KINGSPORT BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING: January 9, 2020

Development Services Building – Bob Clear Conference Room

CALL TO ORDER - 12:00 P.M. NOON

INTRODUCTION / MEETING PROCEDURES

PUBLIC HEARING:

<u>Case: 19-701-00033 – Property located at 1429 Rock Springs Road, Control Map 105, Parcel 098.00</u>, requests an 83 square foot variance to Sec 114-230(b) and a 33 square foot variance to Sec 114-533(9)b(2) for the purpose of creating a new lot and erecting a new freestanding sign. The property is zoned B-4P, Planned Business District.

INTERESTED PARTIES:

Owner: David Blackburn 2088 Old Taylor Road Oxford, MS 38655 662.513.4194

Representative: Berry Benjamin

Case: 19-701-00034 – Property located at 2330 Fort Henry Drive, Control Map 062I, Group J Parcels 001.00, 002.00, and 003.00, requests a 30 foot landscape buffering variance to Sec 114-600(d)4(a) and an 80 foot variance for accessory structure location to Sec 114-133(2) for the purpose of razing and rebuilding the existing restaurant. The property is zoned B-3, Highway Oriented Business District.

INTERESTED PARTIES:

Owner: McDonald's USA LLC 110 N Carpenter St. Chicago, IL 60607 865.322.1954

Representative: Kristin Lang

<u>Case: 19-701-00035 – Property located at 1525 Pineola Avenue, Control Map 061F, Parcel 042.00</u>, requests a 6.68 side yard to Sec 114-183(e)1(d) for the purpose of constructing an addition to the existing home. The property is zoned R-1B, Residential District

INTERESTED PARTIES:

Owner: Corey Hall 1525 Pineola Avenue Kingsport, TN 37664 423.863.5742

Representative: Corey hall

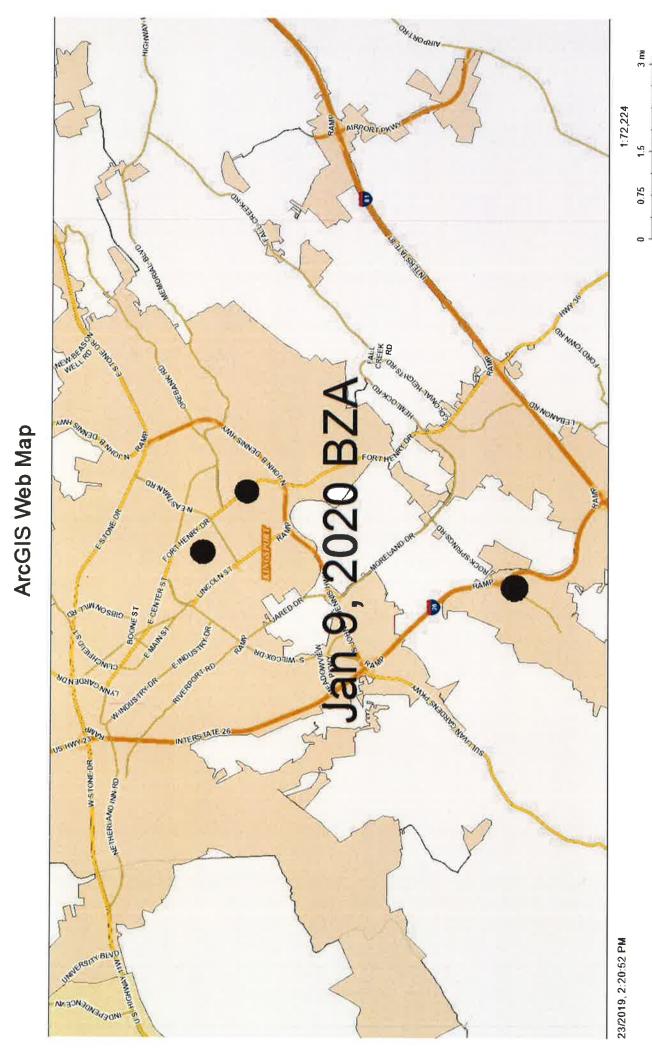
BUSINESS:

Approval of the December 5, 2019 driving tour and regular meeting minutes.

Stating for public record, the next application deadline is January 15, 2020 at noon, and meeting date (Thursday, February 6, 2020).

ADJUDICATION OF CASES:

ADJOURNMENT:





TO: KINGSPORT BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

FROM: Ken Weems, AICP, Planning Manager

DATE: December 23, 2019

RE: 1429 Rock Springs Road

The Board is asked to consider the following request:

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New lots in the B-4P zoning district require a minimum of 150 feet of road frontage. The applicant has proposed a new lot that contains a total of 67 feet of road frontage. The size of freestanding signs in the B-4P district are tied to road frontage for size calculation. A 100 square foot sign is proposed, which will require its own 33 square foot variance to conform to the proposed lot. The district allows one square foot of freestanding sign for every foot of public street frontage contained on the lot (capped at a 100 square foot maximum).

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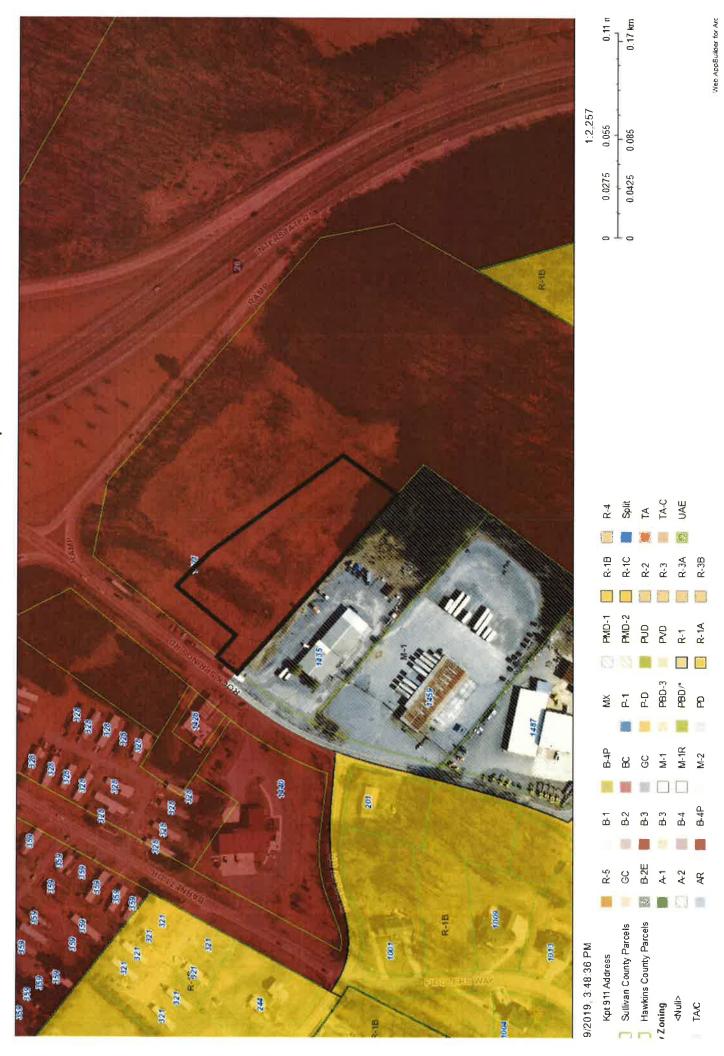
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APPLICATION

Board of Zoning Appeals



APPLICANT INFORMATION:			
Last Name Blackburn	First David	M.I.	Date 11/29/2019
Street Address 2088 Old Taylor Road		Apartment/Unit #	
City Oxford	State MS	ZIP 38655	
Phone 662-513-4194	E-mail Address		
PROPERTY INFORMATION:			
Tax Map Information Tax map: 105 Group:	Parcel: 098.00 Lot:		
Street Address 1429 Rock Springs Road		Apartment/Unit #	
Current Zone B-4P	Proposed Zone N/A		
Current Use Undeveloped	Proposed Use Commercial/Re	tail	
REPRESENTATIVE INFORMATION:			
Last Name Berry	First Benjamin	M.I. M	Date 11/29/2019
Street Address 3555 Keith Street NW, Suite 109		Apartment/Unit #	
City Cleveland	State TN	ZIP 37312	
Phone 423-790-5880	E-mail Address ben@berryeng	ineers.com	

REQUESTED ACTION:

We would like to request a variance from the 150' minimum lot frontage requirement to 67'. The frontage on this parcel is mostly TDOT controlled access, therefore, we are proposing a shared entrance driveway. The shared driveway will be owned by Tract 1 with an access easement for the remaining tract. However, the desire is for the remaining tract to own the strip of land along the frontage which will be used to access this shared driveway.

DISCLAIMER AND SIGNATURE

By signing below I state that I have read and understand the conditions of this application and have been informed as to the location, date and time of the meeting in which the Board of Zoning Appeals will review my application. I further state that I am/we are the sole and legal owner(s) of the property described herein and that I am/we are appealing to the Board of Zoning Appeals.

Signature: 3 3 CM	Date: 12/2/19
Signed before me on this 2rd day of December, 2019, a notary public for the State of Mississippi	CANOTARY ACADOS OF THE RESIDENCE OF MISS.
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My Commission Expires 11.5.201	

Variance Worksheet – Finding of Facts

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a. The specific conditions in detail which are unique to the applicant's land. Such hardship is not shared generally by other properties in the same zoning district and the same vicinity.

Controlled access by TDOT is present due to the proximity to the interstate. This limits the property to one shared drive since TDOT will be unwilling to allow another driveway close by.

b. The manner in which the strict application of this chapter would deprive the applicant of a reasonable use of the land.

The remaining parcel needs to own the land up to the shared driveway. This creates a clear division of maintenance, responsibility, and liability.

c. The unique conditions and circumstances are not the result of actions of the applicant taken subsequent to the adoption or amendment of this chapter.

Controlled access is a condition established and maintained by TDOT.

d. Reasons that the variance will preserve, not harm, the public safety and welfare and will not alter the essential character of the neighborhood.

This variance will allow the use of a shared driveway.

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TO: KINGSPORT BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

FROM: Ken Weems, AICP, Planning Manager

DATE: December 23, 2019

RE: 2330 Fort Henry Drive

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The requested variances will allow the existing McDonald's to be razed and rebuilt. Space constraints produced a variance to allow the garbage enclosure in the front yard.

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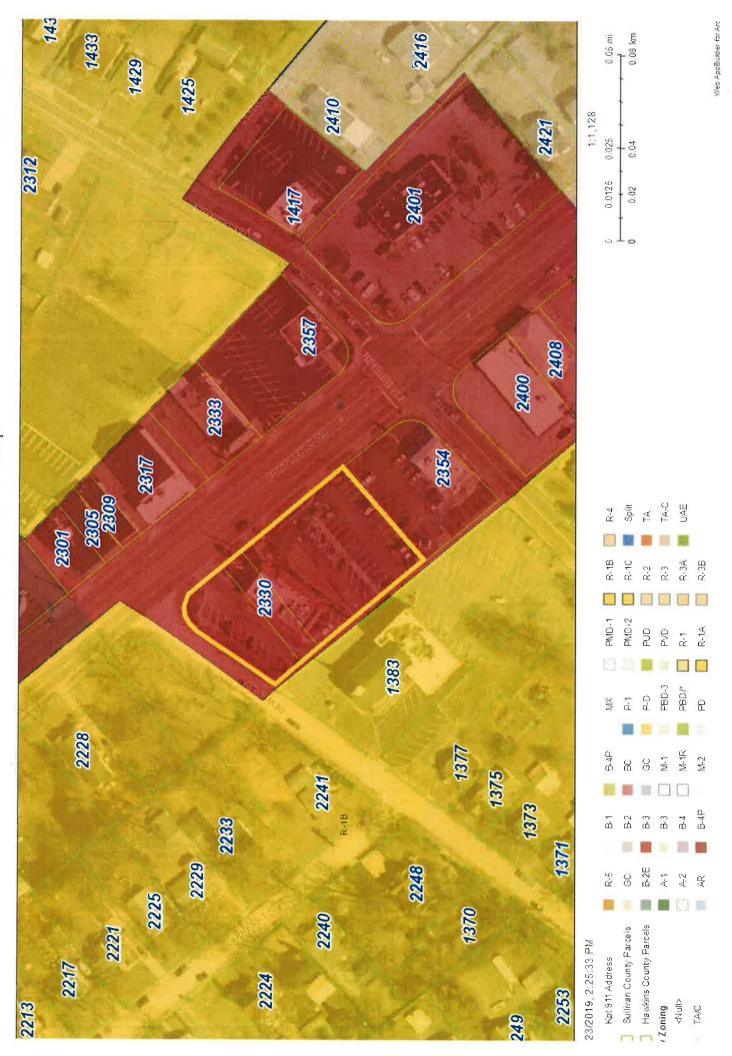


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APPLICATION

Board of Zoning Appeals

Notary Stacy Sherm

My Commission Expires Sept. 12, 2022



APPLICANT	INFORMATION:						
Last Name M	lcDonald's USA, LLC	First n/a	1	M.I.	n/a	Date	12/10/2019
Street Address	110 N Carpenter St			Apartm	ent/Unit #	n/a	
City	Chicago	State IL		ZIP	60607		
Phone	865-322-1954	E-mail Address	fred.cox@us.m				
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The lots fronting Fort Henry Drive on the south side in this area are narrow in depth and abut residential zoning and an alley at the rear.

b. The manner in which the strict application of this chapter would deprive the applicant of a reasonable use of the land.

Zoning requires a 30 foot buffer at the rear against residential. To the rear of the existing McDonald's is a church. The 30' rear landscape buffer and 10' front/side landscape setbacks would require 10, 237 sf of landscaped area or 0.24 acres of the 0.78 acre parcel or 30% of the parcel. Landscape requirements for the parcel are 10% of the land area or 3,400 sf of landscaped area. Proposed is 5,599 sf of pervious/landscaped area.

c. The unique conditions and circumstances are not the result of actions of the applicant taken subsequent to the adoption or amendment of this chapter.

The McDonald's opened at this location on May 22, 1962. It was rebuilt and reopened on December 26, 1988.

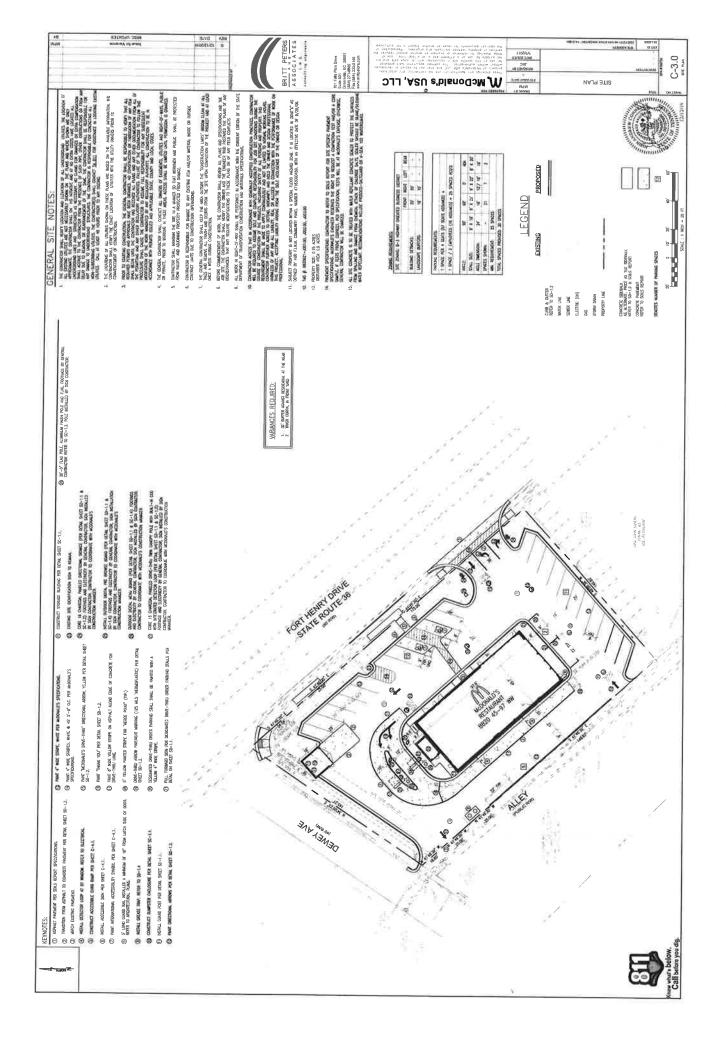
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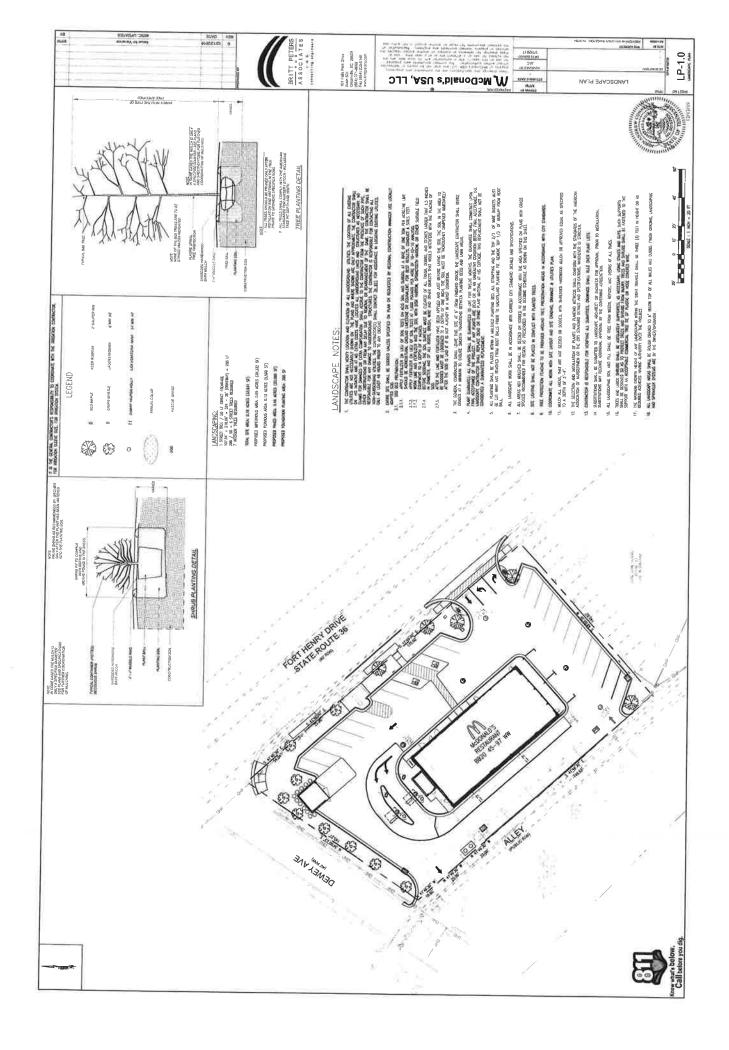
The Litz Manor neighborhood, Port City Baptist Church and McDonald's have been partners for over 57 years. As stated in the letter from Pastor Chris Alford of the Port City Baptist Church "McDonald's has been a good neighbor and provided a positive impact on the neighborhood".

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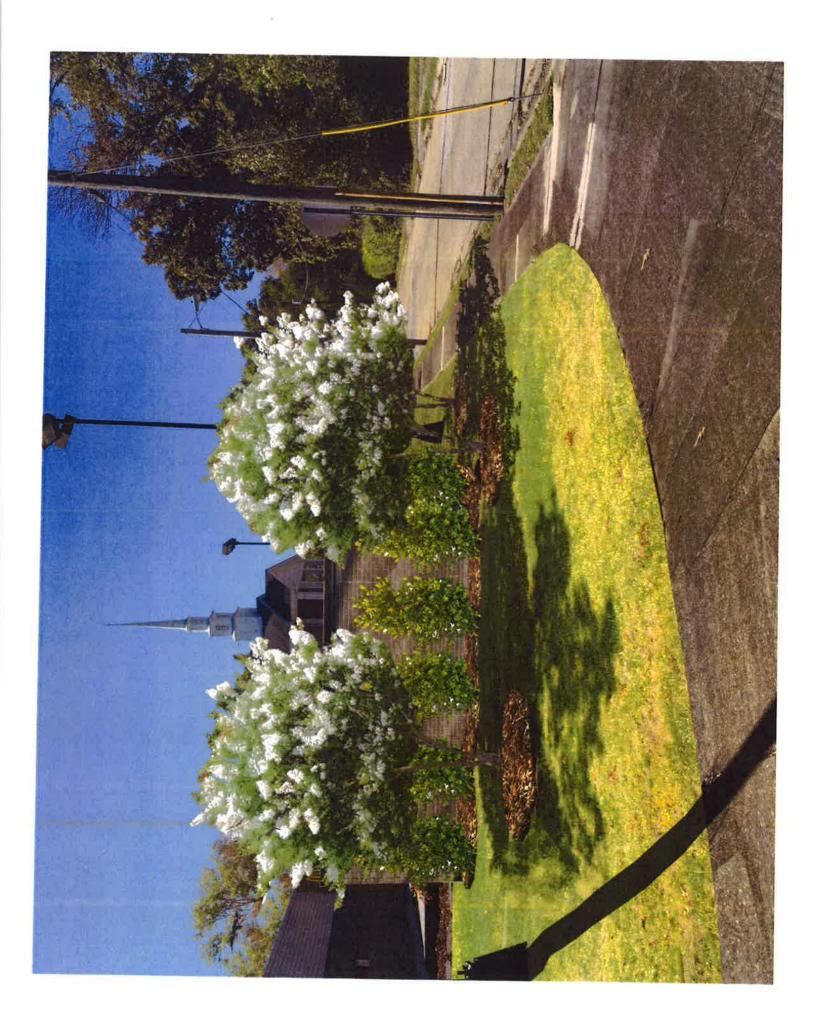
To whom it may concern;

We, Port City Church, have no objections to the landscaping and building set back variances that the McDonalds on Fort Henry Dr. in Kingsport is requesting from the city.

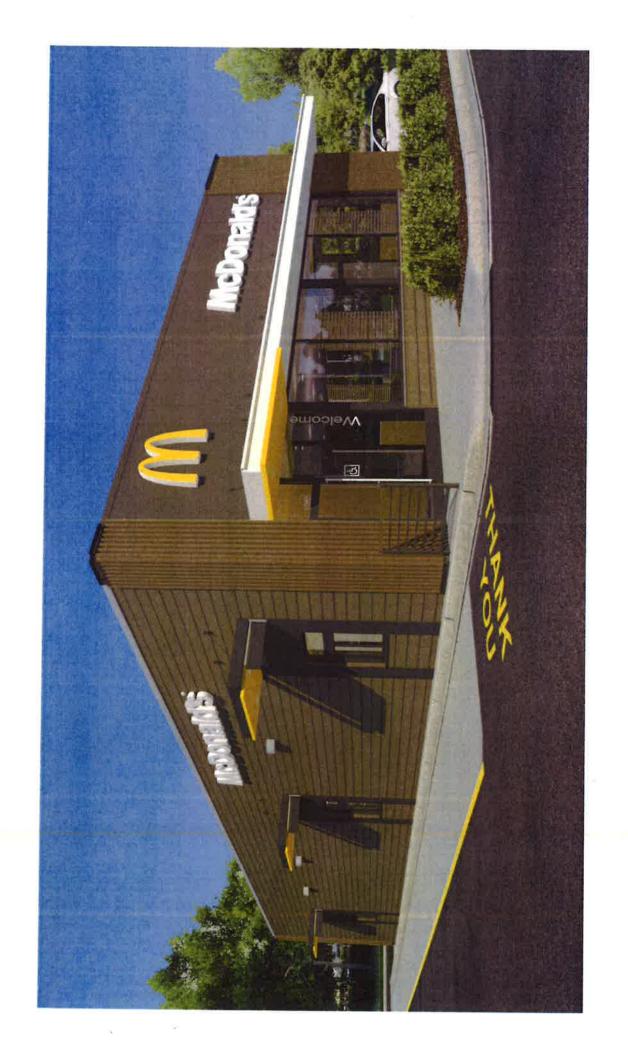
They have always been good neighbors and had a positive impact on our neighborhood.

Sincerely,

Chris Alford Lead Pastor









TO: KINGSPORT BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

FROM: Ken Weems, AICP, Planning Manager

DATE: December 23, 2019

RE: 1525 Pineola Avenue

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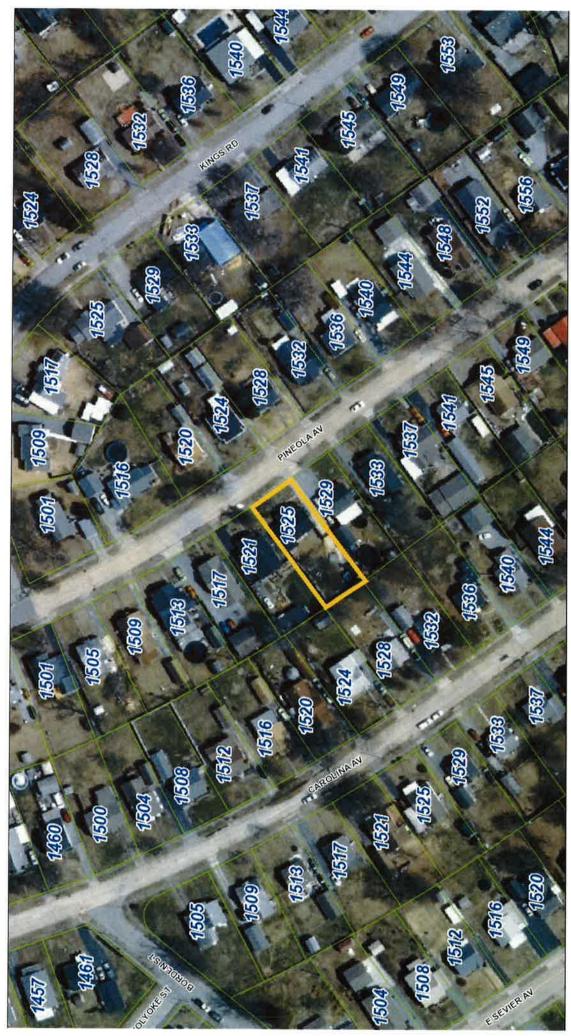
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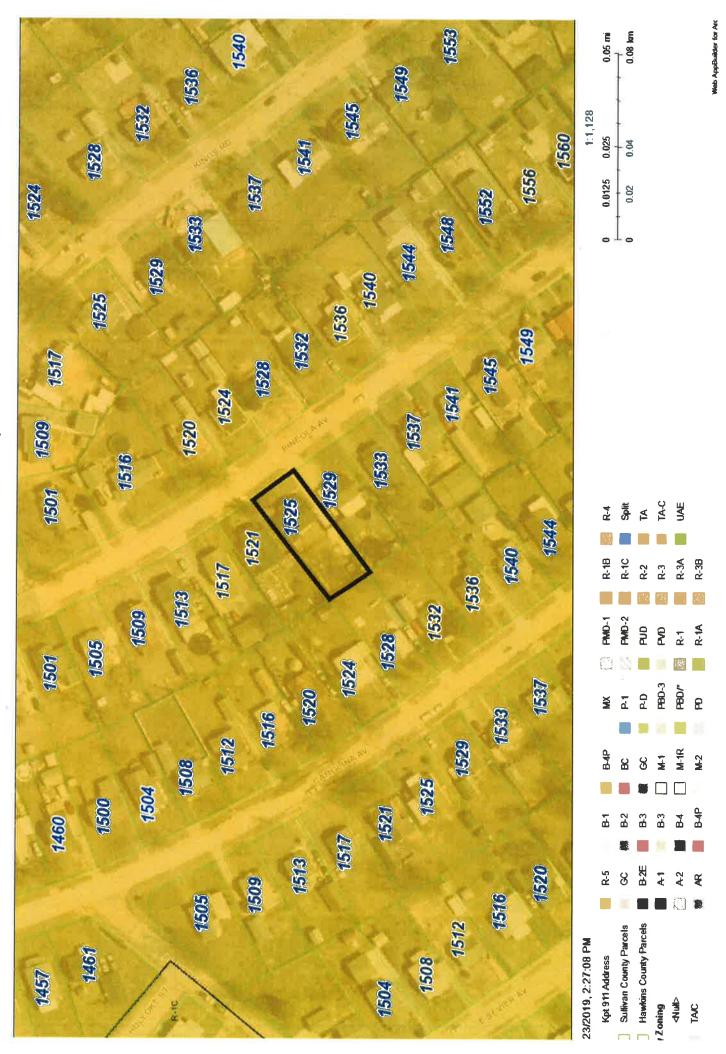


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APPLICATION Board of Zening Appeals



APPLICANT INFORMATION:				
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I currently have a addition that is built on my home that was constructed prior to me purchasing the property. I am requesting a variance to build a addition on to my property that would be the same width as my property. This variance would allow me to have more square Footage, as well as allowing me to use my existing footers.

b. The manner in which the strict application of this chapter would deprive the applicant of a reasonable use of the land.

If I am unable to obtain this variance I would bee an estimated 240 square feet of living space. This would also cause my home to have a irregular build pattern/shape that would not conform to the surrounding properties. This would also make it extremely difficult to construct and attach the addition to my home.

c. The unique conditions and circumstances are not the result of actions of the applicant taken subsequent to the adoption or amendment of this chapter.

If I am unable to obtain this variance I would lose over all square footage, my home would decrease in value, and the addition would not conform to the surrounding properties.

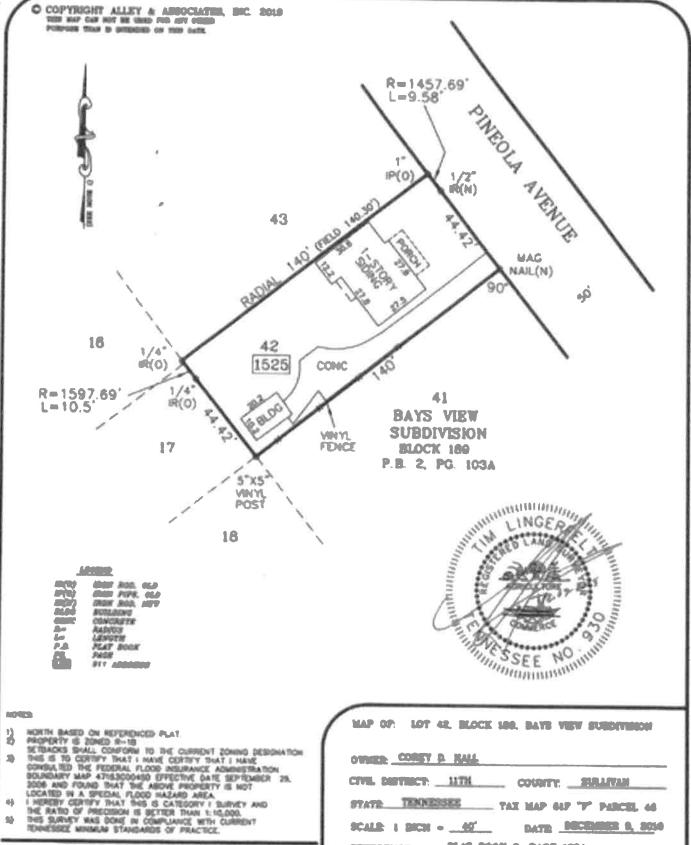
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The variance would allow me to obtain a symmetrical look and building layout of my home. Allow for more overall square footage. I would improve the appearance of the property. It would increase the overall value of the home. It would allow me to use my existing footers, It would make the construction of the addition easier and more cost efficient. I would provide me and my family more comfortable living amangement.

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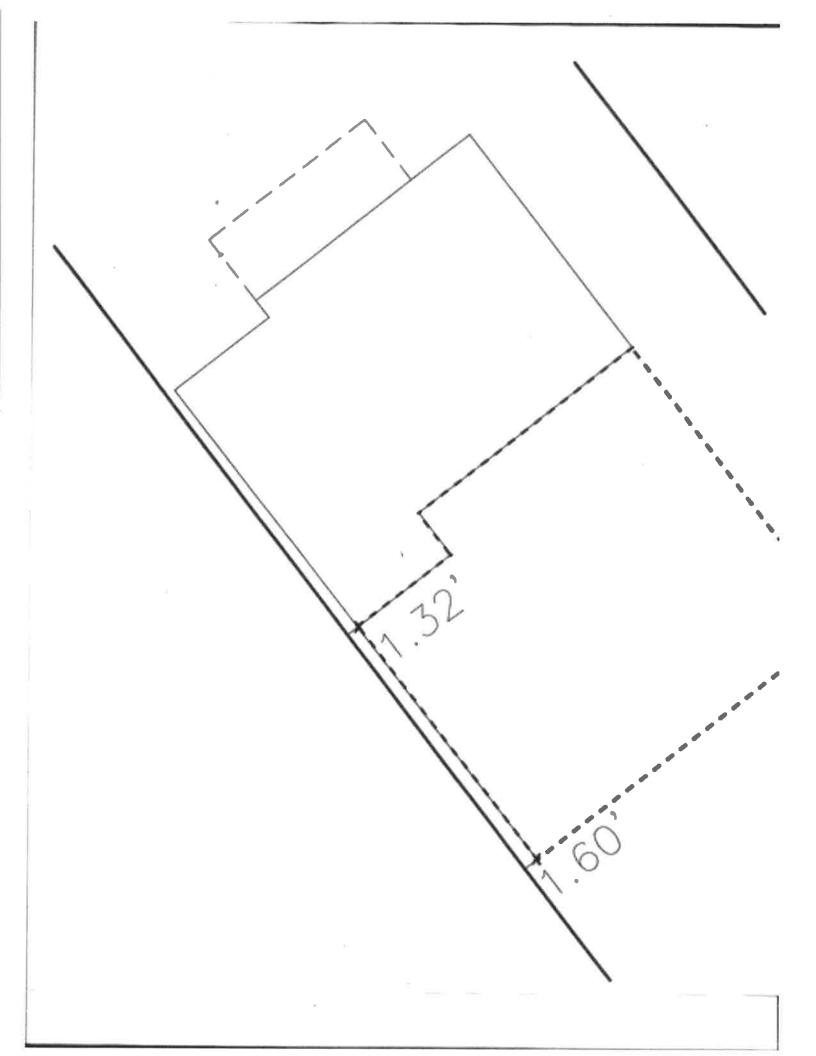
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- 4. Mere inconvenience to the applicant is not sufficient grounds for determining a "hardship". In granting a variance the BZA may not make any decision that is contrary to the purpose and intent of the Zoning Ordinance.

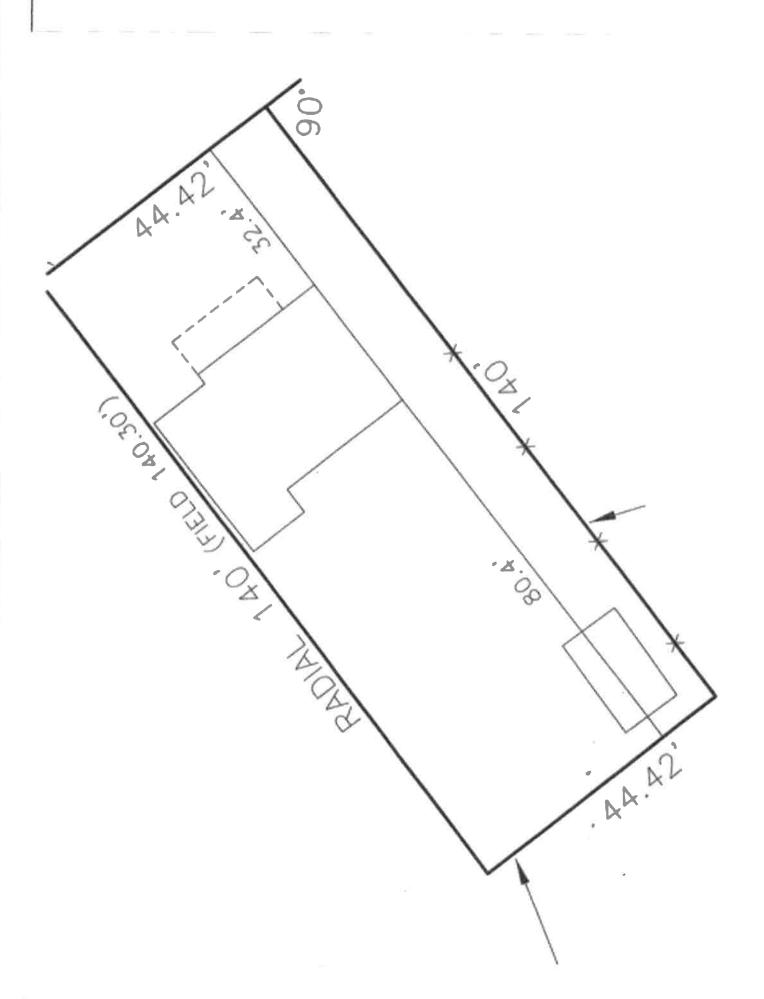


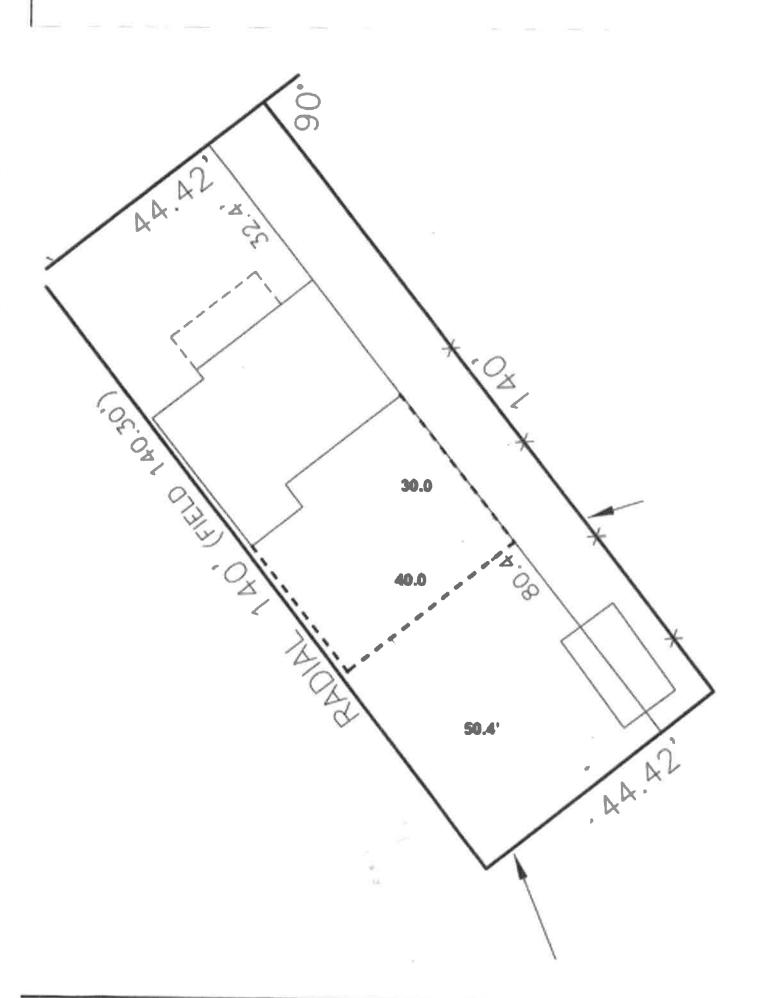
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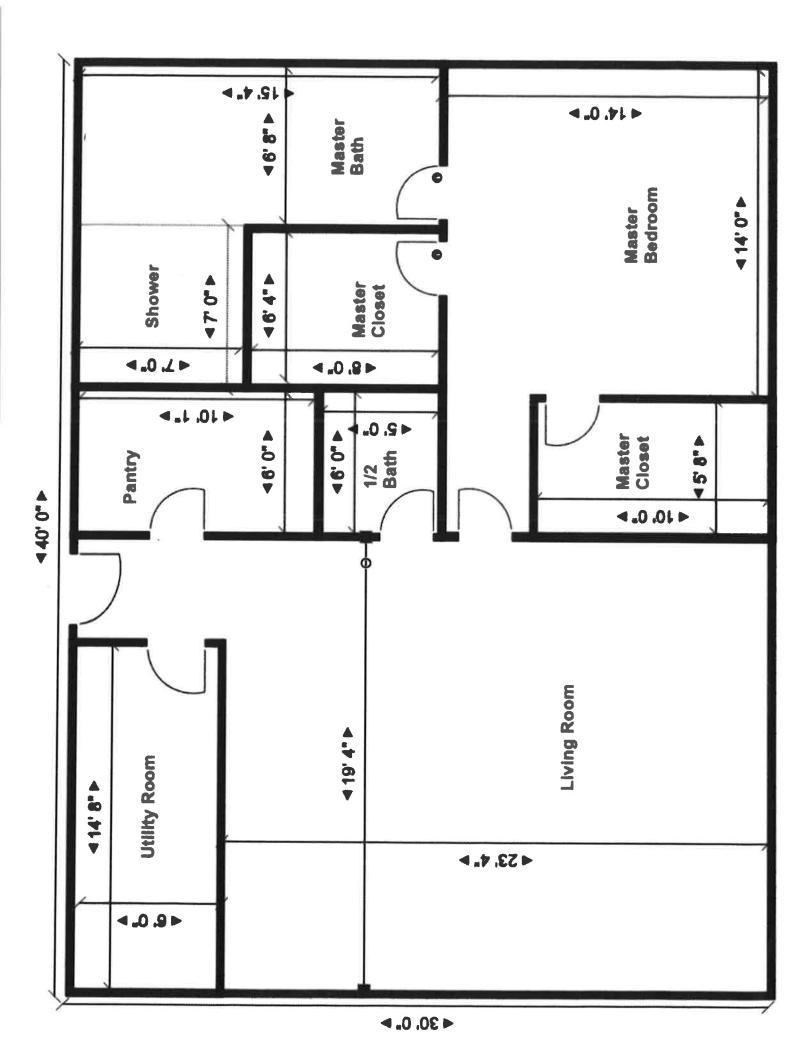
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MINUTES OF THE DRIVING TOUR OF THE KINGSPORT BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS (BZA)

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10:30 a.m.

Members Present:
Bill Sumner
Joe White
Calvin Clifton
Jeff Little

Members Absent:

Staff Present: Ken Weems, AICP

At 10:30 a.m., the BZA departed the Development Services Building, 201 W. Market St. to conduct a driving tour of property located at 416 Oakmont Drive and 2709 Rock Springs Road. No official action was taken.

The driving tour concluded at 11:40 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ken Weems, AICP Planning Manager

MINUTES OF THE KINGSPORT BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS (BZA)

December 5, 2019, Regular Meeting

Noon

Bob Clear Conference Room, 1st floor of the Development Services Building

Members Present:

Bill Sumner Joe White Calvin Clifton Jeff Little Members Absent:

none

Staff Present:

Ken Weems, AICP Page Jeffers

Visitors:
Jane Boyd
Jackie Flanary
Robert Watson
Mike Flanagan
Chere Flanagan
Luke Coffey
John Edmiston
Obie Williams

Chairman Sumner called the meeting to order.

Chairman Sumner explained the meeting procedures.

Ms. Page Jeffers conducted the swearing in ceremony for those wishing to speak during the regular meeting. Jane Boyd, Jackie Flanary, Robert Watson, Mike Flanagan, Chere, Flanagan, Luke Coffey, John Edmiston, and Obie Williams were sworn in.

Public Hearing:

Case: 19-701-00030 – Property located at 2055 Granby Road, Control Map 029K, Group C Parcel 008.50, requests a 5 foot 10 inch height variance to 114-533(2)c and a 20 foot setback variance to 114-533(c)3 for the purpose of erecting a new freestanding sign. The property is zoned R-1B, Residential District.

Jackie Flanary presented the case to the Board. Mr. Flanary spoke of the restricted view of the property due to its location. Mr. Flanary additionally noted the normal setback requirements would force the sign to be erected in the middle of the driveway and parking lot access to his church.

Chairman Sumner, seeing no one else wishing to speak, closed the public hearing.

<u>Case: 19-701-00031 – Property located at 416 Oakmont Drive, Control Map 106B, Group G Parcel 001.00</u>, requests a 285 square foot variance to maximum accessory structure size to Sec 114-133(2) for the purpose of locating a storage outbuilding in the rear yard of the property. The property is zoned R-1B, Residential District.

Mr. Mike Flanagan presented the case to the Board. Mr. Flanagan stated that his family had recently moved to the property and that they planned on relocating the yard barn in question to the appropriate space in the rear yard. Mr. Flanagan noted that due to the existing accessory structure on the property, that he had no additional square footage for storage. Jane Boyd spoke against the request. Ms. Boyd stated that the entrance to the property is important and she objects to the proposal. John Edmiston stated that he echoes Ms. Boyd's concern. Chere Flanagan stated that their intent is to make the property look good and that the yard barn will be moved to the appropriate location as soon as possible. Ms. Flanagan noted that the issue at hand is lack of accessory structure storage capacity due to the existing accessory structure.

Chairman Sumner, seeing no one else wishing to speak, closed the public hearing.

Case: 19-701-00032 – Property located at 2709 Rock Springs Road, Control Map 119I, Group B, Parcel 001.20, requests a 15 foot periphery yard variance along the northwest and southwest parcel boundaries to Sec 114-230(c); a 30 foot periphery yard variance along the northeast side of the parcel to Sec 114-230(c); a 15 foot reduction to fence and/or evergreen screening portion of the planting strip boundary along the southwest and northeast parcel boundary to Sec 114-600(d)4; and a landscaping elimination variance along the northeast parcel boundary to Sec 114-600(d)4. The property is zoned B-4P, Planned Business District.

Luke Coffey presented the case to the Board. Mr. Coffey spoke to the unique conditions of the site which contains a partially constructed building. Mr. Coffey noted that the east side of the property is encumbered by a TVA powerline easement that cannot contain landscaping. Mr. Coffey explained that the easement restrictions allow TVA to keep the easement clear of vegetation. Mr. Coffey also noted that the periphery yard variance and the buffering variances for the east side of the property would not impact the adjacent existing residential dwellings.

Chairman Sumner, seeing no one else wishing to speak, closed the public hearing.

The Chairman opened the business portion of the meeting. Mr. Little made a motion to approve the driving tour and regular meeting minutes from the November 7, 2019 meeting. Mr. White seconded the motion. The motion passed, 4-0. Next, after discussion of availability for the scheduled January 2, 2019 meeting, the Board rescheduled the January meeting for January 9, 2019.

Adjudication of Cases:

<u>Case: 19-701-00030 – Property located at 2055 Granby Road, Control Map 029K, Group C</u> <u>Parcel 008.50</u>

The Board acknowledged that the lot in question was uniquely sited and acknowledged the hardship of the required setback for the freestanding sign. Additionally, the Board acknowledged the terrain hardship associated with the current freestanding sign height.

MOTION: made by Mr. Little, seconded by Mr. Clifton, to grant the 5 foot 10 inch height variance to 114-533(2)c and a 20 foot setback variance to 114-533(c)3 for the purpose of erecting a new freestanding sign.

VOTE: 4-0 to approve the request.

<u>Case: 19-701-00031 – Property located at 416 Oakmont Drive, Control Map 106B, Group G</u> Parcel 001.00

Chairman Sumner stated that the request is not unreasonable and that the normal sized storage structure is not out in consistent with typical residential accessory storage.

MOTION: made by Mr. Little, seconded by Mr. White, to grant the a 285 square foot variance to maximum accessory structure size with the condition that the accessory storage structure is painted to match the existing home.

VOTE: 4-0 to approve the request.

Case: 19-701-00032 - Property located at 2709 Rock Springs Road, Control Map 119I, Group B, Parcel 001.20

The Board acknowledged the unique challenges of dealing with a site that contains a partially built structure in addition to the sloping terrain of the property.

MOTION: made by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Little, to grant the 15 foot periphery yard variance along the northwest and southwest parcel boundaries to Sec 114-230(c); a 30 foot periphery yard variance along the northeast side of the parcel to Sec 114-230(c); a 15 foot reduction to fence and/or evergreen screening portion of the planting strip boundary along the southwest and northeast parcel boundary to Sec 114-600(d)4; and a landscaping elimination variance along the northeast parcel boundary to Sec 114-600(d)4.

VOTE: 4-0 to approve the request.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ken Weems, AICP Planning Manager