Board of Zoning Appeals

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Requirements for granting a variance

- Unnecessary Hardship
- Hardship Due to Unique Property Limitations
- No Harm to Public Interests

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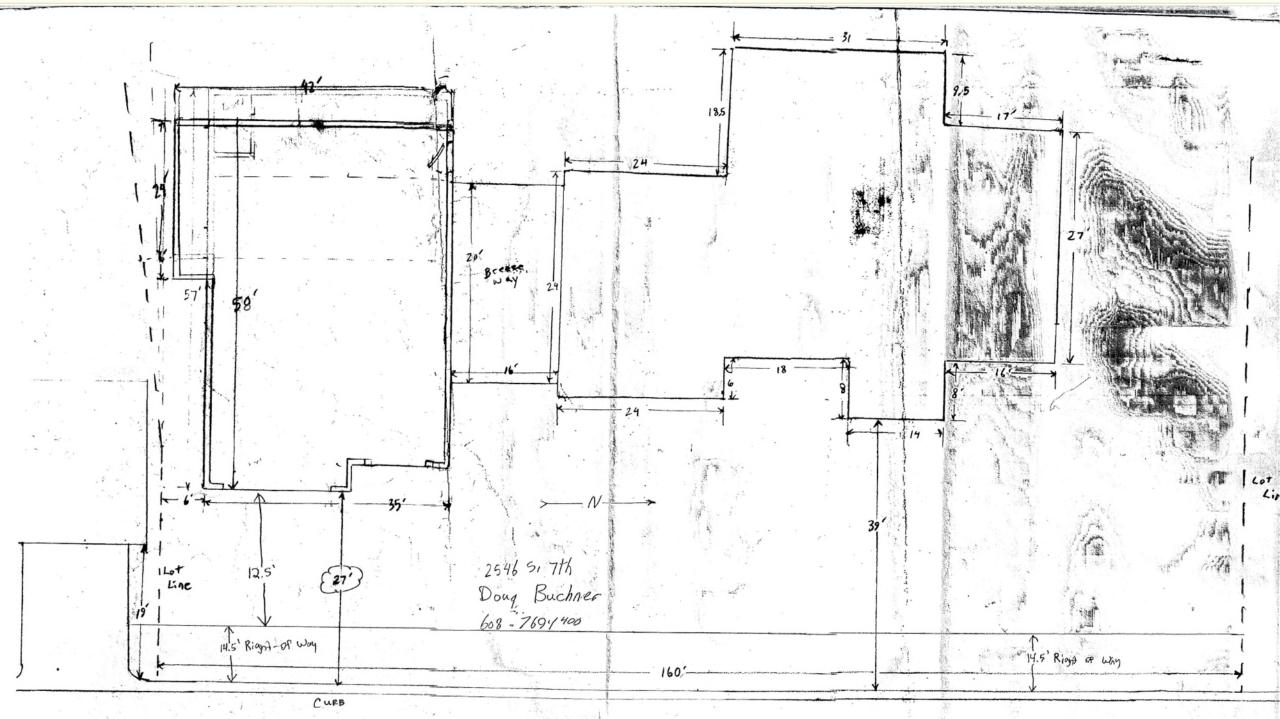
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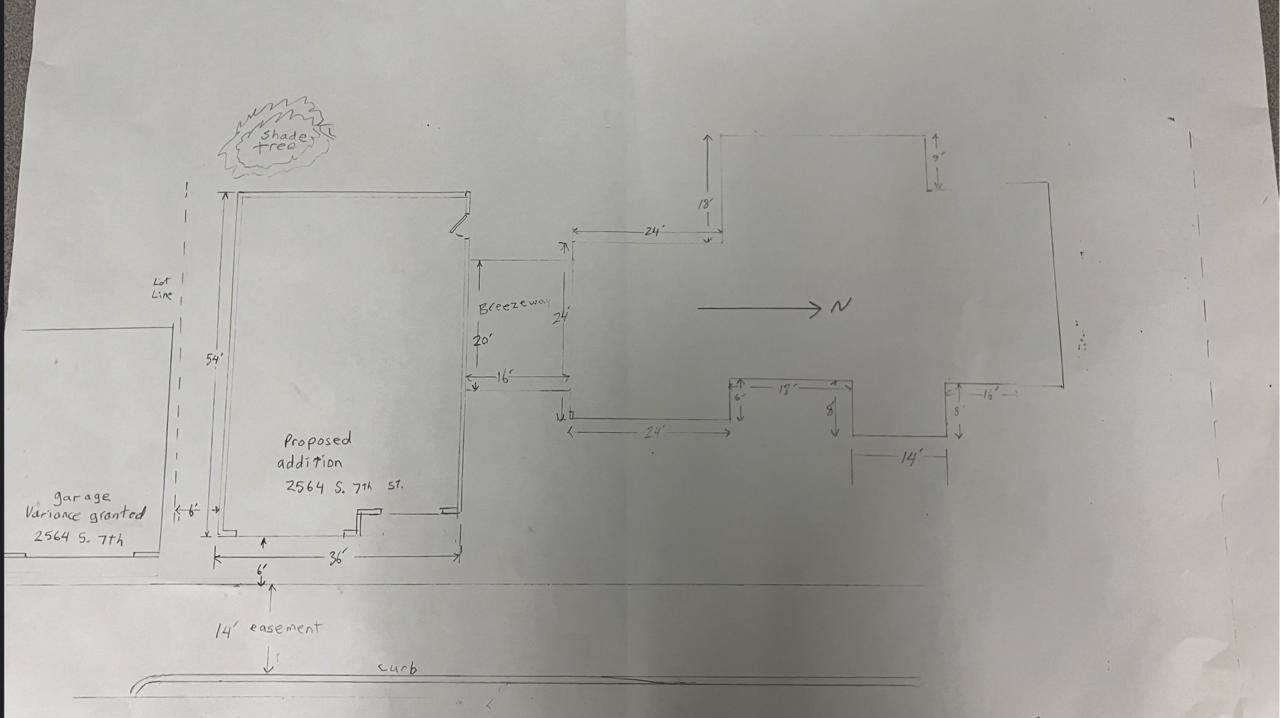
- The applicant has applied for a permit to put an addition onto a Single-Family Dwelling that does not meet the required front yard setback.
- ➤ Municipal Code Sec. 115-143(2) Front Yards. On every lot in the Residence District, there shall be a front yard having a depth of not less than 25 feet, provided that where lots comprising 40 percent or more of the frontage on one side of a block are developed with buildings, the required front yard depth shall be the average of the front yard depths of the two adjacent main buildings.
- > The two adjacent main buildings are setback over 25 feet.
- >A variance of 12.5 feet would need to granted for this project to proceed as proposed.

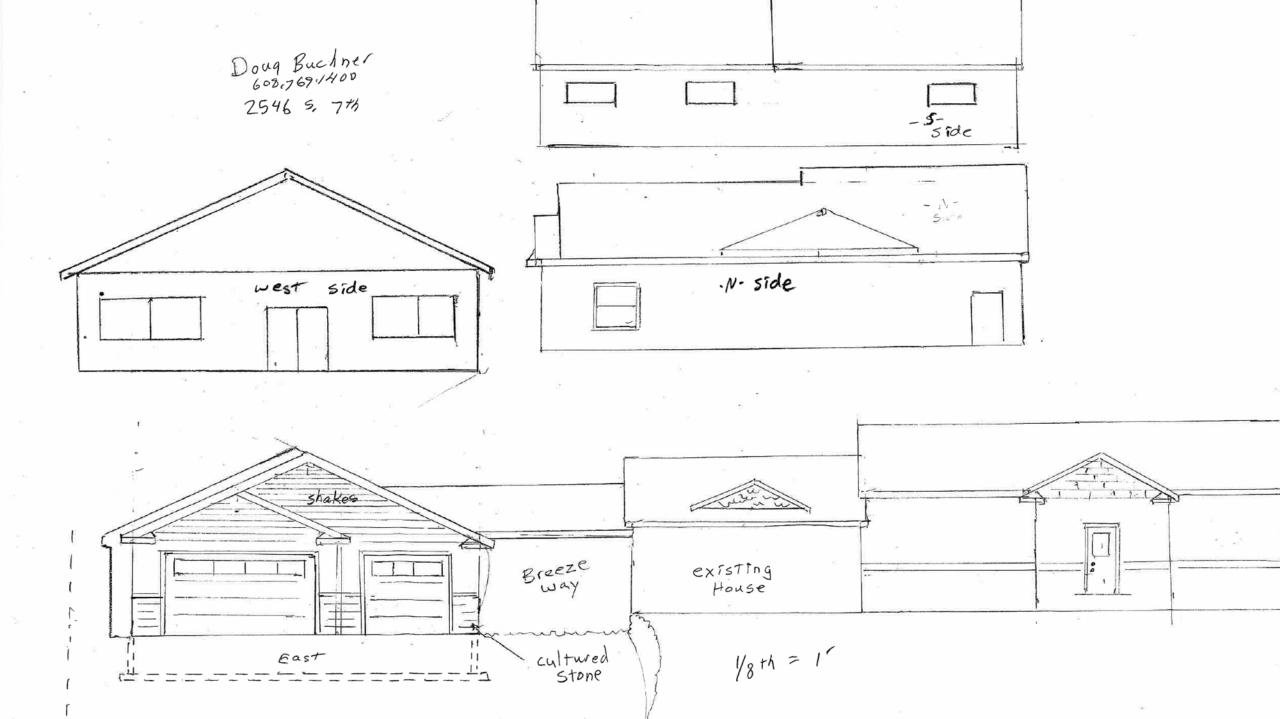


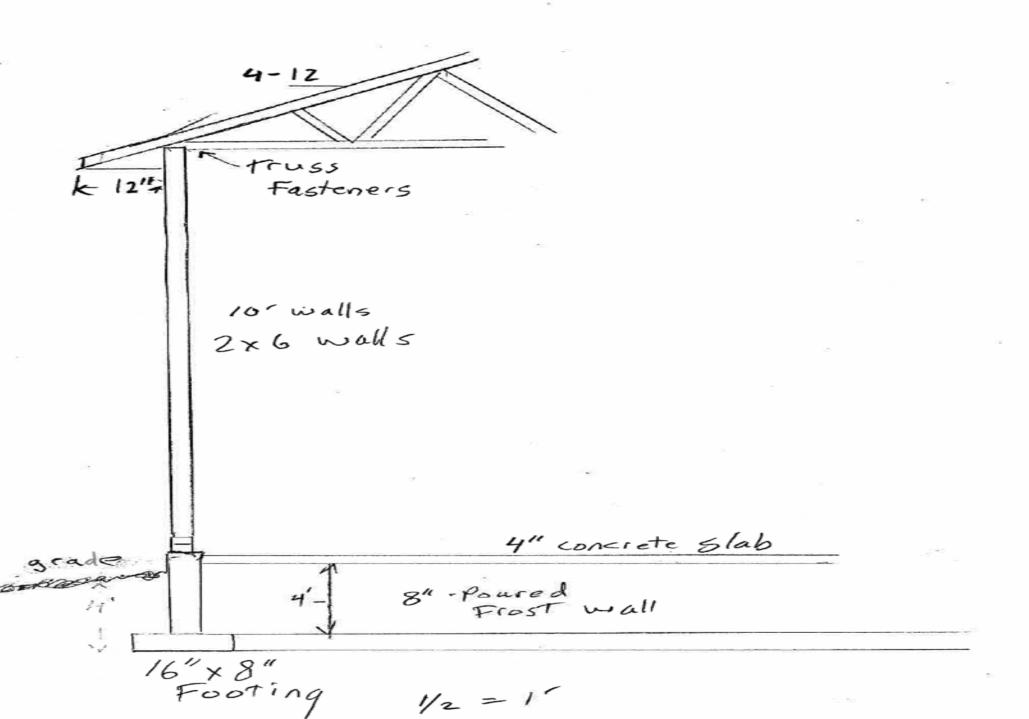












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- Unnecessary Hardship. There is no unnecessary hardship as the property can continue to be used as a dwelling without the proposed addition.
- Hardship Due to Unique Property Limitations. There are no unique property limitations. This lot is larger than most lots in the City.
- No Harm to Public Interests. There is no harm to the public interest.

This variance should not be granted.

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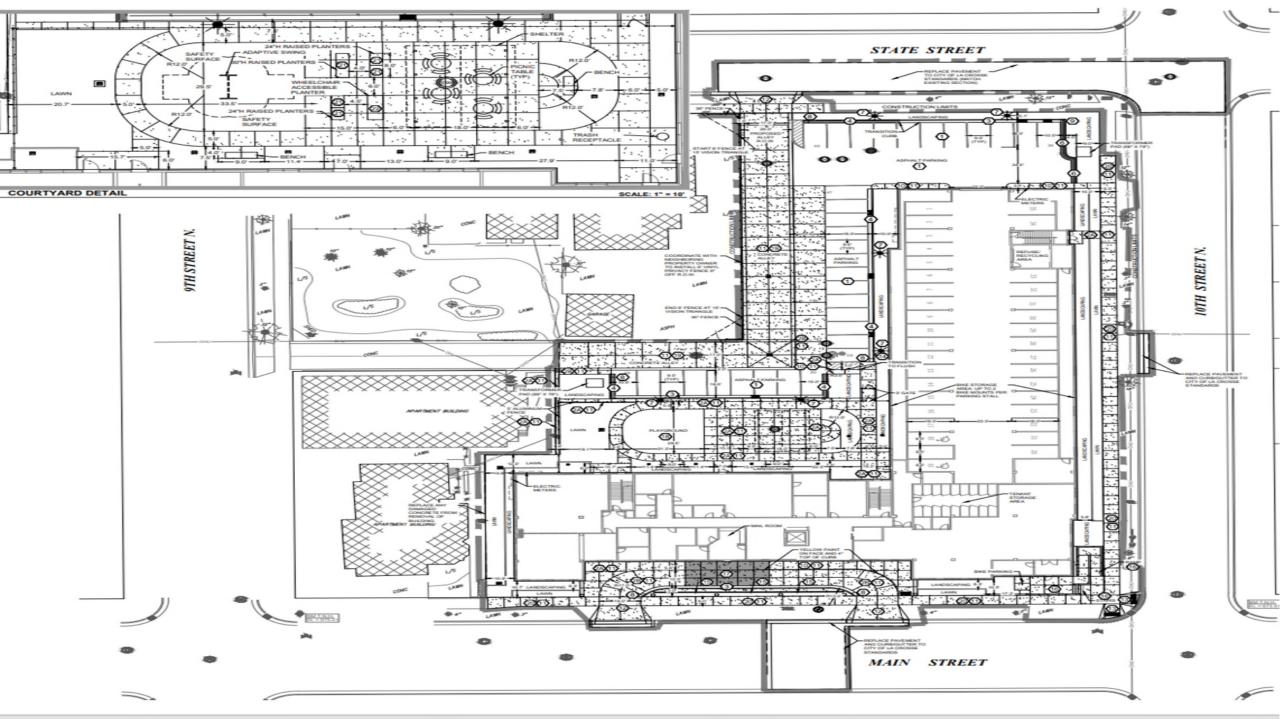
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- ➤ The applicant has applied for a building permit to construct a 70-Unit multi-family apartment unit with commercial space on the main floor that does not meet the development density requirements for Traditional Neighborhood Development zoning districts.
- Municipal Code Sec. 115-403(2) *Development Density.* The number of residential dwelling units and the amount of nonresidential development (excluding open spaces) shall be determined as follows:
- b. The number of multi-family units shall be 15—40 dwelling units per net acre.
- d. All dwelling units constructed above commercial uses shall be permissible in addition to the number of dwelling units authorized under this section. However, the total number of dwelling units shall not be increased by more than ten dwelling units or ten percent, whichever is greater.

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➤ A variance allowing 10 additional apartment units on this 1.25-acre development would need to be granted for this project to proceed as proposed.











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- Unnecessary Hardship. The Council approved the general plan for this property prior to the code changing. The old code would have allowed this project.
- Hardship Due to Unique Property Limitations. There are no unique property limitation as several lots were combined.
- No Harm to Public Interests. There is no harm to the public interest.

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- This presentation shall be added to the minutes of this meeting.