side setback of the property. The county septic field requirement requires that the house be shifted to the front of the property to accommodate the septic field size. The county also requires that a redundant EDF zone be established in the front yard. To county requirement can only be achieved

VI. PROJECT:

Describe the scope of the project and/or the reason for requesting this variance.

The project includes the construction of a new home located generally near the location of the previous home that was located on the lot. A variance to the setbacks is requested to accommodate the sizing of the county required septic field and associated redundant EDF.

VII. OWNER AFFIDAVIT:

I do hereby declare the above statements are true and that I, the owner, and/or my duly appointed representative will be at the scheduled hearing. I, also, understand that I am asking for a variance based on the Zoning Code only and not on any or all covenants that are on the subject property. *Note, this application must be signed by the owner of the property before a notary. The original application shall be submitted, no copies shall be accepted*

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Owner Signature/Date	Representing Agent (if any)/date	
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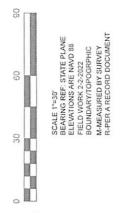
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William Watson

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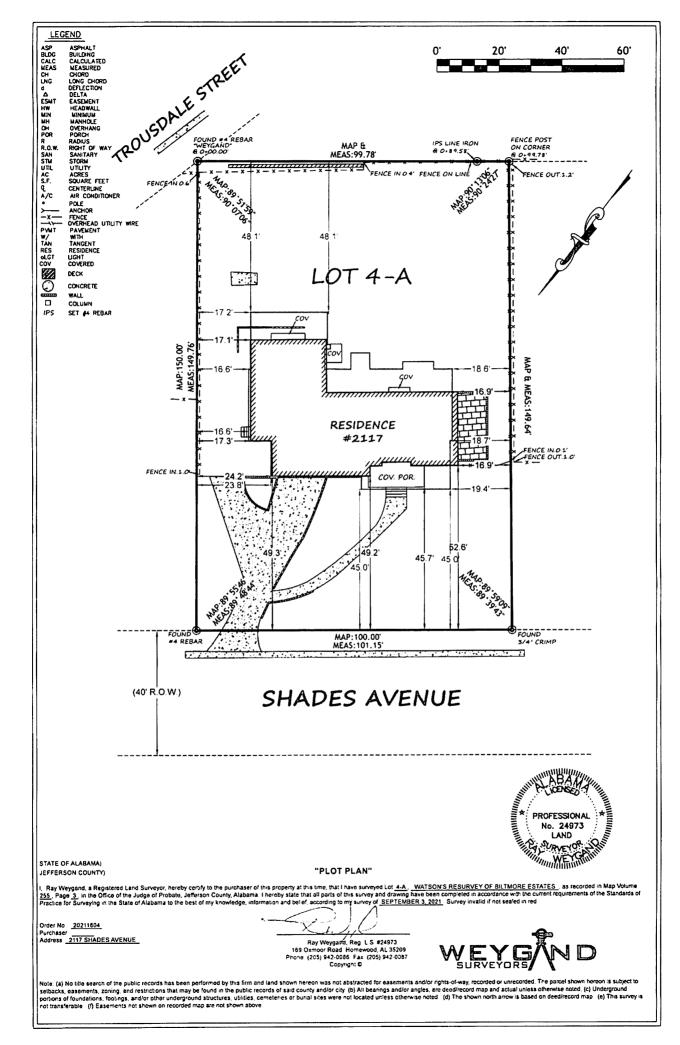
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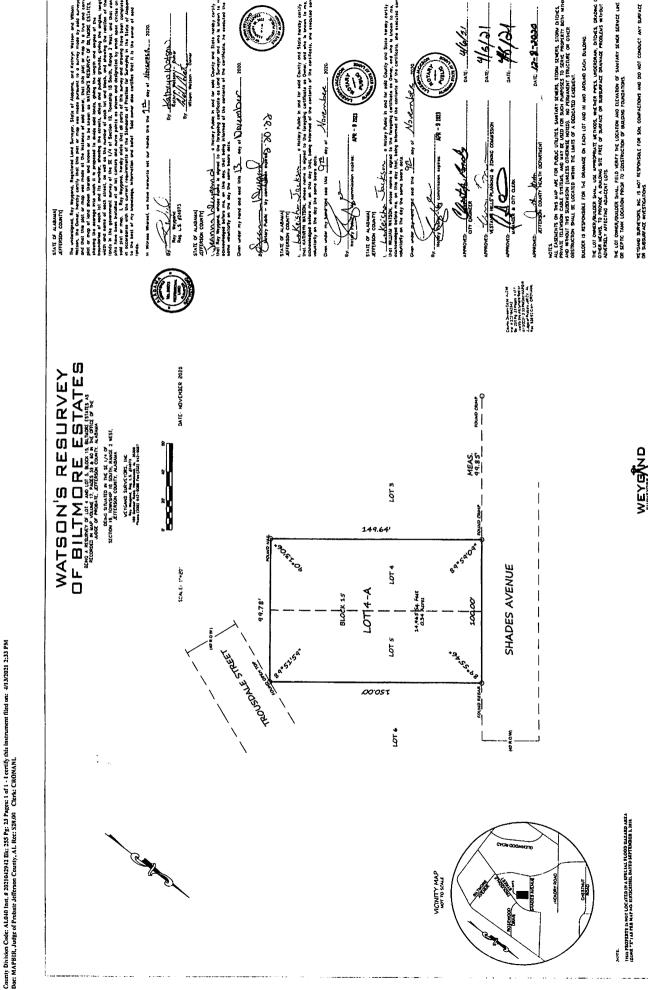
rights—of—way, recorded or unrecorded. The parcel shown hereon is subject to setbacks, easements, zoning, and restrictions that may be found in the public Note: No title search of the public records has been performed by this firm

structures, utilities, cemeteries or burial sites were not located unless otherwise noted. We do not look for underground sewer or flip manhole covers. This survey is not transferable and may only be used by the person/company Underground portions of foundations and footings and/or other underground that pays for it at time of survey.

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CITY OF VESTAVIA HII 2117 Shades Ave.

Department Review of Applic Front & Side Setback for a new (To be completed by City St home

William Watson

The following application and case file has been reviewed and the ionowing comments have submitted as follows: Location: 2115 Shades Ave, Case No.: BZH0322 will need to comply w/ 30% maximum developable area. Engineering: Comments: Recommended Not Recommended No Recommendation Date:_____ Initials:____ Planning/DRB: Comments: Recommended Not Recommended No Recommendation Date:_____Initials:____ GIS/Mapping: Comments: Recommended _____No Recommendation Date: 2/22/22 Initials: Fire Department: Comments: Recommended _____Not Recommended _____No Recommendation Date 2/22/22 Initials: TB Building Department: Comments: Recommended Not Recommended No Recommendation Date: Initials: City Clerk: Comments: Recommended Not Recommended No Recommendation

SYNOPSIS AND STAFF RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING APPLICATION BEFORE THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

Date: March 17, 2022

• <u>CASE</u>: BZA-0322-09

• **REQUESTED ACTION:** 5' Side Setback Variance to reduce the setback to 10' in lieu of the required 15'.

• ADDRESS/LOCATION: 1812 Post Oak Road

• **APPLICANT/OWNER:** Stuart & Emily Rein

• **REPRESENTING AGENT:** Joe Ellis

• **GENERAL DISCUSSION:** The applicants are seeking a side setback variance to build a home addition. The applicants contend the odd-shaped lot causes a hardship, along with the angle the house sits on the odd-shaped lot. The property line is slightly slanted on the side of the addition, limiting space on that side of the lot. The topography limits the buildable area in the rear. The applicant's property is zoned Vestavia Hills R-2.

• <u>STAFF REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION:</u>

1. City Planner Review: No problems noted.

2. City Engineer Review: No problems noted.

3. City Fire Marshal Review: No problems noted.

4. Building Safety Review: No problems noted.

CITY OF VESTAVIA HILLS BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT APPLICATION

The owner of the property understands that the Board of Zoning Adjustment only has jurisdiction to grant variances from the Vestavia Hills Zoning Code in cases of undue hardship only. Variances cannot be considered or granted on any kind of private covenants as covenants are restrictions between property owners.

EXAMPLE: If you are asking for a variance from a building setback line and the building setback line is recorded on the plat and matches the Zoning Code, then the Board of Zoning Adjustment would only hear the case based on the Zoning Code requirements, not what is on the recorded plat. The recorded plat is a covenant between property owners of the subdivision. You must have signatures of every property owner on the recorded plat map to change the covenant portion of the setback. The letter of signatures approving the amendment of the covenants must be filed with the Office of the Probate Court. Again, the BZA can only grant a variance based on the Zoning Code and that is the only portion of the building setback changes that the BZA can vote upon. Once a waiver is filed with the Office of the Probate, please include a copy of the recorded amendment with the application to the Office of the City Clerk.

Please note: Only completed applications will be accepted by this office. The applicant is responsible for the Application Fee as well as all postage fees incurred by this request.

I. AP	PLICANT	INFORMATION:	
Ом	ner of Prop	perty (This Section Must Be Completed)	
	me: dress:	STUART AND EMILY PEIN 1812 POST OAF FOAD	
		YESTAULA ITILLS ALABAMA	
Pho	one #:	1.265.82 .6757 Other#:	
E-N	Mail:	sturrt, rein e gmzil. com	
Bil	ling/Respon	sible Party	
Na	me:		
Ad	dress:		
Pho	one #:	Other #: Z0322-09//28-00-30-3-011-	-004.00
E-N	Mail:	1812 Post Oak Rd. Side Setback for an addition Stuart & Emily Rein	

	Representing Attorney/Other Agent		
	Name:	JOE ELLIG / ARCHITECT	
	Address:	1625 VINDA VISTA LANE	
		Birminghm AL 35UL	
	Phone #:	205 790 1389 Other #:	
	E-Mail:	jellis @ dwelling richitecture. can	
	*This section	must be completed in order for a representative to represent the owner.	
II.	DESCRIPTI	ON OF SUBJECT PROPERTY:	
		1812 PBST OAK POAB Street Address OBE TEPPAVE VOT BA BLOCK Subdivision name, Lot #, Block #, etc.	
III.	REASONS F	FOR REQUEST (PLEASE FILL IN APPLICABLE STATEMENTS):	
	1.	A request to vary: ' variance to reduce the lot width to' in lieu of the required	
	of the	square foot variance to reduce the lot area to square feet in lieu required square feet.	
		_' front side rear (circle one) setback variance to reduce the setback to _' in lieu of the required '.	
		_' front/side/rear (circle one) setback variance to reduce the setback to' in lieu of the required'.	
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	2.	A decision of the Zoning Official which the applicant believes to be contrary to the meaning of the Zoning Ordinance.	
	3.	An application to establish a use which must be approved by the Board of Zoning Adjustment (See Section).	
	4 (D) 5. (D)	A request for extension of non-conforming use (See Section). Variance for location of a fence.	
	6. () 7. ()	Sign Code Variance (See Section). Other - Explain (See Section).	

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IV. ZONING

Vestavia Hills Zoning for the subject property is K- V

V. HARDSHIP

Describe those things which you feel justify the action requested. An Undue Hardship is required in order to seek a variance. List, when necessary, the specific sections of the City Code(s) which have a bearing on your request. (Use additional space on separate page if necessary).

GIVEN THE LOCATION OF THE EXIGINA HOUSE ON THE LOT, AND THE ANGUE OF THE EXIGINAL STRUCTURE TO THE SIDE PROPERTY LINES, WE ARE KESPECTFULLY REQUESTIM A VAMANCE TO THE REQUIRED SIDE SETBACK.

VI. PROJECT:

Describe the scope of the project and/or the reason for requesting this variance.

FAMILY ROOM AMO SUPEEN POPCH ADOUTHON / LAVIDET BOOM AMO ENLAPLED WASTER BATH.

VII. OWNER AFFIDAVIT:

I do hereby declare the above statements are true and that I, the owner, and/or my duly appointed representative will be at the scheduled hearing. I, also, understand that I am asking for a variance based on the Zoning Code only and not on any or all covenants that are on the subject property. *Note, this application must be signed by the owner of the property before a notary. The original application shall be submitted, no copies shall be accepted*

Given under my hand and seal

this 15th day of February, 2022.

Notary Public

My commission expires _

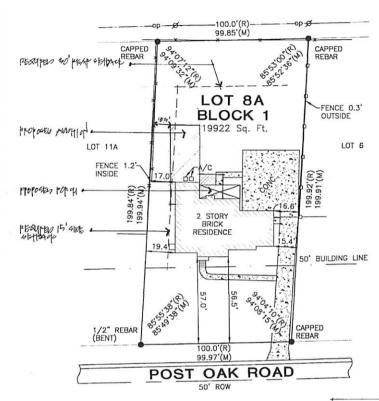
day of September, 20)

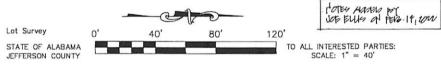
SUMMER E YOUNG Notary Public, Alabama State At Large

Representing Agent (if any)/date

Notary Public, Alabama State At Early
My Commission Expires Sep. 11, 2024







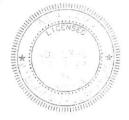
I hereby state that this survey and drawing have been completed in accordance with the current requirements of the Standards of Practice for Surveying in the State of Alabama to the best of my knowledge, information

Lot 8A, according A RESURVEY OF LOT 7 & 8 BLOCK 1, MAP OF WALDRIDGE TERRACE, as the same appears of record in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Jefferson County, Alabama, in Map Book 175, Page 10.

That there are no rights—of—way, easements, joint driveways or encroachments, over or across said land, visible on the surface or shown on recorded map, except as shown; that this survey shows the improvements located on said property, and that there are no electrical or telephone wires, (excluding wire which serve the premises only) or structures or supports therefor, including poles, anchors and guy wires, on or over said property, except as shown; and that the property is not located in a special hazard area and is shown in a Zone "X" on the Flood Insurance Rate Map for this area (Map No. 01073C0556J, dated September 24, 2021).

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL, this the 13th day of February, 2022.

Villiam D. Callahan, Gr. William D. Callahan, Jr., PLS AL Reg # 28251



ADDRESS: 1812 POST OAK ROAD

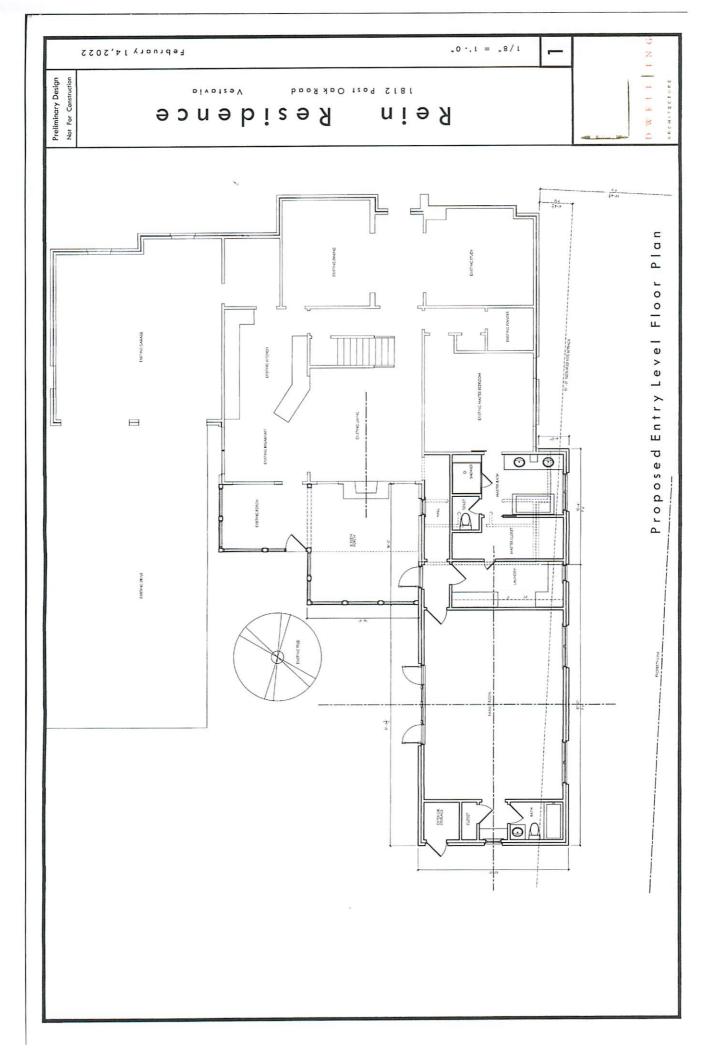
Field Survey: 02-08-2022



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RESIDENTIAL & COMMERCIAL LAND SURVEYING



CITY OF VESTAVIA HILL 1812 Post Oak Rd.

Department Review of Applicati
(To be completed by City Staff,

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The following application and case file has been reviewed and the following comments have been submitted as follows:

Location: 8 2 POST	Oak Rd Case No. BZA0322-09
	Date: 2/22/22 Initials: CB ed to comply 30% developable area.
Recommended	Not RecommendedNo Recommendation
Planning/DRB: Comments:	Date: Initials:
Recommended	Not RecommendedNo Recommendation
GIS/Mapping: Comments:	Date: Initials:
Recommended	Not RecommendedNo Recommendation
Fire Department: Comments:	Date: 7/22/22 Initials: Z7
Recommended	Not RecommendedNo Recommendation
Building Department: Comments:	Date: 2/20/20 Initials: (B)
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