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VARIANCE FINDINGS: I contend that my entitlement to the requested variance is based on the following findings

REASONABLE USE:

- 1. The zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use because:
- 2. the owner of the property will be deprived from the use of his property in a similar manner as other property owners along the lake have been authorized, and obtained permit to do, Without a variance the owner cannot enjoy the use of his property.

HARDSHIP:

2. (a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that: A recent amendment to the process has occurred which makes the variance necessary in order to construct a bulkhead, back fill, and landscape this small area

. Without a variance a continued health and safety condition will continue to exist, and the owners will not be able to re-vegetate this small area.

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

Many boatslips along the lake have been redeveloped under the previous ordinance.

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:

The proposed redevelopment is to the rear of the property and the Lake Austin Ordinance severely restricts the improvements that maybe made in the shoreline 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 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: