## CITY OF AUSTIN Board of Adjustment/Sign Review Board Decision Sheet

DATE:	Thursday, Jan 13, 2014	CASE NUMBER: C15-2013-0120
Y_	Jeff Jack	
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Dec 9, 2013 - POSTPONED TO JANUARY 13, 2014 BY APPLICANT

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The applicant has requested a variance to increase the maximum impervious coverage requirement of Section 25-2-551 (D) (3) (c) from 5% to 8.88% on a slope with a gradient of more than 25% and not more than 35% in order to erect a single-family residence in an "LA", Lake Austin zoning district.

The applicant has requested a variance to increase the maximum impervious coverage requirement of Section 25-2-551 (B) (5) from 0% to 10.19% on a slope with a gradient that exceeds 35% in order to erect a single-family residence in an "LA", Lake Austin zoning district.

Jan 13, 2014 The public hearing was closed on Board Member Michael Von Ohlen motion to Postpone to February 10, 2014, Board Member Bryan King second on a 7-0 vote; POSTPONED TO February 10, 2014.

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**Executive Liaison** 

Jeff Jack

Chairman

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A CUSTOM PROJECT FOR:

VEGA RESIDENCE 3015 WESTLAKE DR. AUSTIN, TEXAS 78746







8111 Ash Lane Way Suite 205 & 215 The Woodlands TX, 77382 832,248,1525

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Austin, TX 78767-1088

CASE # <u>C15-2013-0120</u> TP-012309-02-17 ROW-11026199

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: 3015 Westlake Drive
LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision –
Lot(s) 72 Block Outlot Division
I <u>Jim Bennett</u> as authorized agent for <u>Ricardo Vega</u>
affirm that on 9/27/13 hereby apply for a hearing before the Board of
Adjustment for consideration to:
ERECT - ATTACH - COMPLETE - REMODEL - MAINTAIN
a single family dwelling providing a shoreline side yard setback of 5 ft.
in a LA district.

The Austin Electric Utility Department (Austin Energy) enforces electric easements and the setback requirements set forth in the Austin Utility Code, Electric Criteria Manual and National Electric Safety Code. The Board of Adjustment considers variance to the Land Development Code, and a variance granted by the Board of Adjustment does not waive the requirements enforced by Austin Energy. Please contact Christine Esparza with Austin Energy at 322-6112 before filing your application with the Board of Adjustment if your request is for a reduction in setbacks or height limits.

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

### **REASONABLE USE:**

1. The zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use because:

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### HARDSHIP:

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

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### 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:

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**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:

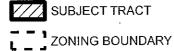
1. Neither present nor anticipated future traffic volumes generated by the use of the site or the uses of sites in the vicinity reasonable require strict or literal interpretation and enforcement of the specific regulation because:

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:
N	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 plication are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
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Cit	y, State & Zip Acusti +X. 78748-
Pri	nted Jim Bennett Phone 512-282-3079 Date 9/30/13
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CASE#: C15-2013-0120 LOCATION: 3015 Westlake Drive

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### Austin Tx, September 2013

After being informed of the nature of the ordinance and the variance needed as per drawing attached;

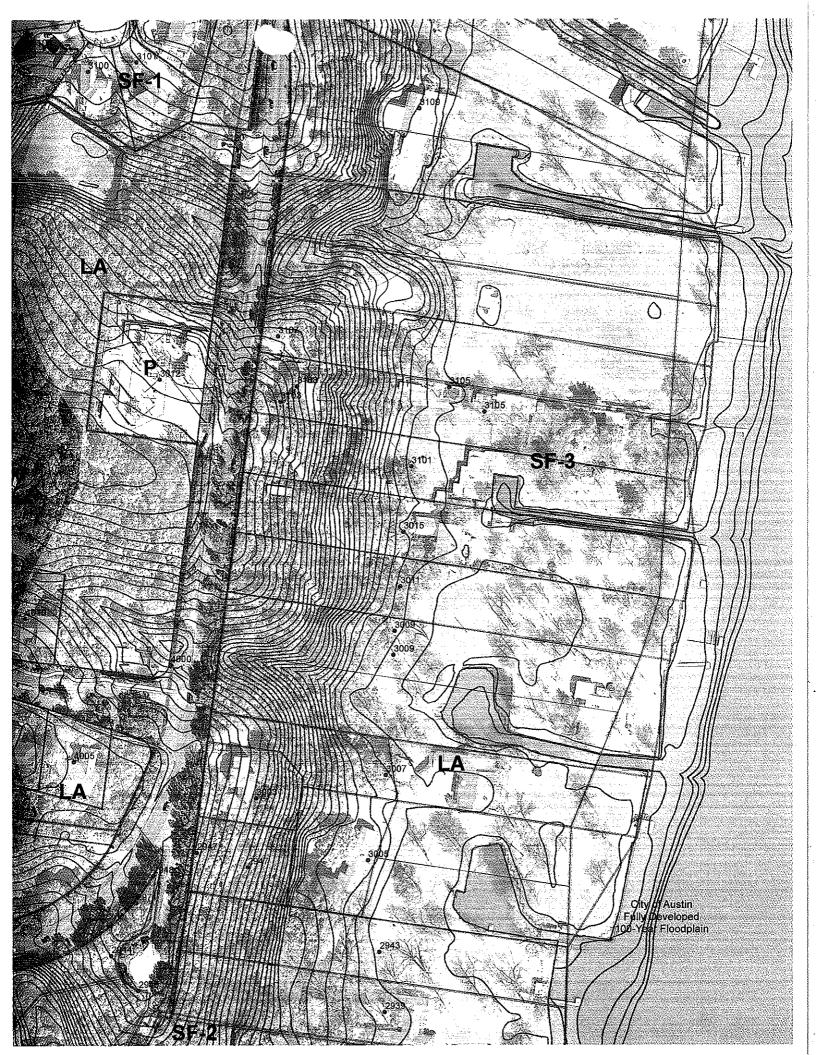
We, the undersigned find no objection and therefore support the variance request by Mr. Ricardo Vega for the property located at 3015 Westlake Dr., Austin, TX 78746 Exhibit A. Site Plan Defel September 21,2013

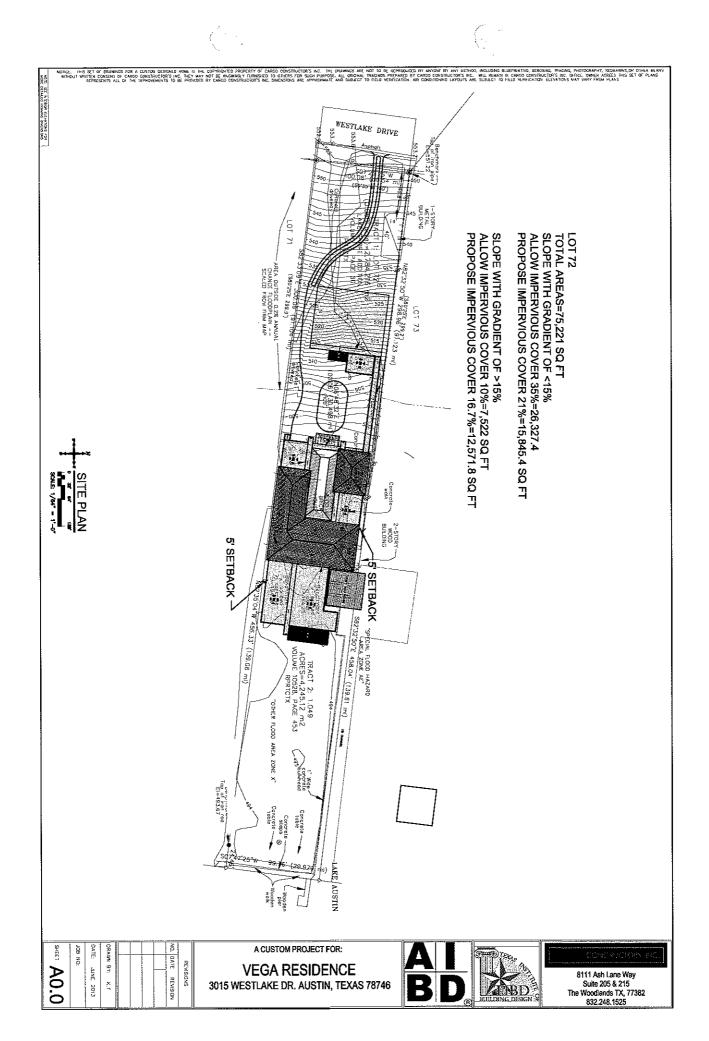
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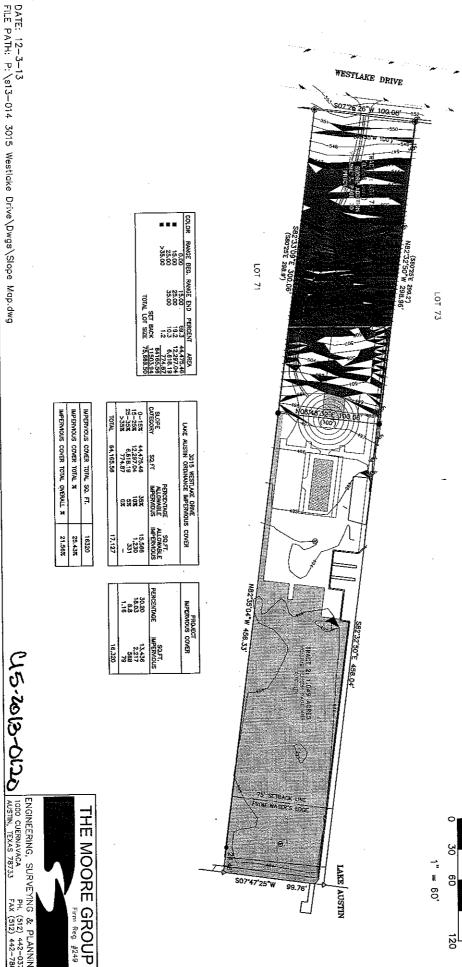
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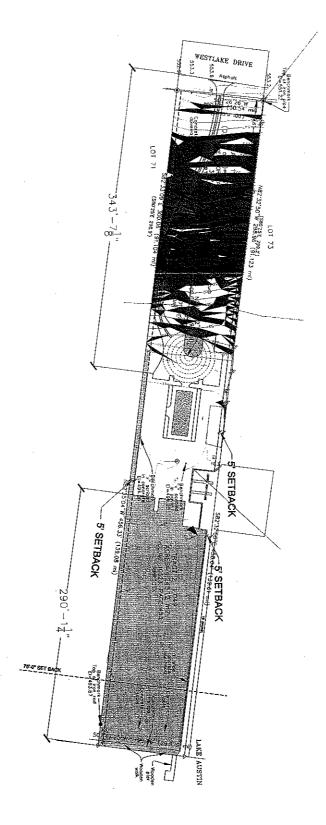
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SET BACK COMPLIANCE



SITE PLAN

SCALE: 1/32" = 1"-0"

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