

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

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CASE #

C15-2013-0054

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TP-023714-02-18

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: 8412 Georgian Drive - Austin, Texas 78753

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision - LOT 5, LORENA ADDITION

Lot(s) 5 Block Outlot Division LORENA ADDITION

I/We Martin Barrera on behalf of myself/ourselves as authorized agent for

Sabino Diaz affirm that on April 26, 2013,

hereby apply for a hearing before the Board of Adjustment for consideration to:

(check appropriate items below)

___ ERECT ☒ ATTACH ☒ COMPLETE ☒ REMODEL ☒ MAINTAIN

A variance is requested to allow Sabino Diaz to complete the remodel of the existing front carport and to allow Sabino Diaz to complete the partial conversion of the rear porch to habitable space, and to maintain the location and size of the remaining rear porch, and to maintain the location and size of an existing wood carport.

in a SF-3 - NP district.
(zoning district)

Carport 25' →
Covered porch - 15' → 0'
Wood carport - 5' →

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.

Georgian Acres

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:
The existing front carport, the existing rear porch roof are existing non-conforming structures Mr. Diaz was attempting to repair at the time of his citation.

HARDSHIP:

2. (a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:
Mr. Diaz does not speak English, and was unaware that he could not completely replace the existing structures with new structures of the same dimension, in the same location.

- (b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:
The codes and ordinances regarding existing non-conforming structures and their maintenance and repair are in English, and Mr. Diaz has no knowledge of their complexity.

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:
Many houses nearby have existing non-conforming structures, be they carports, or porches.

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 Section 479 of Chapter 25-6 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 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:

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.

APPLICANT CERTIFICATE --I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed  Mail Address 1000 E. Cesar Chavez

City, State & Zip Austin, Texas 78702

Printed Martin Barrera, Architect Phone 512.473.0055 Date 04.26.2013

OWNERS CERTIFICATE -- I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed Sabino Diaz Mail Address 8412 Georgian Drive

City, State & Zip Austin, Texas 78753

Printed Sabino Diaz Phone 512.300.5573 Date 04.26.2013

Walker, Susan

From: Martin Barrera, AIA + LEED AP [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, May 24, 2013 1:51 PM
To: Walker, Susan
Subject: 8412 Georgian Drive Variance Application

Susan,

The Variances we are requesting are to reduce the setbacks as follows:

- 1) Georgian Drive - Front Yard Setback reduced to 12'-7" to allow the reconstructed Front Carport to remain.
- 2) Walnut Drive - Street Side Yard Setback reduced to 6'-5" to allow the reconstructed Front Carport to remain.
- 3) Walnut Drive - Street Side Yard Setback reduced to 0'-0" to allow the reconstructed Rear Carport to remain.
- 4) Interior Side Yard Setback reduced to 1'-8" to allow the existing free standing wood carport to remain.

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

Martin Barrera, AIA + LEED AP
1000 East Cesar Chavez Street | Suite 200 | Austin, Texas | 78702
phone 512.473.0055 | fax 512.473.0056 | mobile 512.740.4417
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On Apr 25, 2013, at 3:13 PM, "Walker, Susan" <Susan.Walker@austintexas.gov> wrote:

\$360. for residential. ☺

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Senior Planner
Planning & Development Review Department
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From: Martin Barrera, AIA + LEED AP [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, April 25, 2013 9:58 AM
To: Walker, Susan
Subject: Variance Fee

Susan,

Can you remind me what the variance fee is for a residential project?

Thanks,

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SABINO DIAZ
8412 GEORGIAN DRIVE,
LOT 5, LORENA ADDITION,
AUSTIN, TRAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS.
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RESTRICTIONS:
THIS SURVEY WAS PREPARED WITHOUT THE BENEFIT OF A TITLE COMMITMENT AND THIS SURVEYOR DID NOT RESEARCH THE DEED RECORDS FOR PREVIOUS CONFLICTS IN TITLE, EASEMENTS AND/OR BOUNDARY LINE AGREEMENTS. THEREFORE, CERTAIN EASEMENTS MAY HAVE BEEN GRANTED WHICH ARE NOT REFLECTED HEREON. ONLY THOSE SETBACK LINES, EASEMENTS, BOUNDARY LINES AND INTERESTS WHICH ARE REPRESENTED ON THE PARENT SUBDIVISION PLAT, WHICH IS REFERENCED HEREON, ARE PLOTTED ON THIS SURVEY. NO DOCUMENTS OTHER THAN THOSE CITED ON THIS SURVEY HAVE BEEN EXAMINED.

THIS PROPERTY DOES NOT LIE WITHIN THE 100 YEAR FLOOD-PLAIN AND HAS A "ZONE X" RATING AS SHOWN ON THE FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAPS.
F.I.R.M. MAP NO.: 4843C0455H
PANEL: 0455H
DATED: 9-26-2008
THIS CERTIFICATION IS FOR INSURANCE PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT A GUARANTEE THAT THIS PROPERTY WILL OR WILL NOT FLOOD. CONTACT YOUR LOCAL FLOOD-PLAIN ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE CURRENT STATUS OF THIS TRACT.

SURVEY DATE	NOVEMBER 29, 2012
TITLE CO.	
G.F. NO.	
JOB NO.	A1107912
FIELD BY	REX NOWLIN 11/27/2012
CALC BY	CHRIS ZOTTER 11/28/2012
DRAWN BY	ROGER CARDONA 11/29/2012
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SCALE 1"=20'

