



NOTIFICATIONS

CASE#: C15-2016-0091 LOCATION: 2005 Matthews Drive

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Board of Adjustment General/Parking Variance Application

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The application must be complete and accurate prior to submittal. If more space is required, please complete Section 6 as needed. All information is required (if applicable).

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Case # <u>(15-2016-001</u> ROW # <u>1156</u>	4237 Tax# D(1709080)
Section 1: Applicant Statement	
Street Address: 2005 Matthew Drive	
Subdivision Legal Description:	5)
Laurel Heights	
Lot(s): 1	Block(s): 6
Outlot: N/A	Division: N/A
Zoning District: SF-3-NP(West Austin Ne	ighborhood (Group)
I/We Miranda Wylie for Clean Tag Permits authorized agent for John and Patricia Newma	on behalf of myself/ourselves as
	n affirm that on 2016 , hereby apply for a hearing before the
Board of Adjustment for consideration to (select	
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Type of Structure: fence	

Portion of the City of Austin Land Development Code applicant is seeking a variance from:		
LDC 25-2-899 Fence as accessory use		
Section 2: Variance Findings		
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 supporting documents.		
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.		
contend that my entitlement to the requested variance is based on the following findings:		
Reasonable Use		
The zoning regulations applicable to the property do not allow for a reasonable use because:		
due to the size of the lot and orientation of the residence on the lot, the front yard was the only available place to construct a pool. In order to create safety/privacy for the pool/neighborhood a		
fence was constructed at a height of 6' from grade of the front yard. The front property line is on		
an incline and although the interior of the fence is no more than 6' in height the exterior of the		
fence ranges in hight from 6' to 10'10".		
Hardship		
a) The hardship for which the variance is requested is unique to the property in that:		
previously the exisiting slope of the lot requires a 4'10" retaining wall (2'10" of which is a previously erected		
conrete wall) to prevent the front yard from eroding into the city alley way used for		
neighborhood garage access. If the fence were to comply with code the interior of the fence		
would measure 1'2" in height from grade of the front yard creating a safety hazard for those in		
the yard and neighborhood.		
b) The hardship is not general to the area in which the property is located because:		
the lot is located on a active alleyway used by the neighborhood for garge access. A ultilty pole		
with transformer and climbing rung is located 44" from the fence at the corner of the		
lot/alleyway. It is a resonable concern that by lowering the fence to the height of 1'2" from grade		
of the front yard a tempatation would be created for children to climb the utility pole or walk up		
the slope and enter the pool area.		

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 design of the yard is intended to improve the slope of the yard and create a terraced, usable area for the residence. The adjacent property is the city alleyway. The alley has shown improved usability, particularly during/after heavy rains, due to less erosion caused by
reinforcing the conrete retaining wall, leveling the yard, and constructing the fence.
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 in the City of Austin Land Development Code Chapter 25-6, Appendix A 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:
 Neither present nor anticipated future traffic volumes generated by the use of the site or the uses of sites in the vicinity reasonably require strict or literal interpretation and enforcement of the specific regulation because:
N/A
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: N/A
3. The granting of this variance will not create a safety hazard or any other condition inconsisten with the objectives of this Ordinance because: N/A
The variance will run with the use or uses to which it pertains and shall not run with the site because: N/A
N/A

Area Character

Section 3: Applicant Certificate I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application are true and correct to the be my knowledge and belief. Applicant Signature: Applicant Name (typed or printed): Miranda Wylie for Clean Tag LLC Applicant Mailing Address: 4804 Manchaca Rd City: Austin State: TX Phone (will be public information): (512) 826-4209 Email (optional – will be public information): <u>cleantagpermits@gmail.com</u> Section 4: Owner Certificate I affirm that my statements contained in the complete application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Owner Signature: Yabrullai Newmen Date: 6/29/16 Owner Name (typed or printed): Patricia Newman Owner Mailing Address: 2005 Matthews Drive State: 7X City: Phone (will be public information): 50/ Email (optional - will be public information): Section 5: Agent Information Agent Name: Miranda Wylie for Clean Tag LLC Agent Mailing Address: 4804 Manchaca Rd

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City: Austin

Section 6: Additional Space (if applicable)

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State: TX

























