If you need assistance completing this application (general inquires only) please contact Susan Walker, 974-2202; 505 Barton Springs Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor (One Texas Center).

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ROW # <u>10768086</u>
TP-011002-06-30

# CITY OF AUSTIN APPLICATION TO BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT GENERAL VARIANCE/PARKING VARIANCE

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

PLEASE: APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED WITH ALL REQUESTED INFORMATION COMPLETED.
STREET ADDRESS: 1502 West 9th St, Austin TX 78703
LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision – <u>WENDLANDTS</u>
Lot(s) 10 Block Outlot 4 Division Z
I/We Philip Just as authorized agent for
Bryan Bayerdorffer affirm that on April 30, 2012,
hereby apply for a hearing before the Board of Adjustment for consideration to:
(check appropriate items below)
_X ERECT ATTACH COMPLETE REMODEL MAINTAIN _
X_ ERECTATTACHCOMPLETEREMODELMAINTAIN  a detached accessory building (garage)
in a MF-4-NP district. (Old WOSI Austin N.F.) (zoning district)
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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.

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:

To provide adequate safe vehicle turnaround space in front of the garage, a reduction of the rear setback to 5 feet is needed. Chapter 25-2, F, Section 2.4 allows this reduction when adjacent to an alley, but only for a second dwelling unit. In order to minimize the size of the building and impact on neighbors, we would like to avoid building high enough to accommodate a dwelling above the parking area.

### HARDSHIP:

2. (a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:

The proposed garage is accessed by a 100-foot driveway that provides no other opportunities to turn around so that vehicles can cross the property without backing the entire way. The alley at the rear of the property is unpaved and overgrown, and sometimes impassable in wet weather, so it doesn't provide reliable access to the property. An existing retaining wall and a protected American Elm prevent expansion of the turning area.

(b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:

Most other properties don't have a similar combination of topography, trees, and an unusually deep lot.

### AREA 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:

Historic Landmark commission has reviewed and approved the project (as proposed, with 5-foot setback). Neighboring properties to immediate East and West have similarly located outbuildings. The proposed building replaces an existing structure in the same location, and will be considerably less massive than an alternative dwelling that could be built at the same 5-foot rear setback without a variance.

**PARKING:** (Additional criteria for parking variances only.)

fin	pect 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:
AP)	OTE: 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 dication are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Sig	med Mail Address 124 N Tumbleweed Trail
City	, State & Zip Austin TX 78733
Prin	ated Philip Just Phone 512 848 4173 Date
OW are	NERS CERTIFICATE – I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Sig	med Mail Address 1502 W 9th St

Request for a parking variance requires the Board to make additional findings. The Board may grant a variance to a regulation prescribed Section 479 of Chapter 25-6 with

Printed Bryan Bayerdorffer Phone 512 763 7943 Date 4/30

# GENERAL INFORMATION FOR SUBMITTAL OF A VARIANCE REQUEST TO THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

(The following is intended to provide assistance in explaining the variance process. These suggestions are not intended to be a complete or exhaustive guide in assisting you through this process.)

### VARIANCE REQUIREMENTS:

### **General Requirements:**

- A variance may be granted if, because of special circumstances of a property, the strict application of the Land Development Code regulations deprives the property owner of privileges that are enjoyed by another person who owns property in the area that has the same zoning designation as the property for which the variance is requested.
- A variance to a regulation may not grant special privileges that are inconsistent with the limitations on other properties in the area or in the district in which the property is located.

SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS: (Failure to complete the application or to submit all the required materials will result in non-acceptance of the application.)

- (1) A completed application indicating all variances being requested. An application must include proposed findings that will support requested variances. The required findings must address each variance being sought.
- (2) A site plan to scale indicating present and proposed construction and location and use of structures on adjacent lots.
- (3)
- (4) Check made payable to the City of Austin for the Board of Adjustment application fee. (Residential zoning - \$360. All other zonings - \$660.)
- (5) Other Information Although the following is not a requirement of submittal you may wish to include additional information that may assist the Board in making an informed decision regarding your request such as: photos of the site or visual aids to support the request, letters from the neighborhood association(s) etc. Any additional information you wish to submit must be in our office one week prior to the meeting. The Board will receive a packet with all information that has been submitted on the Thursday prior to the meeting.
- (6) Austin Energy approval

Variances approved by the Board are limited to and conditioned upon the plans and specifications presented by the applicants, except as modified by the Board.

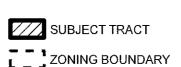
REQUIRED FINDINGS: All variance findings must be met in order for the Board to grant a variance. An application must include proposed findings that will support the requested variance. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

### Reasonable Use:

Application must demonstrate to the Board how the zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use of the property. [Note: The Board cannot approve a variance for a use that is not allowed in the zoning district in which the property is located. This requires a change in zoning.]







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May 1, 2012

Bryan Bayerdorffer 1502 W 9<sup>th</sup> St Austin, Texas 78703

Via email to: Philip Just at godesignaustin@yahoo.com

Re:

1502 W. 9<sup>TH</sup> ST

Lot 10 OLT 4 DIV Z Wendlandts

Dear Mr. Just,

Austin Energy (AE) has reviewed your application for the above referenced property requesting to reduce the rear setback in order to construct a new garage. Austin Energy does not oppose this application as requested and shown on the attached red-stamped sketch provided any existing or future improvements meet AE clearance criteria requirements as well as be in compliance with the National Electric Safety Code and OSHA. This clearance criteria includes that the overhead service be located 18' from the ground and attached to the new weather head to connect the electric meter.

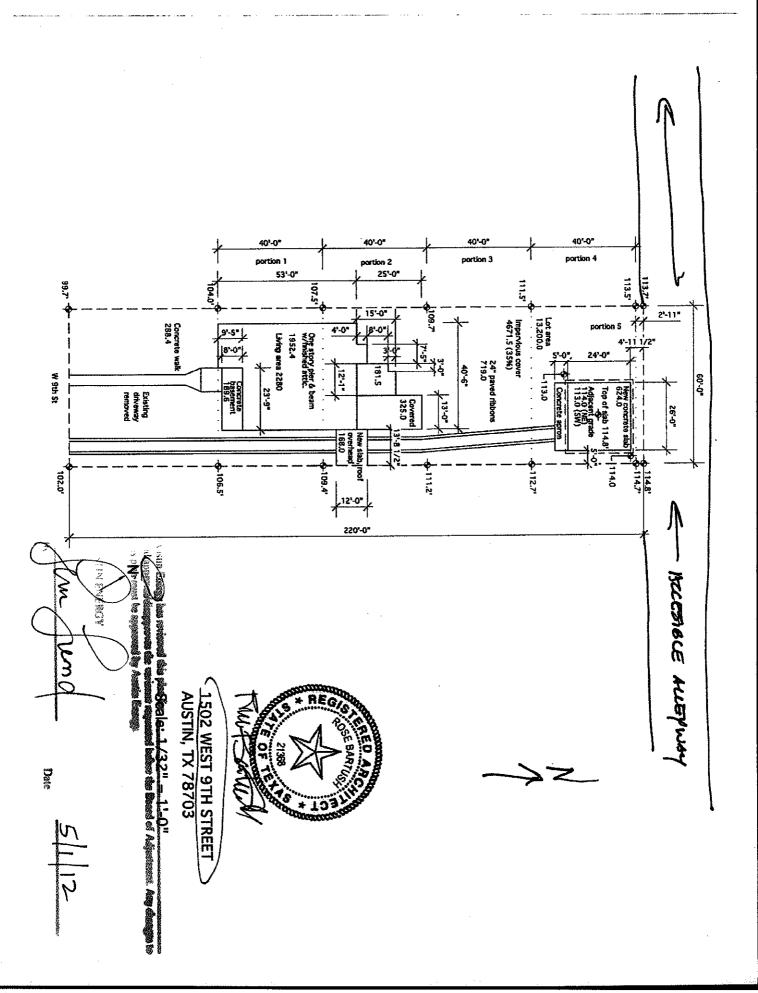
Thank you for checking with us in advance. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 322-6587.

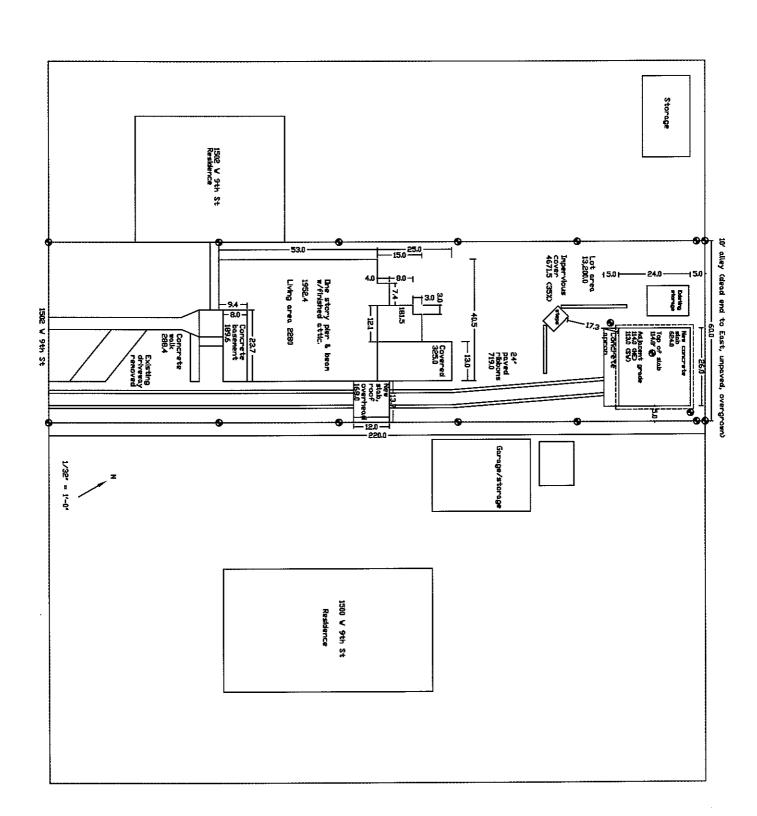
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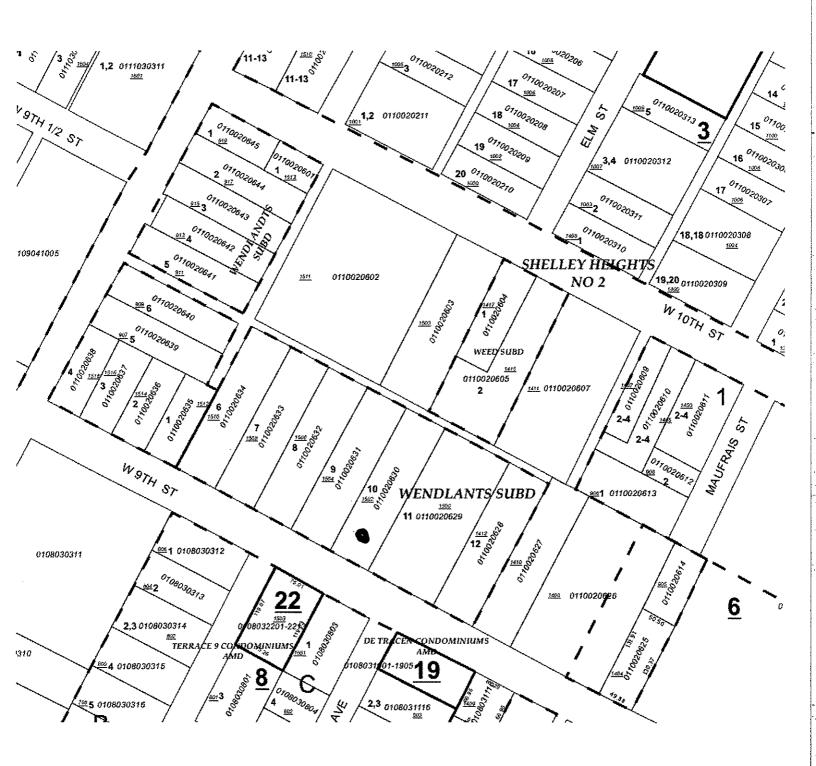
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Cc: Diana Ramirez and Susan Walker





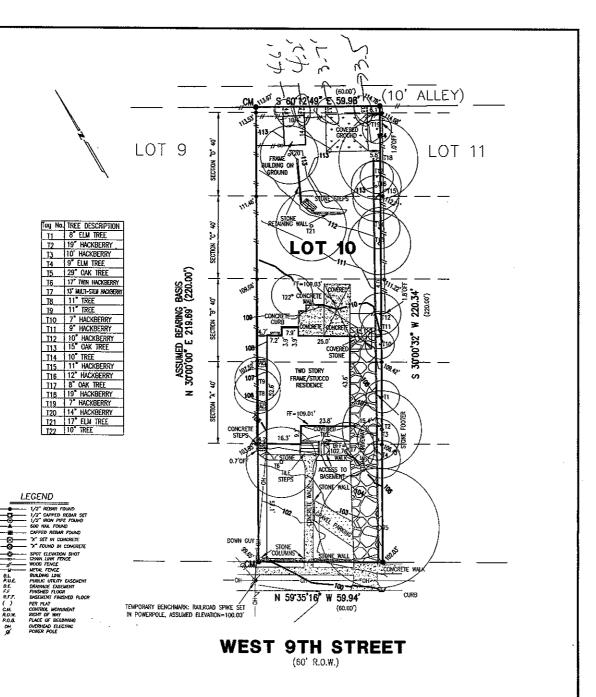




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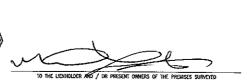
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### IMPORTANT NOTICE

This Survey was prepared without the benefit of a title commitment. There may be additional setback lines, easements and interests which ore relevant to this property and unknown to B & G SURVEYING.





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BRYAN BAYERDORFFER REFERENCE NAME:

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