

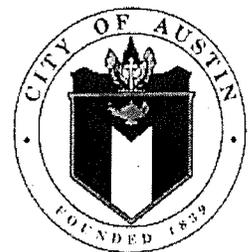


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NOTIFICATIONS

CASE#: C15-2015-0164
 LOCATION: 8406 Emerald Hill Dr.



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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: 8406 Emerald Hill Drive

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision – Amended plat of Lots 3 and 4 Westover Hills,
Section 4 Lot(s) 4A Block G I, Katherine Loayza as authorized agent for Cyndy and Doug

Fowler affirm that on _____ do hereby apply for a hearing before the Board of Adjustment
for consideration to:

**(check appropriate items below and state what portion of the Land Development Code
you are seeking a variance from)**

_____ERECT _____ ATTACH _____ COMPLETE X REMODEL _____ MAINTAIN

Remodel an existing carport in order to convert it into a garage using the same building footprint. The remodel triggers a variance to Section 25-2-492 Site Development Regulations because when the site was developed in 1970 the carport encroached into the 25' front setback from zero feet to approximately 4.8' at the southwest corner for a distance of 17.8'. This encroachment includes a 2.5' eave overhang, therefore minus the allowed eave overhang, the greatest encroachment is 2.3' at the southwest corner of the carport. No additional encroachment is proposed beyond the existing carport footprint.

in a SF-3 district. (zoning district)

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):

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REASONABLE USE:

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

The 25' front setback line does not follow a straight line, but is an arc following the curvature of the street. Therefore, when the house and attached carport were sited on the lot, for whatever reason, the carport was inadvertently built into the front yard setback.

HARDSHIP:

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

The unique shape of the lot is due to the curvature of Emerald Hill Drive, which intersects with the continuation of Emerald Hill Drive and Hayes Lane. Therefore, the front yard setback is not a straight line and is possibly the reason for the oversight in the placement of the carport. The encroachment of the existing carport occurred when the property was originally developed in 1970 and would qualify for a special exception if not for the proposed enclosure of the existing structure. The greatest point of encroachment, or 4.8' which includes a 2.5' eave would be the same if the carport was not enclosed to be a garage.

No expansion of the existing carport footprint is proposed. Windows will be added within the existing columns in order to enclose one wall, a new brick wall for the rear of the garage will be added that will connect to the house and a garage door will be added which is not within the encroachment area.

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

To our knowledge, this is the only lot with an existing carport encroachment in the area.

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:

Because the lot is located at the junction of three roadways, the carport is viewed from more angles than is typical. Enclosing the carport will allow the property to not only be more secure, but will also enhance the visual impact from street views. The majority of the homes in this neighborhood have two-car garages. Converting the carport into a garage will be consistent with the neighborhood character and will not expand the existing encroachment in any way. The Balcones Civic Association president, Richard Grayum indicated that the Association has no problem with the request and that they do not issue letters of support in this case. To our knowledge neighboring property owners have no objection to the variance request.

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

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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 Katherine Loayza

Mail Address 100 Congress, Suite 1100 City, State & Zip Austin, Texas 78701

Printed Katherine Loayza Phone 512-236-2259 Date October 23, 2015

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 William D. Fowler Mail Address 91 Carriage Trl

City, State & Zip Wylie, Tx, 75098

Printed William D. Fowler Phone 972-429-6509 Date 23 Oct 2015

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A LAND TITLE SURVEY OF LOT 4A, AMENDED PLAT OF LOTS 3 AND 4, BLOCK C, WESTOVER HILLS SECTION 4, A SUBDIVISION OF RECORD IN DOCUMENT NO. 22100083 OF THE OFFICIAL RECORDS OF TRAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS

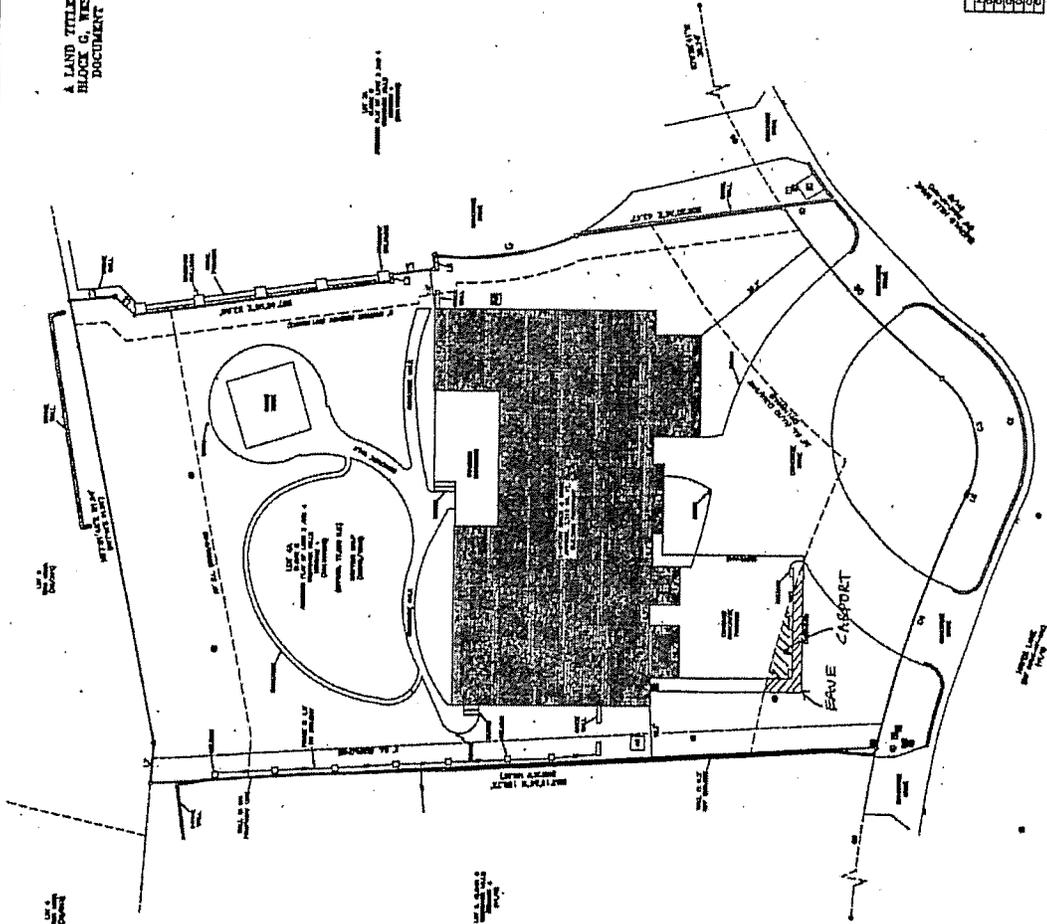


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- 21. LOT 4U
- 22. LOT 4V
- 23. LOT 4W
- 24. LOT 4X
- 25. LOT 4Y
- 26. LOT 4Z

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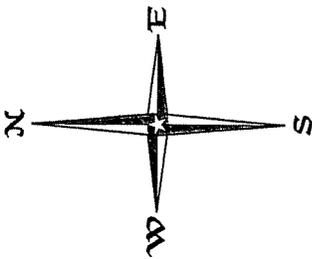
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APPROVED BY
 AUSTIN ENERGY
 FOR BOA

DATE: *[Signature]*

REVIEWED
 By Eben Kellogg at 10:52 am, Nov 13, 2015

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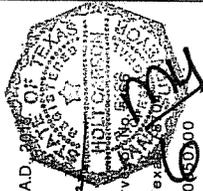
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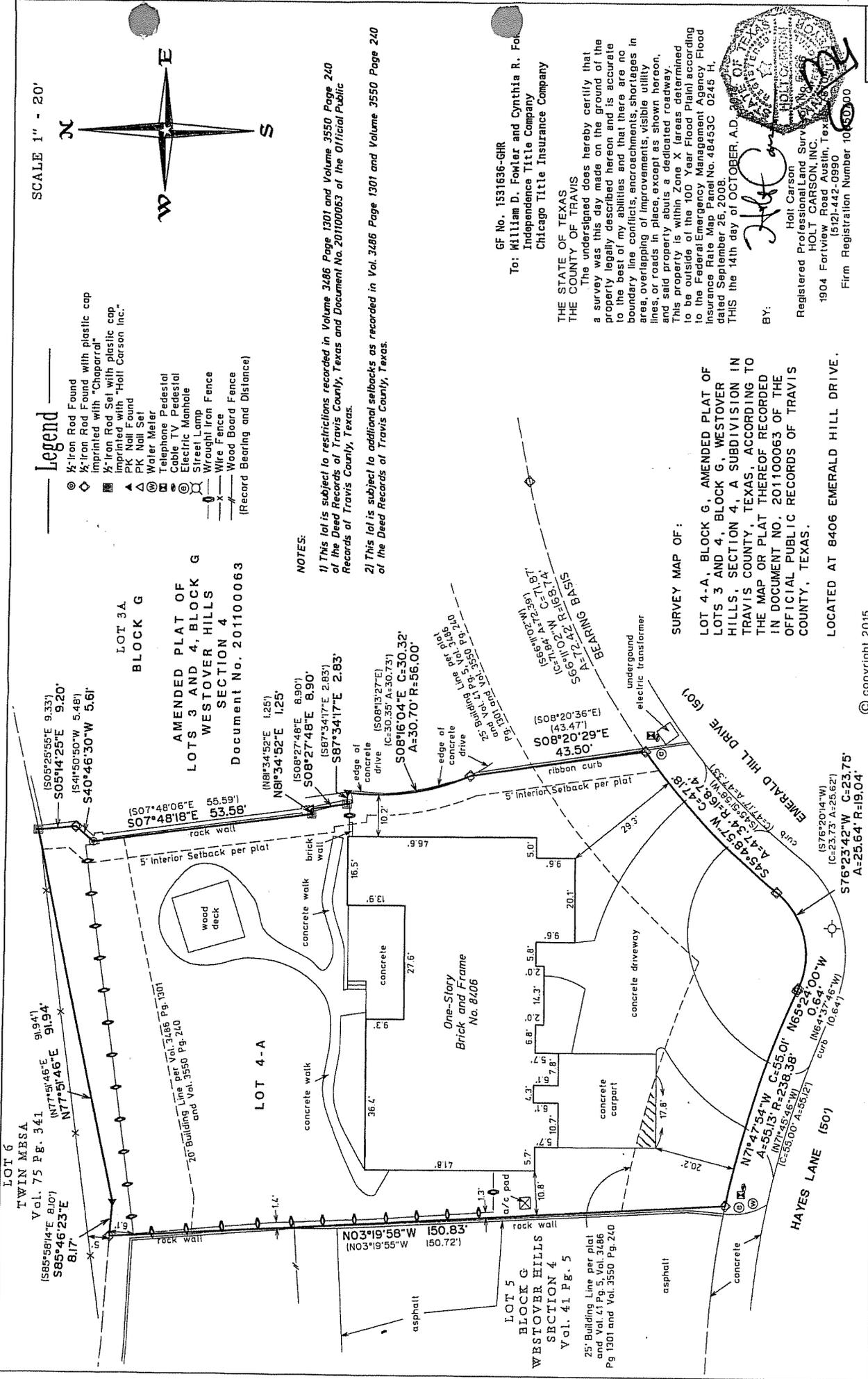


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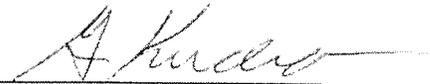
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To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

Dear Representative,

My property, 8408 Emerald Hill Drive, borders 8406 Emerald Hill Drive on the east side. I do not object to the plans to enclose the existing carport to create a garage. Garages are the norm in this neighborhood, while carports are rare.

Sincerely,



Signature

Gerald Kucera

Printed Name

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Date

To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

Dear Representative,

My property, 8404 Emerald Hill Drive, is directly across the street (Hayes Lane) from 8406 Emerald Hill Drive. My driveway faces the carport on the south side. I do not object to the plans to enclose the existing carport to create a garage. Garages are the norm in this neighborhood, while carports are rare.

Sincerely,

Ellen C Rost

Signature

Ellen C Rost

Printed Name

Nov. 11, 2015

Date

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To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

Dear Representative,

Our property, 8403 Emerald Hill Drive, is across the street from 8406 Emerald Hill Drive. We do not object to the plans to enclose the existing carport to create a garage. Garages are the norm in this neighborhood, while carports are rare.

Sincerely,

Alta J. Sanders

Signature

Alta J. Sanders

Printed Name

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To: City of Austin Board of Adjustment

Dear Representative,

Our property, 8405 Emerald Hill Drive, is across the street from 8406 Emerald Hill Drive. We do not object to the plans to enclose the existing carport to create a garage. Garages are the norm in this neighborhood, while carports are rare.

Sincerely,

Raymond D. Luckey Jr.

Signature

RAYMOND D. LUCKEY, JR.

Printed Name

October 4, 2015

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To: City of Austin Residential Revue

Dear Representative,

Our property borders 8406 Emerald Hill Drive, and we are the nearest neighbors to the existing carport at that address. We support plans to enclose the carport at 8406 Emerald Hill Drive to create a garage. Garages are the norm in this neighborhood, while carports are rare. We understand our neighbor's desire for the privacy, security and storage a garage provides.

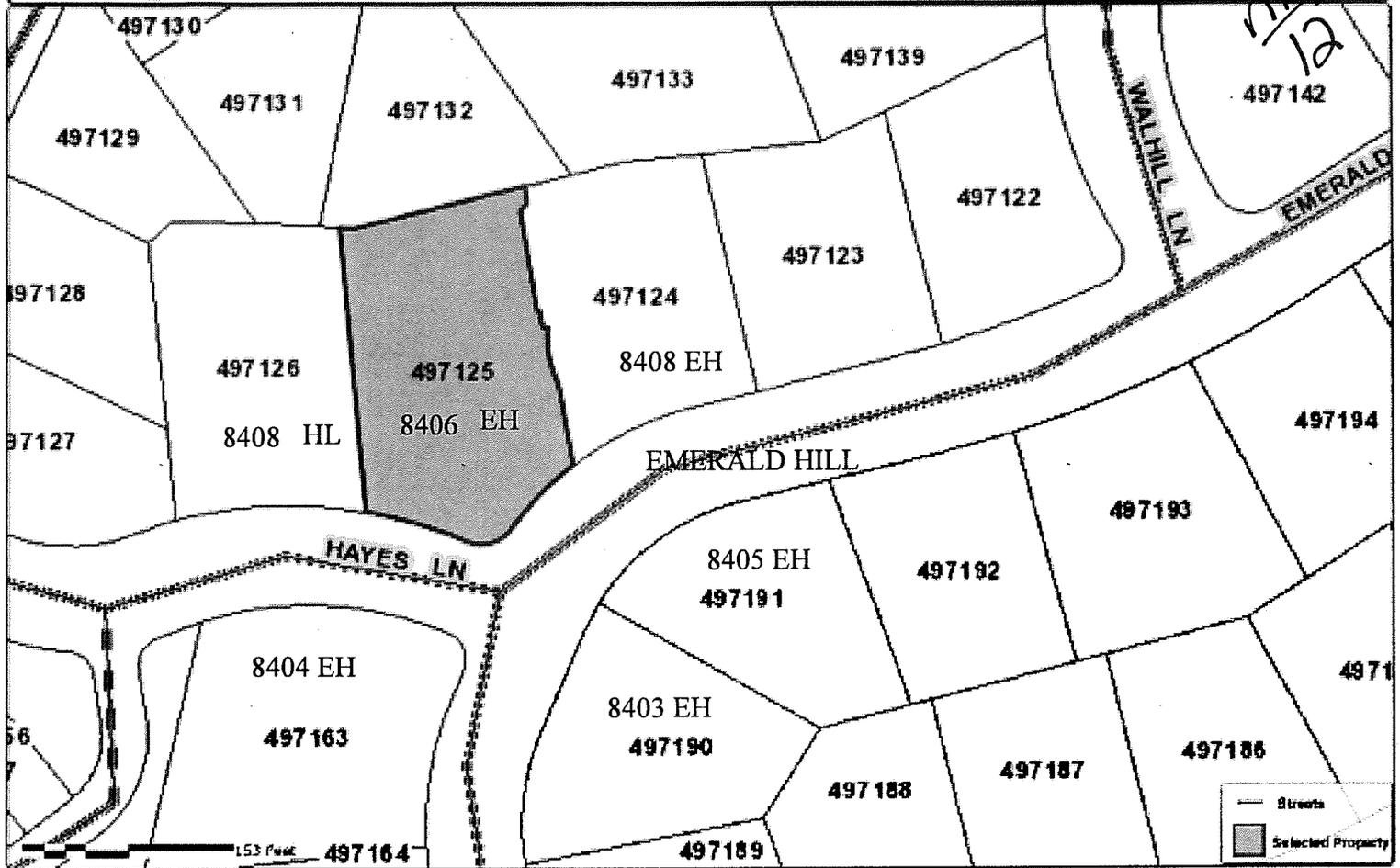
Sincerely,



Joel and Victoria Pearson, 8408 Hayes Lane, 78759

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Property Details

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 Type: Real

Legal Description: LOT 4-A BLK G WESTOVER HILLS SEC 4 AMD PLAT OF LOTS 3&4 BLK G

Location

Situs Address: 8406 EMERALD HILL DR TX 78759
 Neighborhood: NORTHWEST HILLS
 Mapsco: 494R
 Jurisdictions: 68, 0A, 2J, 03, 02, 01

Owner

Owner Name: WELCH ASHLEY J & PATSY N
 Mailing Address: , 8406 EMERALD HILL DR, , AUSTIN, TX 78759-8052

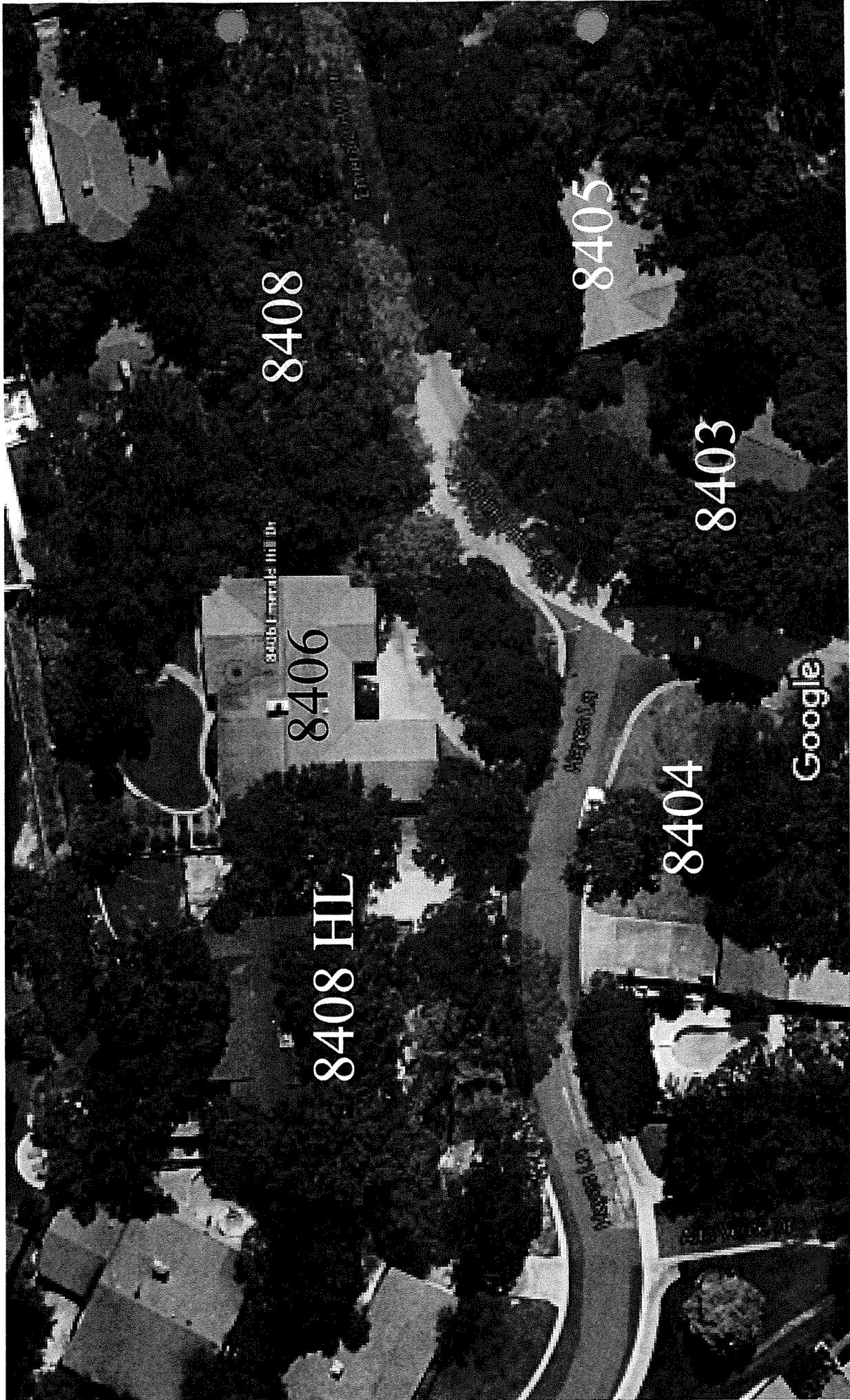
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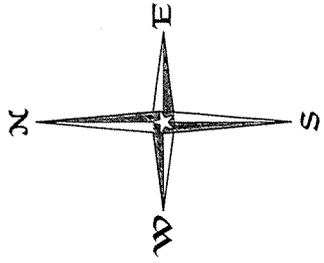
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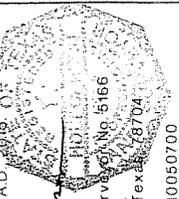
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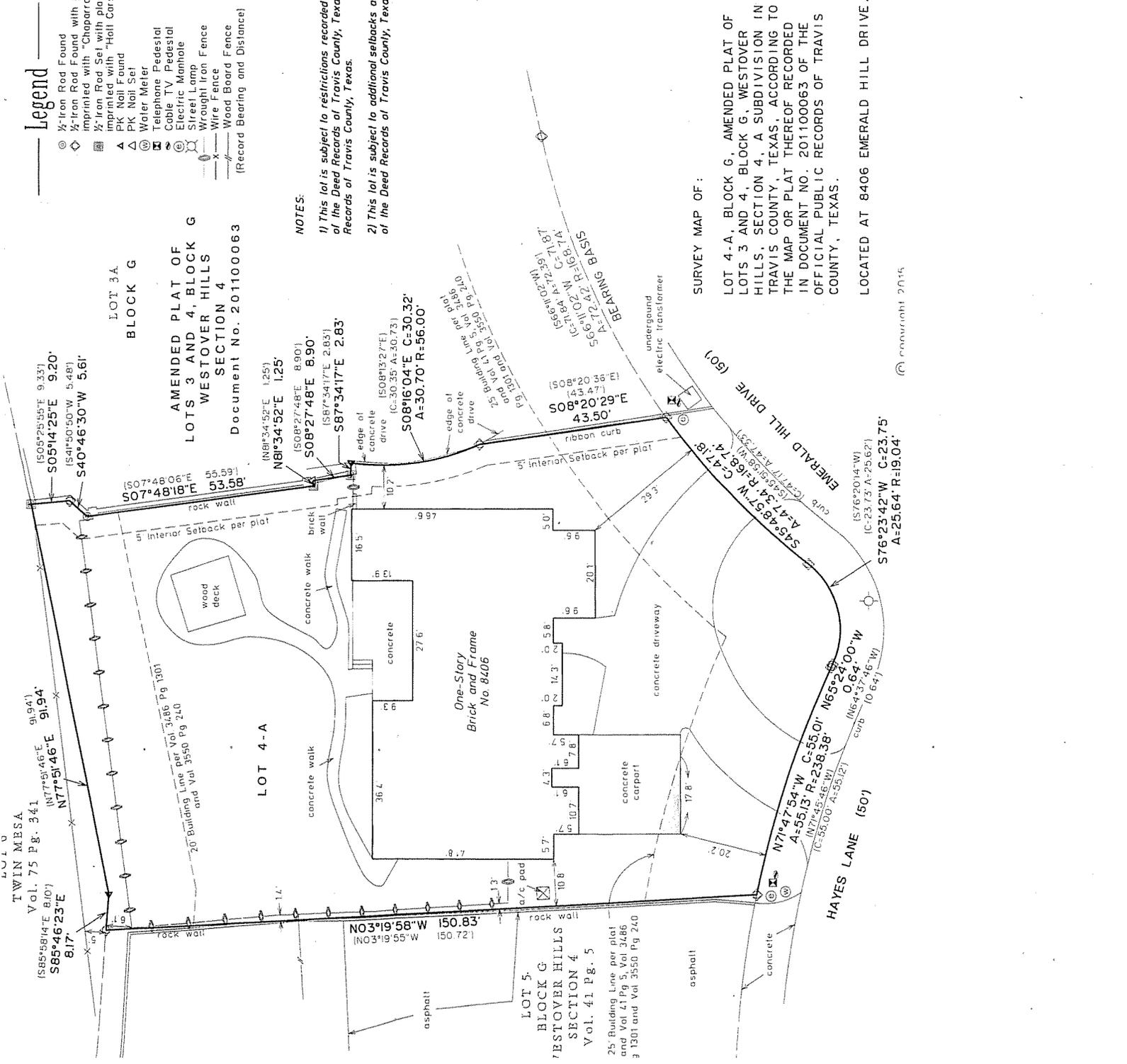
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THIS the 14th day of OCTOBER, A.D. 2015



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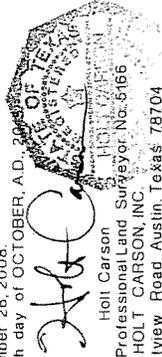
IMPERVIOUS COVER
 LOT AREA = 17,104 Square Feet
 HOUSE FOOTPRINT = 3,510 Square Feet
 CONCRETE AREAS = 3,000 Square Feet
 CARPORT AREA = 570 Square Feet
 A/C Pad = 9 Square Feet

Total Impervious area = 7,089 Square Feet or 41.4% of the total area

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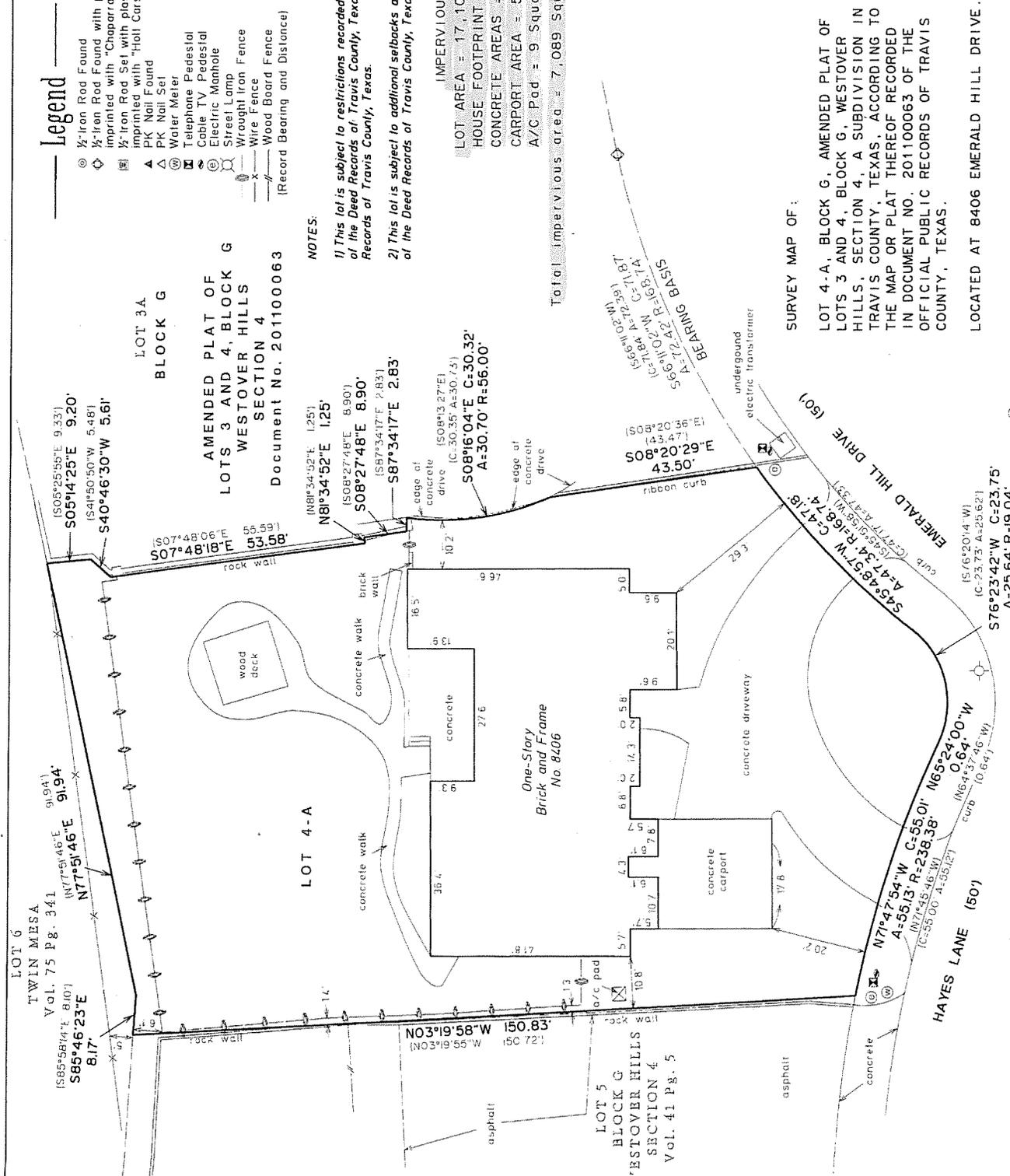


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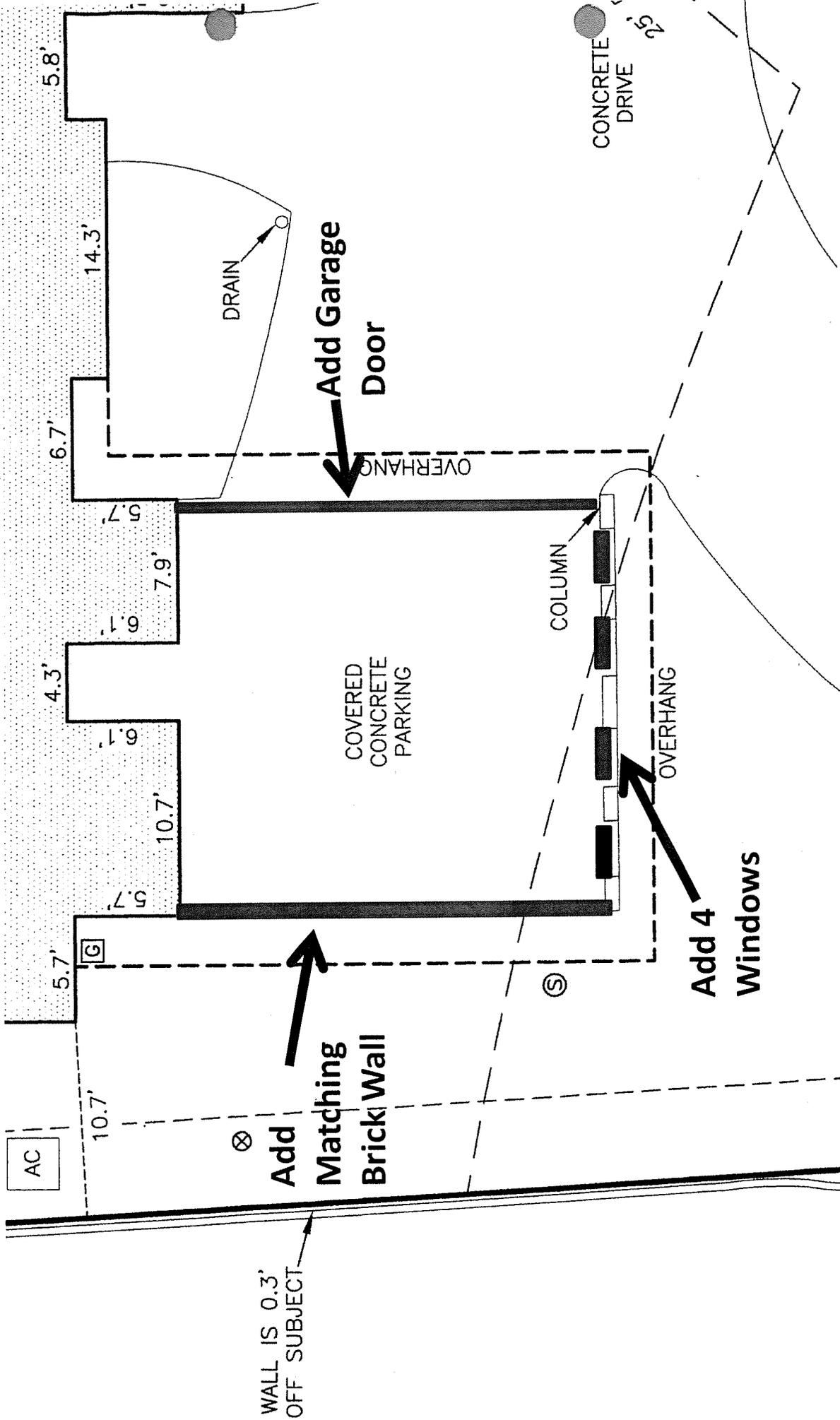


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Front View (South Side) of Existing Carport at 8406 Emerald Hill Drive



Side View (West Side) of Existing Carport at 8406 Emerald Hill Drive



Proposed Changes to Existing Carport

8406 Emerald Hill Drive

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WALL IS 0.3' OFF SUBJECT

Add Matching Brick Wall

Add Garage Door

Add 4 Windows

COVERED CONCRETE PARKING

CONCRETE DRIVE

DRAIN

COLUMN

OVERHANG

OVERHANG

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10.7'

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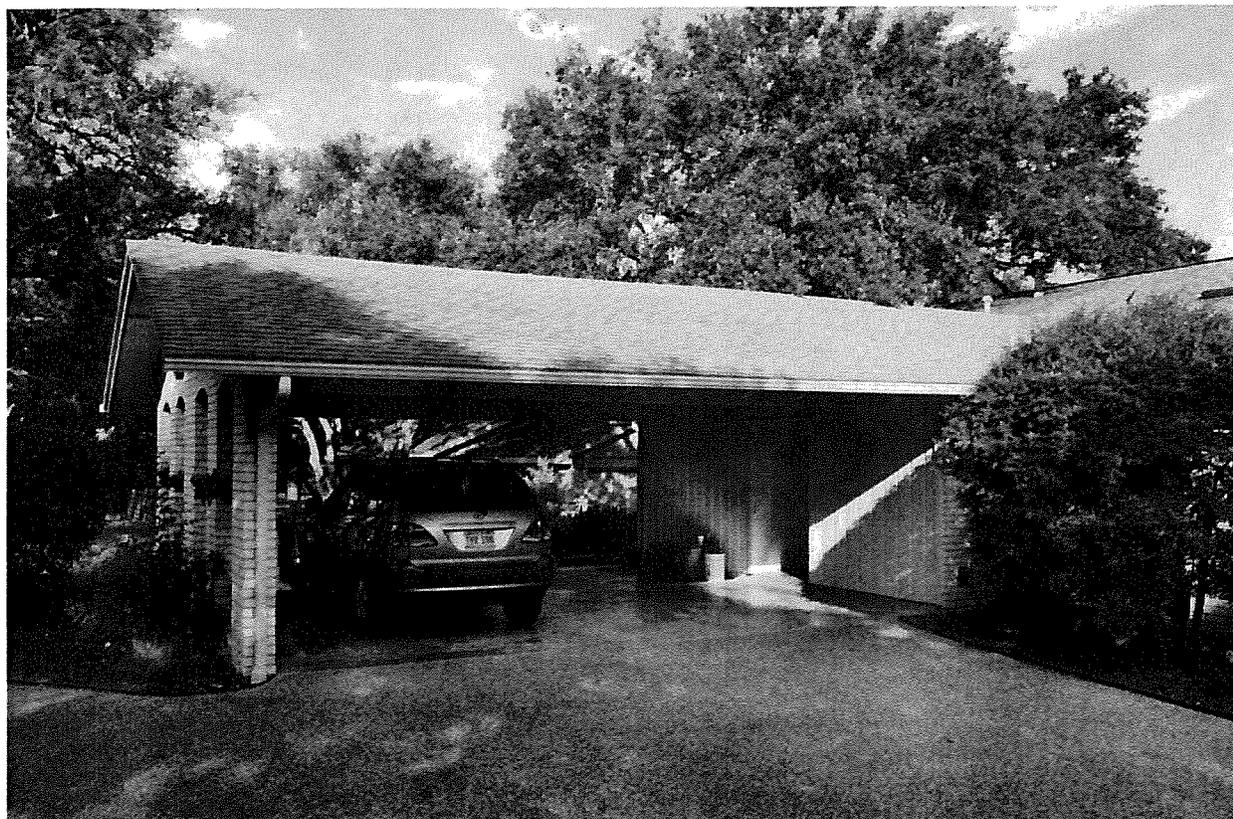
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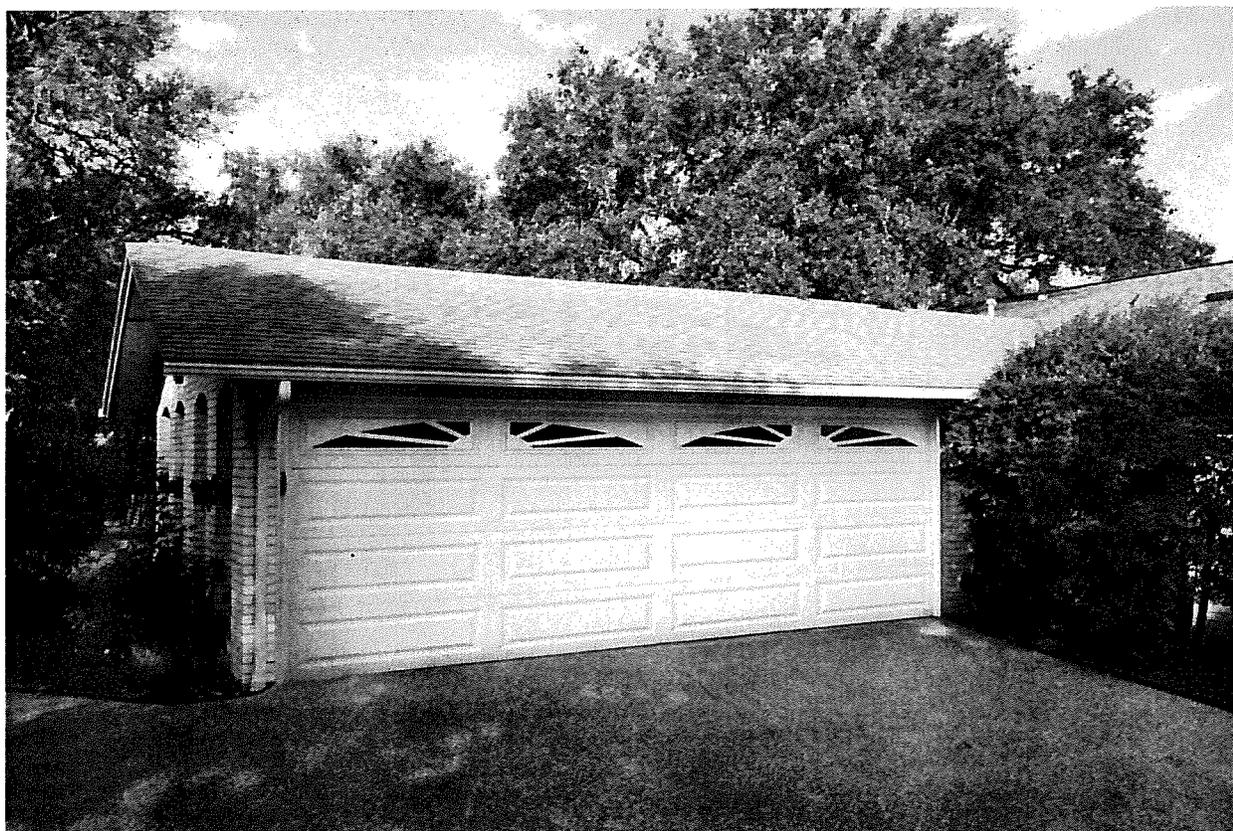
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East Side of Existing Carport at 8406 Emerald Hill Dr



Proposed Garage Door on East Side

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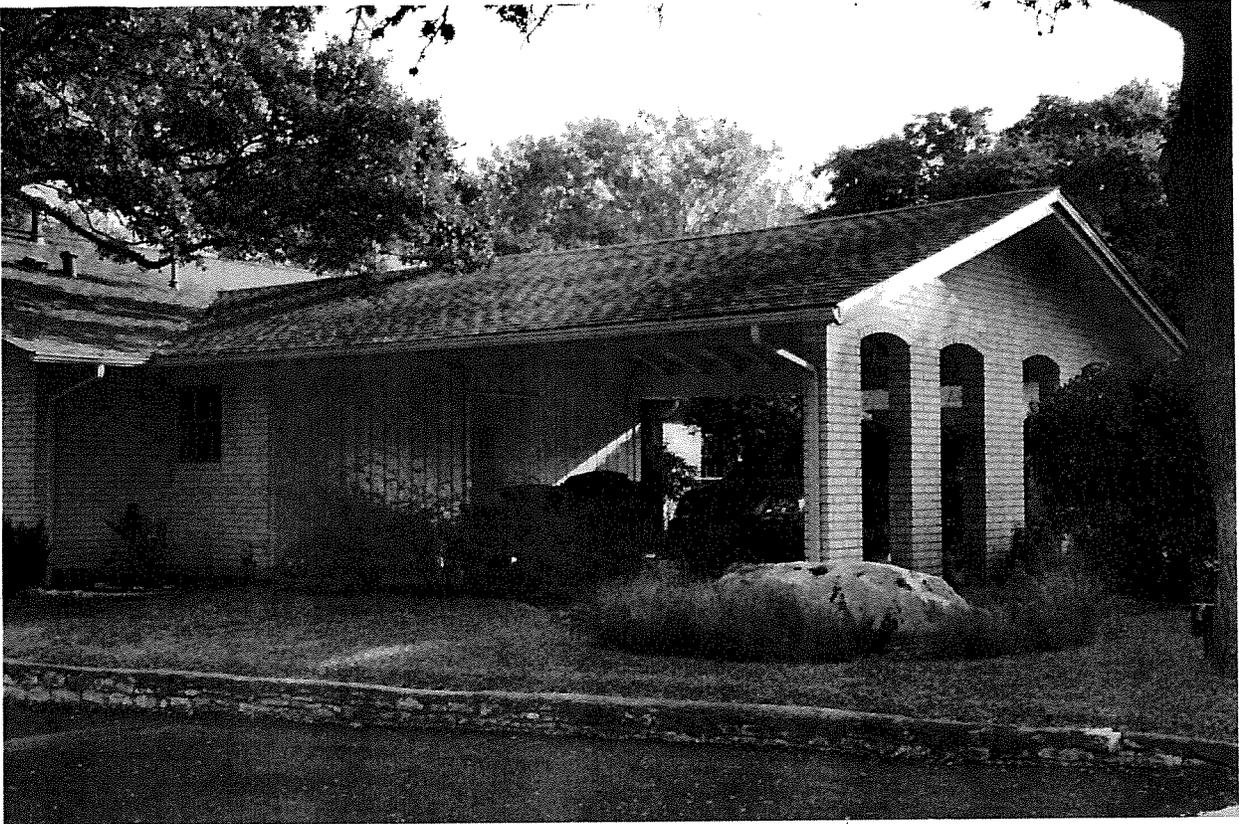


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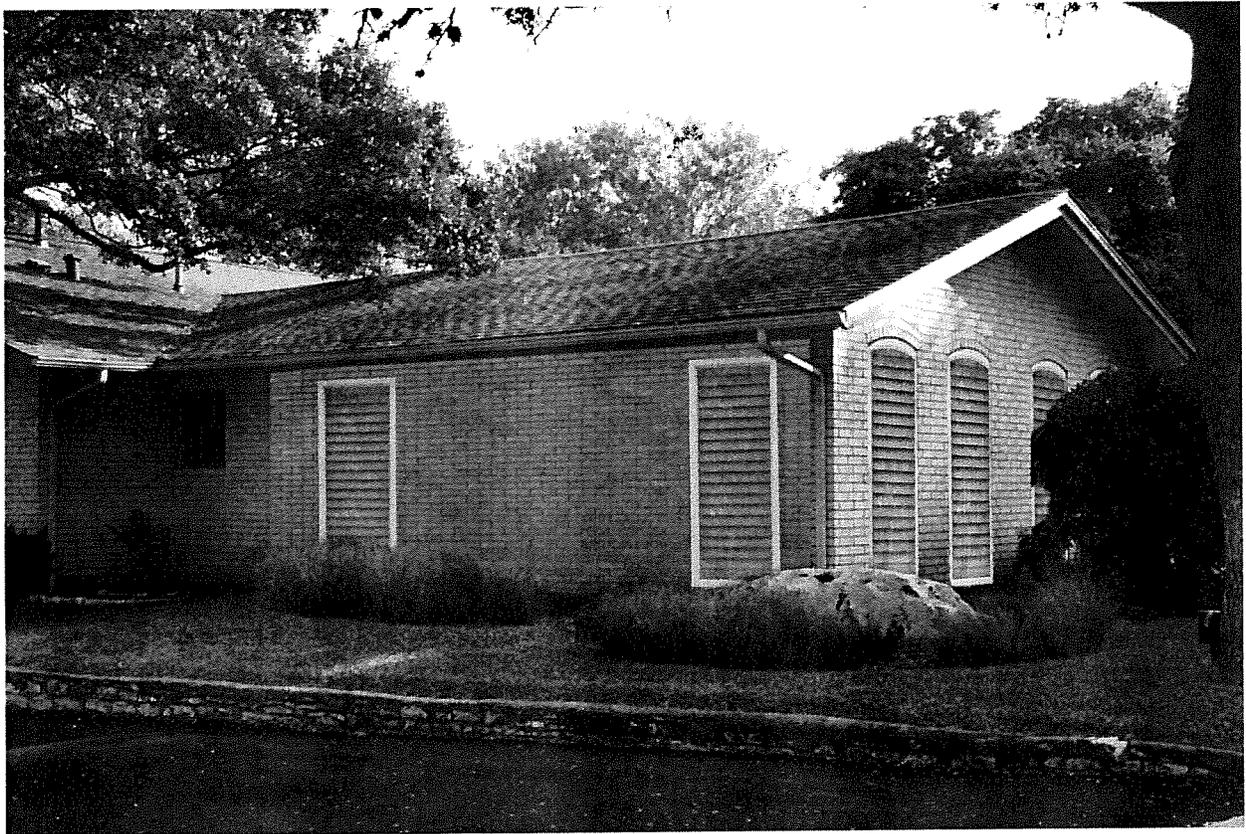


Proposed Windows for Garage Front View (South Side)

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West Side of Existing Carport at 8406 Emerald Hill Dr



Propose Back Brick Wall and Windows for West side of Garage

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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: 8406 Emerald Forest Drive ^{Hill}

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Subdivision – Amended plat of Lots 3 and 4 Westover Hills,
Section 4 Lot(s) 4A Block G I, Katherine Loayza as authorized agent for Cyndy and Doug
Fowler affirm that on _____ do hereby apply for a hearing before the Board of Adjustment
for consideration to:

(check appropriate items below and state what portion of the Land Development Code you are seeking a variance from)

____ ERECT ____ ATTACH ____ COMPLETE X REMODEL ____ MAINTAIN

Remodel an existing carport in order to convert it into a garage using the same building footprint. The remodel triggers a variance to Section 25-2-492 Site Development Regulations because when the site was developed in 1970, the carport encroached into the 25' front setback beginning at the southeast corner of the carport from zero feet encroachment to approximately 7' at the southwest corner, for a distance of 25'; this includes a 2.5' eave overhang. No additional encroachment is proposed beyond the existing carport footprint.

in a SF-3 district. (zoning district)

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):

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REASONABLE USE:

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

The 25' front setback line does not follow a straight line, but is an arc following the curvature of the street. Therefore, when the house and attached carport were sited on the lot, for whatever reason, the carport was inadvertently built into the front yard setback.

HARDSHIP:

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

The unique shape of the lot is due to the curvature of Emerald Hill Drive, which intersects with the continuation of Emerald Hill Drive and Hayes Lane. The front yard setback is therefore not a straight line and is possibly the reason for the oversight in the placement of the carport. The encroachment of the existing carport occurred when the property was originally developed in 1970 and would qualify for a special exception if not for the proposed enclosure of the existing structure. The greatest point of encroachment, or 7' which includes a 2.5' eave would be the same if the carport was not enclosed to be a garage.

No expansion of the existing carport footprint is proposed. Windows will be added within the existing columns in order to enclose one wall, a new brick wall for the rear of the garage will be added that will connect to the house and a garage door will be added which is not within the encroachment area.

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

To our knowledge, this is the only lot with an existing carport encroachment in the area.

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:

Because the lot is located at the junction of three roadways, the carport is viewed from more angles than is typical. Enclosing the carport will allow the property to not only be more secure, but will also enhance the visual impact from street views. The majority of the homes in this neighborhood have two-car garages. Converting the carport into a garage will be consistent with the neighborhood character and will not expand the existing encroachment in any way. The Balcones Civic Association president, Richard Grayum indicated that the Association has no issue with the request and that they do not issue letters of support in this case. To our knowledge neighboring property owners have no objection to the variance request.

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

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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 Katherine Loayza

Mail Address 100 Congress, Suite 1100 City, State & Zip Austin, Texas 78701

Printed Katherine Loayza Phone 512-236-2259 Date October 23, 2015

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 William D. Fowler Mail Address 91 Carriage Trl

City, State & Zip Wylie, TX, 75098

Printed William D. Fowler Phone 972-429-6500 Date 23 Oct 2015

October 4, 2015

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To: City of Austin Residential Revue

Dear Representative,

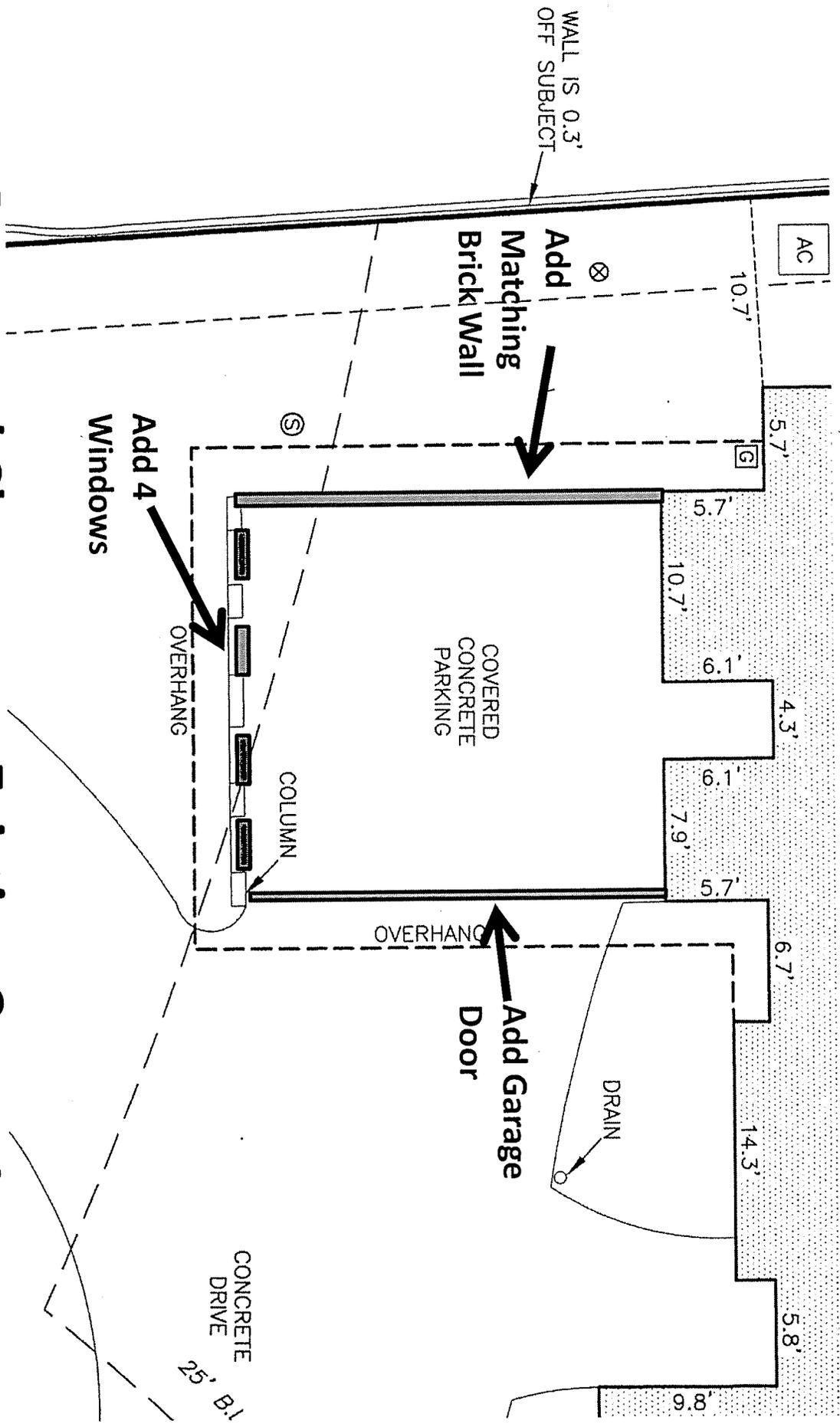
Our property borders 8406 Emerald Hill Drive, and we are the nearest neighbors to the existing carport at that address. We support plans to enclose the carport at 8406 Emerald Hill Drive to create a garage. Garages are the norm in this neighborhood, while carports are rare. We understand our neighbor's desire for the privacy, security and storage a garage provides.

Sincerely,



Joel and Victoria Pearson, 8408 Hayes Lane, 78759

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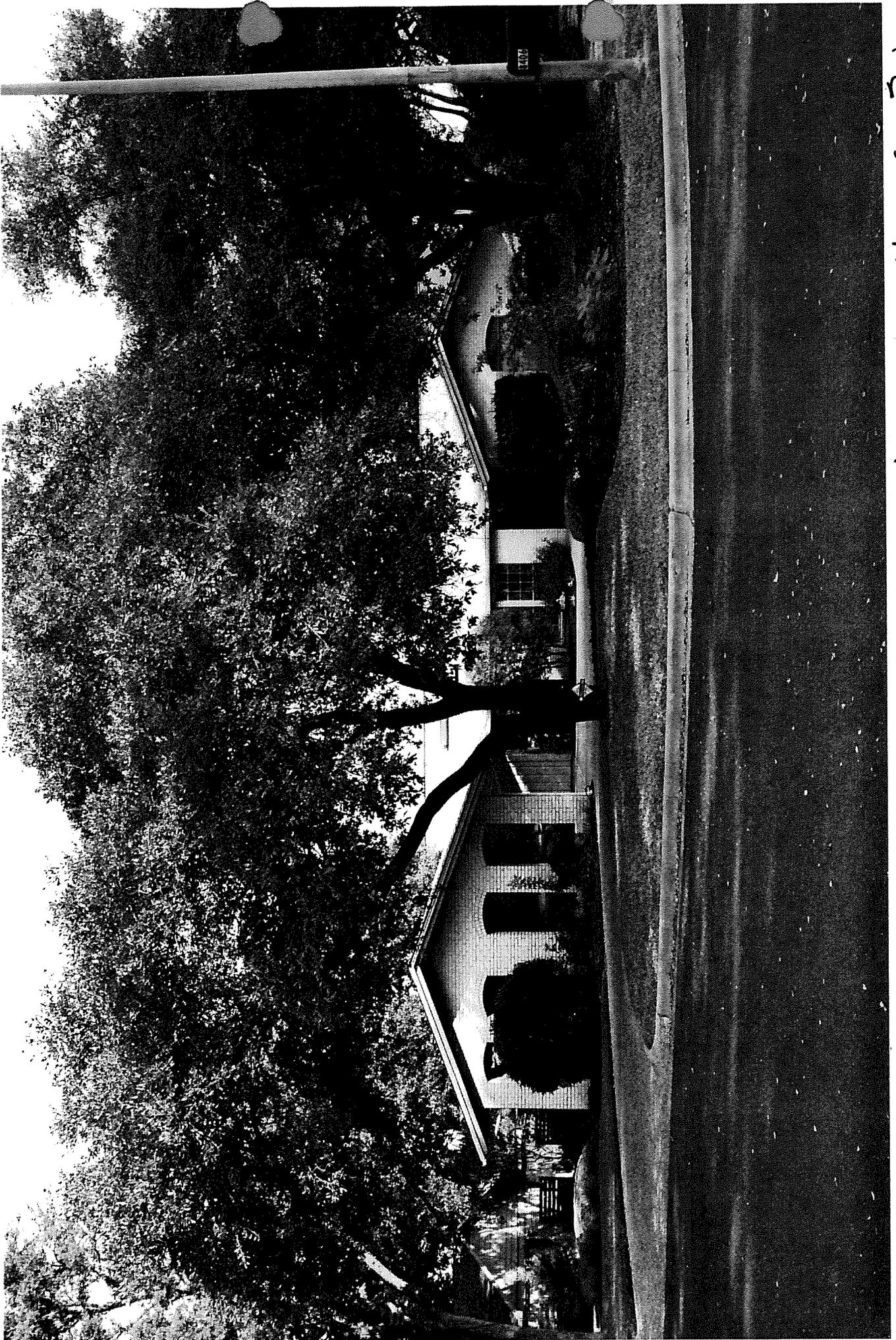


Proposed Changes to Existing Carport

8406 EMERALD HILL DRIVE

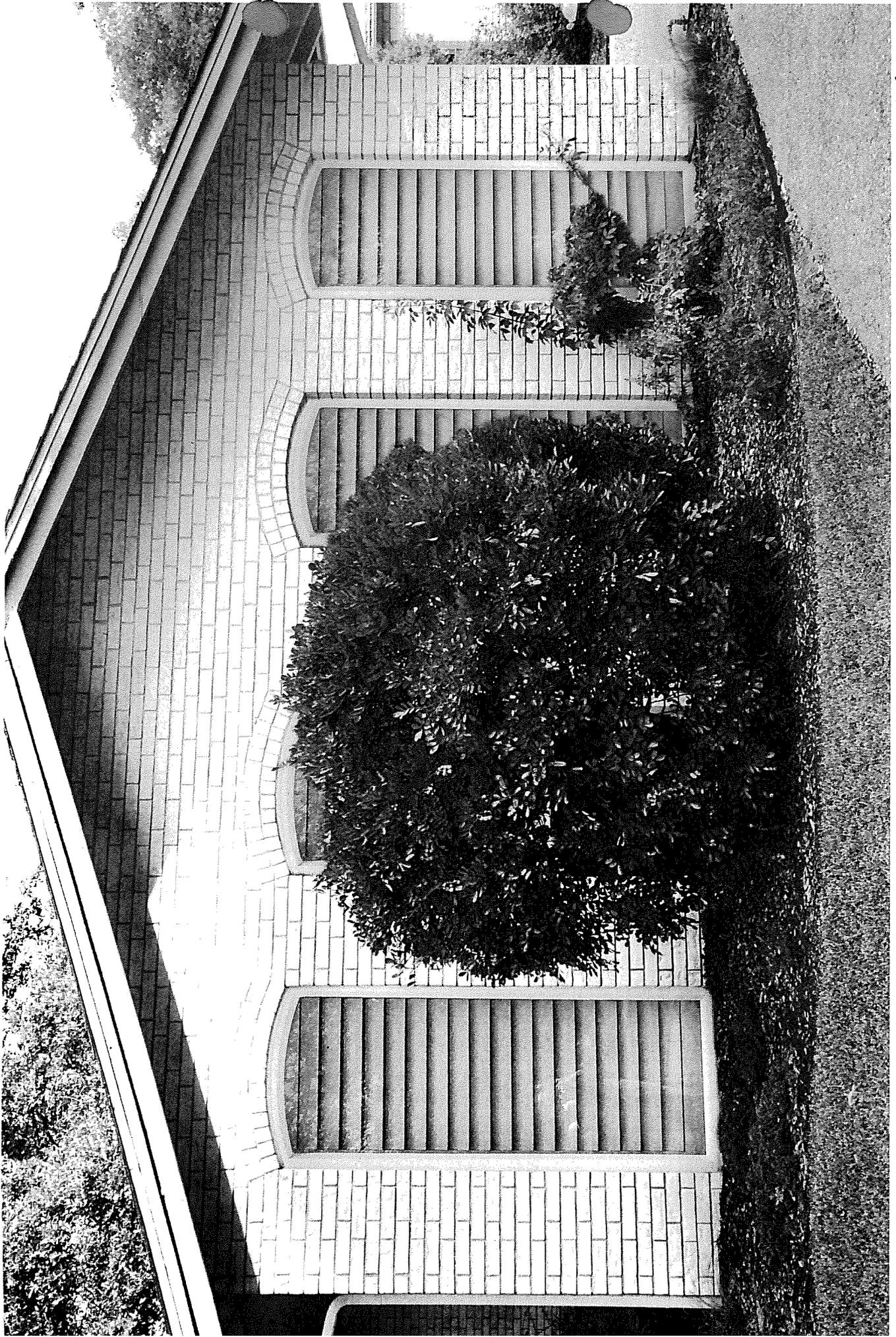


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8406 Emerald Hill Drive - FRONT VIEW (EXISTING) *SS*

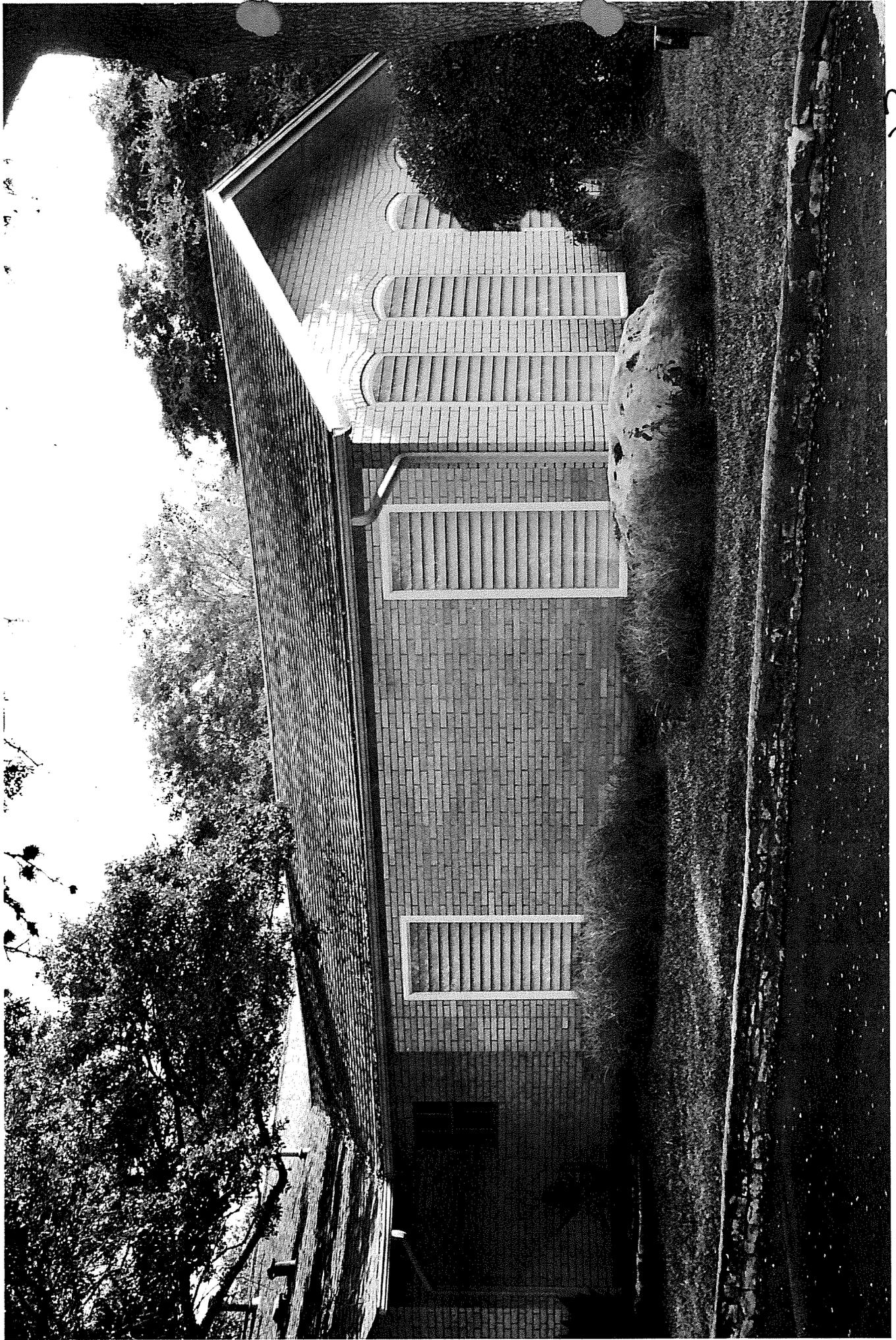
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PROPOSED ENCLOSURE OF CARPORT - FRONT VIEW

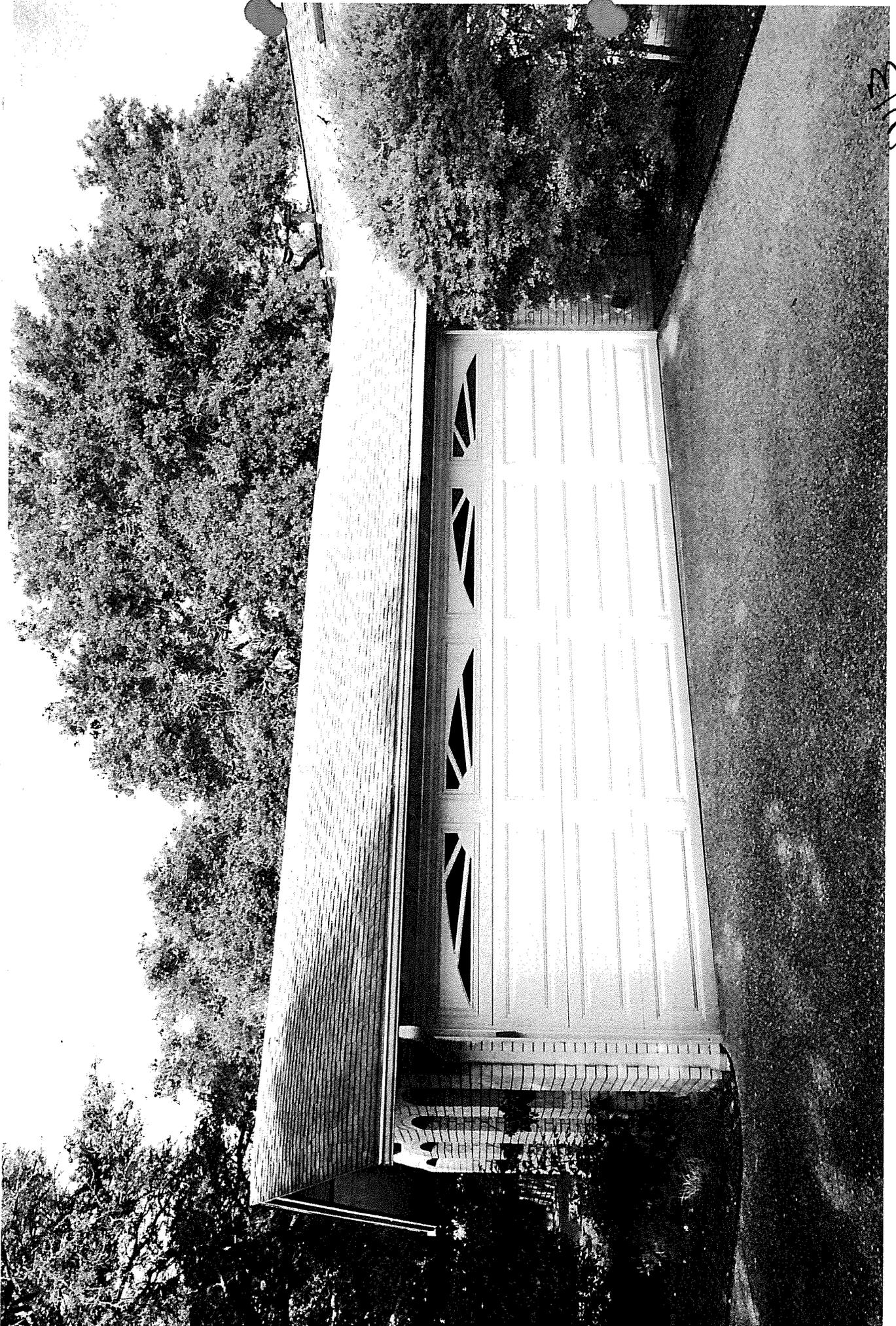
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PROPOSED ENCLOSURE OF CARPORT - REAR / FRONT ² DREW

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PROPOSED ENCLOSURE OF CAR PORT - SIDE VIEW

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From: Kellogg, Eben <Eben.Kellogg@austinenergy.com>
Sent: Friday, November 13, 2015 11:21 AM
To: Loayza, Katherine
Cc: Heldenfels, Leane; Ramirez, Diana
Subject: AE_BOA_20151113_8406_EMERALD_HILL_DRIVE
Attachments: AE_BOA_20151113_8406_EMERALD_HILL_DRIVE.pdf

Katherine P. Loayza for
Cyndy and Doug Fowler
8406 Emerald Hill Drive

Lot 4A, Block G,
Amended Plat of Lots 3 & 4,
Westover Hills, Section 4,
Doc. No. 201100063
O.P.R.T.C.TX

Dear Katherine,

November 13, 2015

Austin Energy (AE) has reviewed your application for the above referenced property, requesting a variance from the following site development regulation; (Section 25-2-492)

1. to decrease the minimum front yard setback from 25 feet (required) to 7 feet (requested) in order to convert a carport into the current building footprint, being located in the "SF-3-NP", zoning district.

Austin Energy does not oppose your application for the above variance, which is shown on the attached electronic stamped sketch, provided that any proposed and existing improvements are in compliance with Austin Energy clearance criteria requirements, the National Electric Safety Code and OSHA. Any removal or relocation of existing electric facilities will be at owners/applicants expense.

Thank you,

Eben Kellogg | Property Agent
Austin Energy
Public Involvement | Real Estate Services
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