# Board of Adjustment Agenda

June 16, 2016 – 5:00 pm

Council Auditorium

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#### **BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT MEMBERS**

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### I. Chairman's Message

## II. Approval of Minutes from the May 19, 2016 meeting

	June 16, 2016				
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1. BD-2016-024 PRESENTED BY: Jim Hunter Jr.

**REPRESENTING:** Same

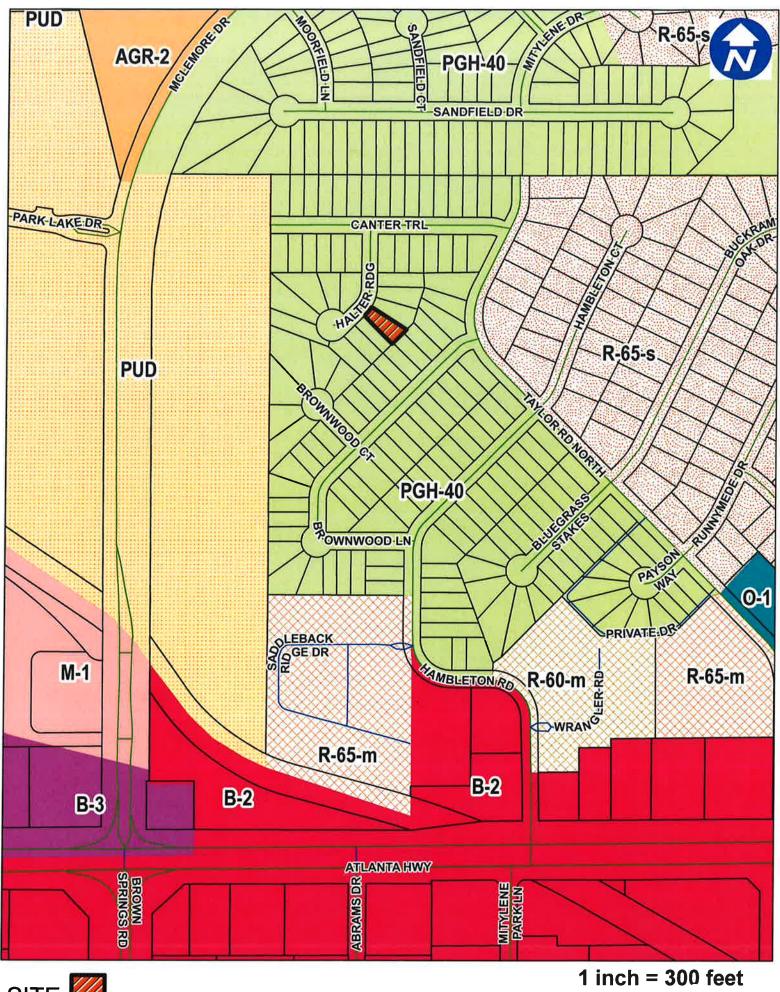
**SUBJECT**: Request a side yard variance for a new carport to be located at 312 Halter Ridge in a PGH-40 (Patio Garden Home) Zoning District.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to construct a 10 ft. x 21 ft. attached carport to come to the side property line, whereas 10 ft. is required. Only a small portion of the front of the carport will come to the property line. Gutters and downspouts will be installed.

On May 19, 2016 the Board of Adjustment approved a 5 ft. 5 in. side yard variance based on the petitioner's presentation; however he has since realized there was confusion on his part of his testimony that that the carport would come 4 ft. 7 in. off the side property line. The front edge only will come to the property line and will angle away from the property line as shown on the aerial; therefore he needs a 10 ft. side yard variance.

The request is a 10 ft. side yard variance

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 1	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



Item <u>A</u>



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2. BD-1994-108 PRESENTED BY: L. Daniel Morris Jr.

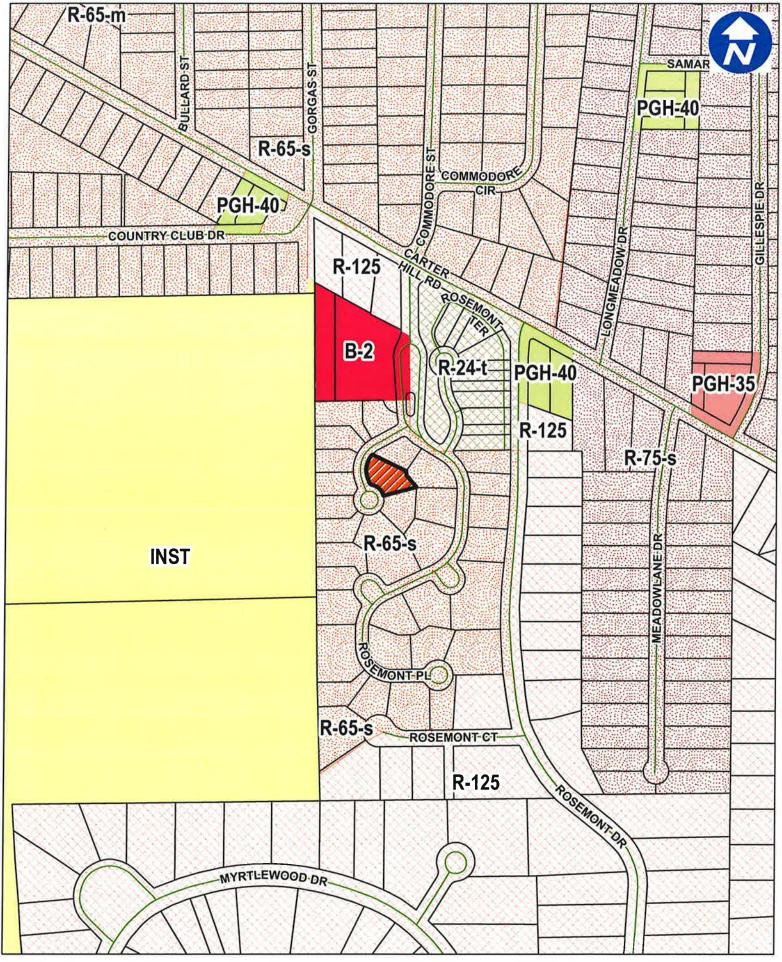
**REPRESENTING:** Same

**SUBJECT**: Request a front yard variance for a dwelling located at 2321 Rosemont Circle in an R-65-s (Single-Family Residential) Zoning District.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to maintain an existing dwelling located within 15 ft. of the front property line, whereas 30 ft. is required. The Board of Adjustment approved a 10 ft. front yard variance in 1994 for the dwelling to come within 20 ft. of the front property line, however after a survey was conducted on April 25, 2016, it was found that the dwelling comes within 15 ft. of the front property line.

The request is a 15 ft. front yard variance.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 7	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



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Site Location

1 inch = 30 feet

Item No. 2B

3. BD-2016-029 **PRESENTED BY:** Major Key

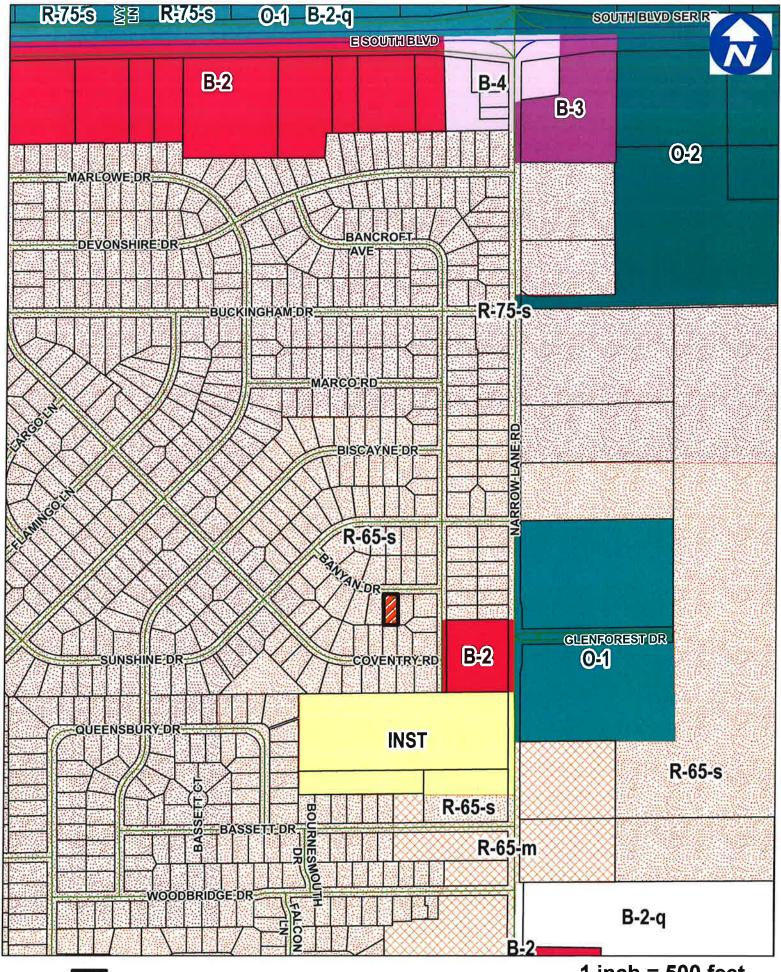
**REPRESENTING:** Same

**SUBJECT**: Request a special exception to keep chickens on the property located at 4734 Banyan Drive in an R-65-s (Single-Family Residential) Zoning District.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to keep 4 chickens in the back yard. If approved, the petitioner will maintain the existing coop in accordance with the Guidelines for Chickens.

The request is a special exception to keep 4 chickens.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 5	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



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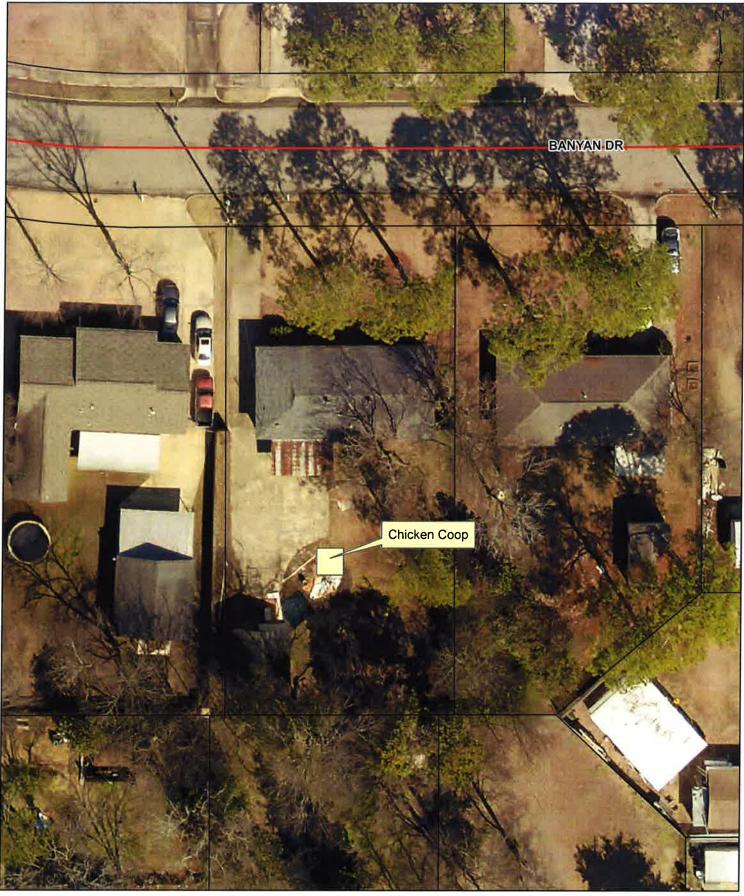
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Site Location

1 inch = 30 feet

Item No. 3D

4. BD-2016-028 PRESENTED BY: Katherine Crook

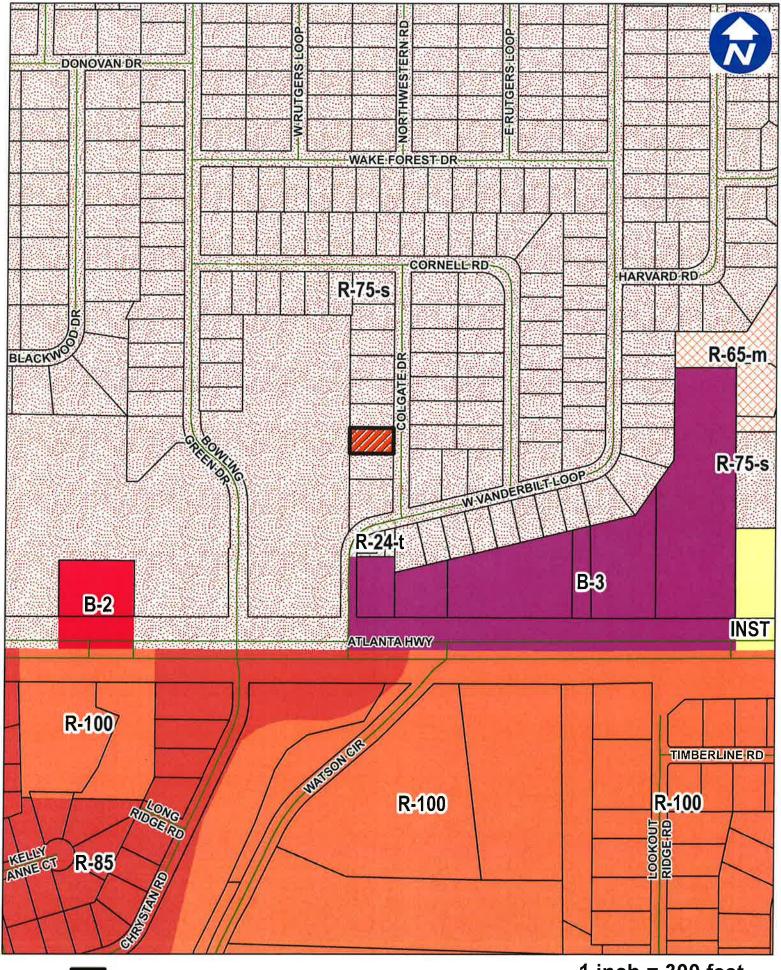
**REPRESENTING:** Same

**SUBJECT**: Request a side yard variance and a rear yard variance for an addition to a dwelling located at 209 Colgate Drive in an R-75-s (Single-Family Residential) Zoning District.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to construct an addition that will come to within 5 ft. of the side property line, whereas 10 ft. is required, and within 10 ft. of the rear property line, whereas 30 ft. is required.

The requests are a 5 ft. side yard variance, a 20 ft. rear yard variance.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 1	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



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Site Location

1 inch = 30 feet

Item No. 46

5. BD-2016- 027 PRESENTED BY: Marcus Bryant

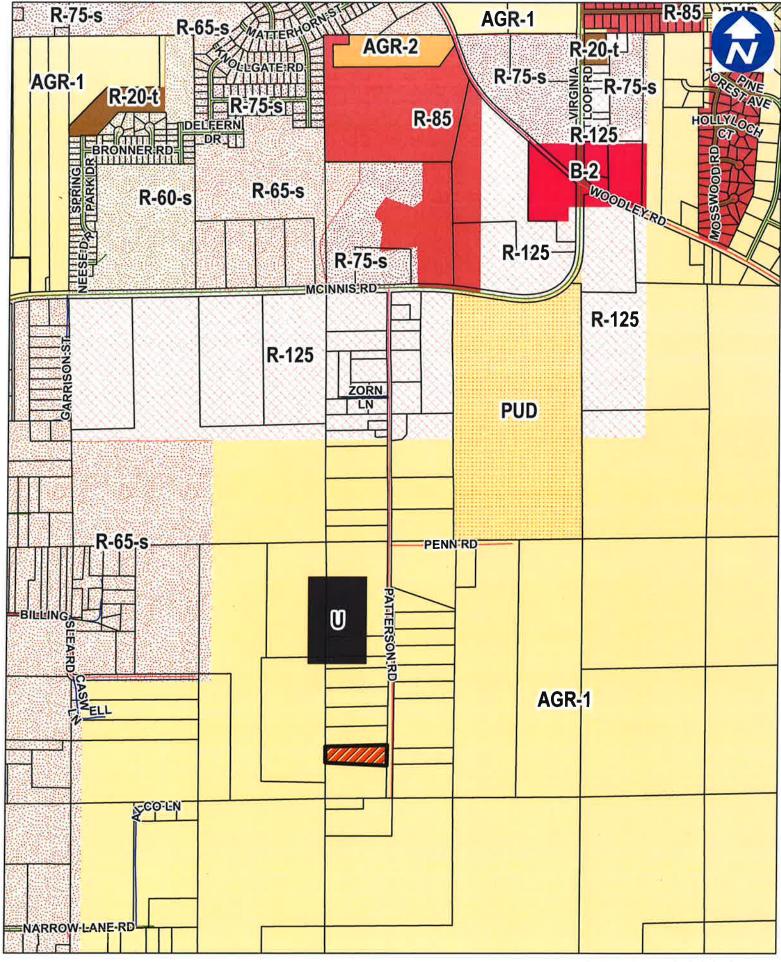
**REPRESENTING:** Same

**SUBJECT**: Request a special exception for a mobile home for living purposes to be located at 5354 Patterson Road in an AGR-1 (Residential Agriculture) Zoning District.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to place a mobile home on a 2.7 acre lot. The mobile home will be placed at least 50 ft. off of front property line and will be used for living purposes by the petitioner.

The request is a special exception for a mobile home.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: Police Jurisdiction	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



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Site Location

1 inch = 100 feet

Item No. 5B

6. BD-1999-206 PRESENTED BY: Studio Scarab

REPRESENTING: J.M. Wood

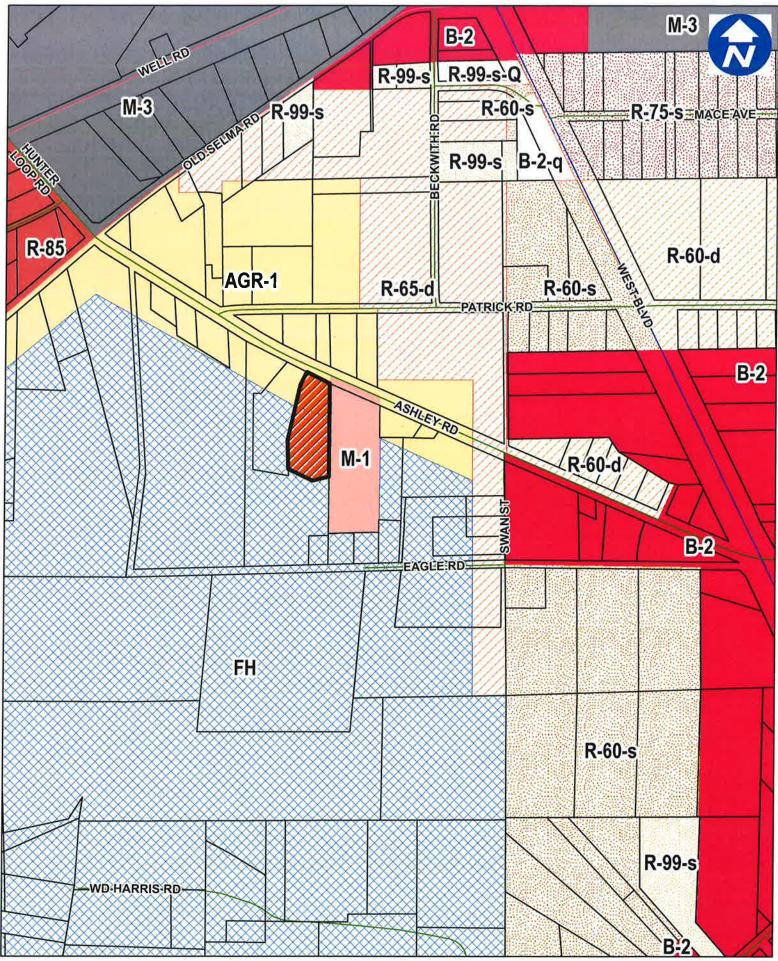
**SUBJECT**: Request a variance for an addition to a legal non-conforming building and a new building located at 3475 Ashley Road in AGR-1 (Residential Agriculture) and FH (Flood Hazard) Zoning Districts.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to construct a 2,751 sq. ft. addition to the front of the building, along with a 140 sq. ft. guard house. There is a new parking area that has 24 parking spaces with a round grass display area in the center and will have one (1) new access drive to Ashley Road. All applicable requirements will be met.

This business has been in operation for 40+ years. On October 7, 1999, the Board of Adjustment approved an additional building and an addition to a legal non-conforming building and business.

The request is a variance for an addition to a legal non-conforming building and a new building.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 4	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



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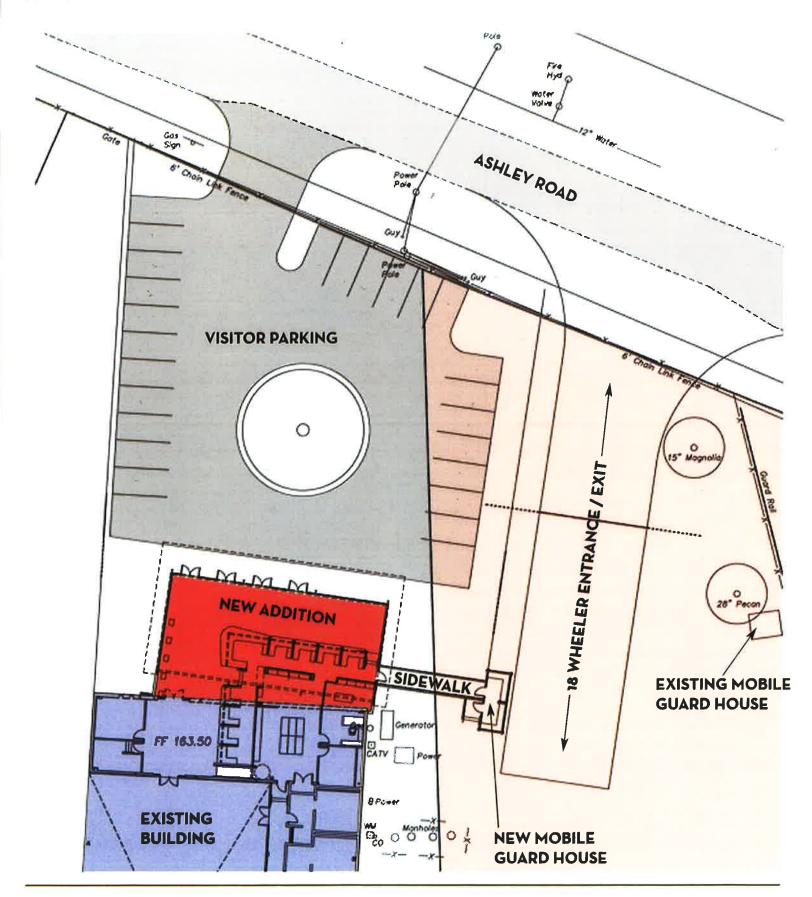


# **ZONING DESIGNATIONS**



**NEW ADDITION & PARKING LOT** 

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**ENLARGED ADDITION PLAN** 

6C



7. BD-2016-032 PRESENTED BY: Aluminum Fab

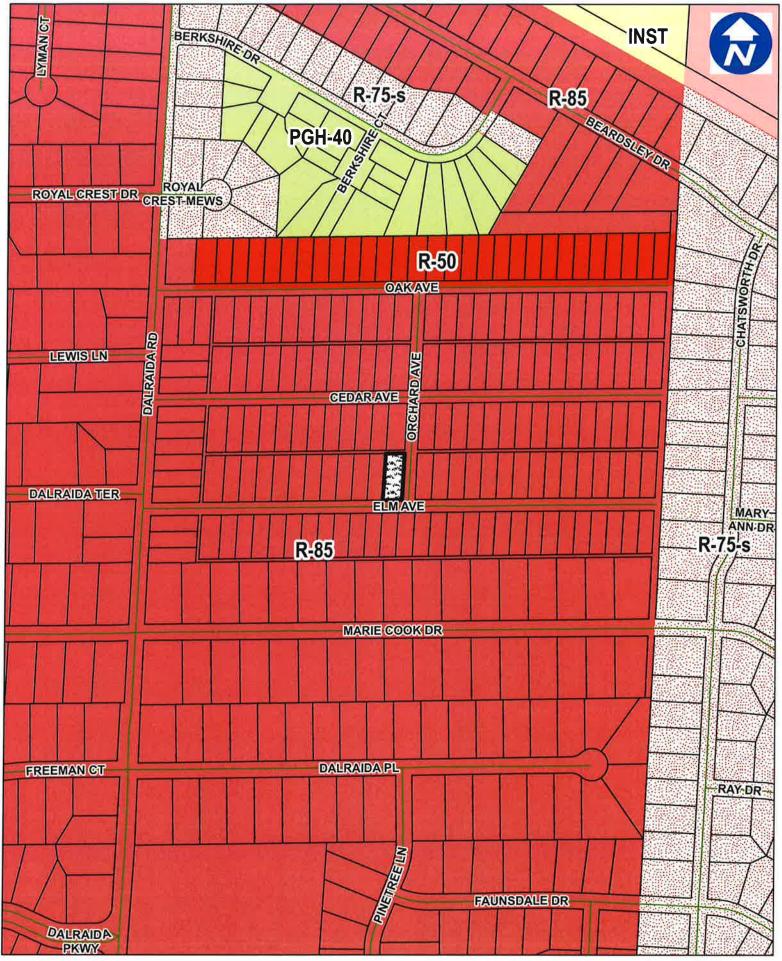
**REPRESENTING:** John Beasley

**SUBJECT**: Request a rear yard variance and a separation between structures variance for a new carport to be located at 701 Orchard Avenue in an R-85 (Single-Family Residential) Zoning District.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to construct a 28 ft. x 24 ft. carport that will come within 7 ft. of the rear property line, whereas 30 ft. is required, and within 2 ft. of an existing accessory structure, whereas a 10 ft. separation between structures is required.

The requests are a 23 ft. rear yard variance, and an 8 ft. separation between structures variance.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 2	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



1 inch = 300 feet Item \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_



Site Location

1 inch = 30 feet

Item No. 7B

8. BD-2012-039 PRESENTED BY: Jeffcoat Engineering

**REPRESENTING**: New Home Missionary Baptist Church

**SUBJECT**: Request approval of a revised master plan and a front yard variance for a church to be located at 2101 Early Street in an R-60-d (Duplex Residential) Zoning District.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to construct a new church building that will come within 14 ft. of the front property line (Early Street), whereas 35 ft. is required. The building comes within 33 ft. of the side yard; however a 20 ft. side yard variance was approved in 2012 to come within 15 ft. of the side property line. There is one (1) access drive to Early Street and one (1) access drive to Westcott Street. There are 30 paved parking spaces indicated on the site plan, which exceeds the required parking for the 152 seat sanctuary (1 space per 5 seats). All other applicable requirements will be met.

The special exception for church use and master plan was approved at the August 21, 2014 meeting. Since that time they have revised the site plan.

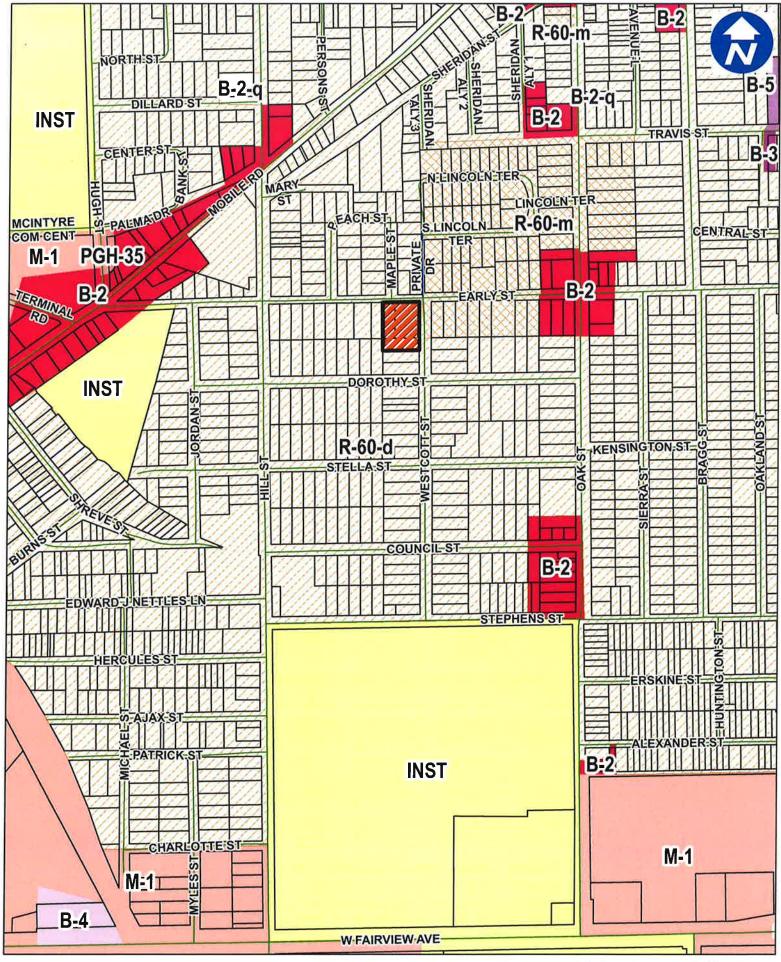
#### **History**

<u>June 21, 2012</u> – approved a special exception for church use, master plan approval, a 20 ft. side yard variance, a 23 ft. front yard variance and 3 ft. height variance (ID sign), and an 8 space parking variance.

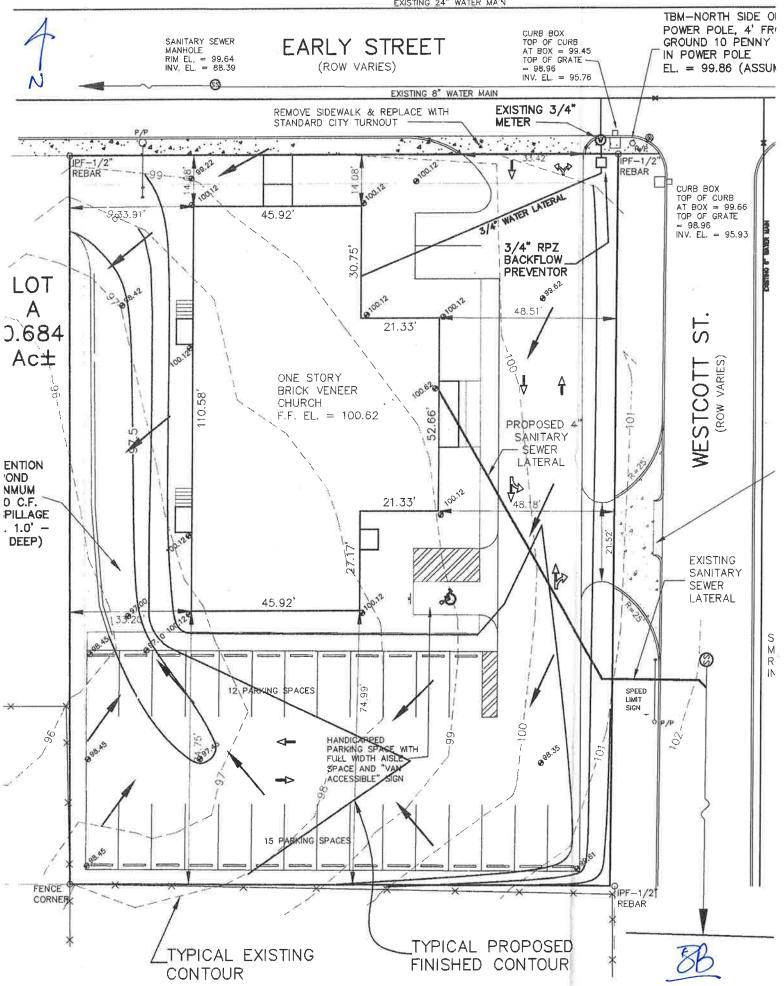
<u>August 21, 2014</u> – approved a revised master plan, 15 ft. rear and street side yard variances, and a 22 space parking variance.

The requests are approval of a revised master plan and a 21 ft. front yard variance.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 4		
COMMENTS		
ACTION TAKEN:		



1 inch = 400 feet Item





1 inch = 100 feet Item \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

9. BD-1966-059 PRESENTED BY: Midstate Advertising & Signs

REPRESENTING: St. John's A.M.E. Church

**SUBJECT**: Request an exception to SmartCode Signage Standards for new signage to be located at 807 Madison Avenue in a T4-O (General Urban Zone) Zoning District.

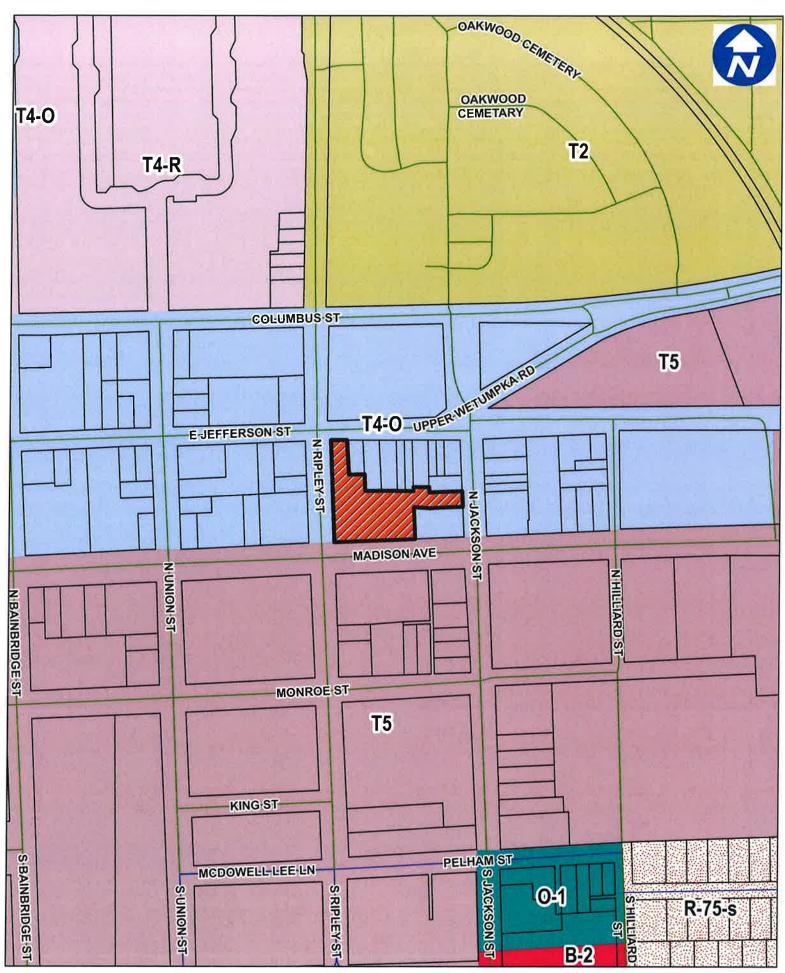
**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to install a new freestanding internally lit ID sign and will contain an LED message center. The proposed sign will be 10 ft. in height and 12 ft. wide at the base. The sign will be at least 2 ft. off the Madison Avenue property line, behind the existing brick wall.

On September 18, 2014, the Board of Adjustment approved a 14 ft. high x 6 ft. wide freestanding internally lit ID sign with an LED message center. Any changes to the approved sign would be required to be resubmitted and a public hearing held by the Board of Adjustment.

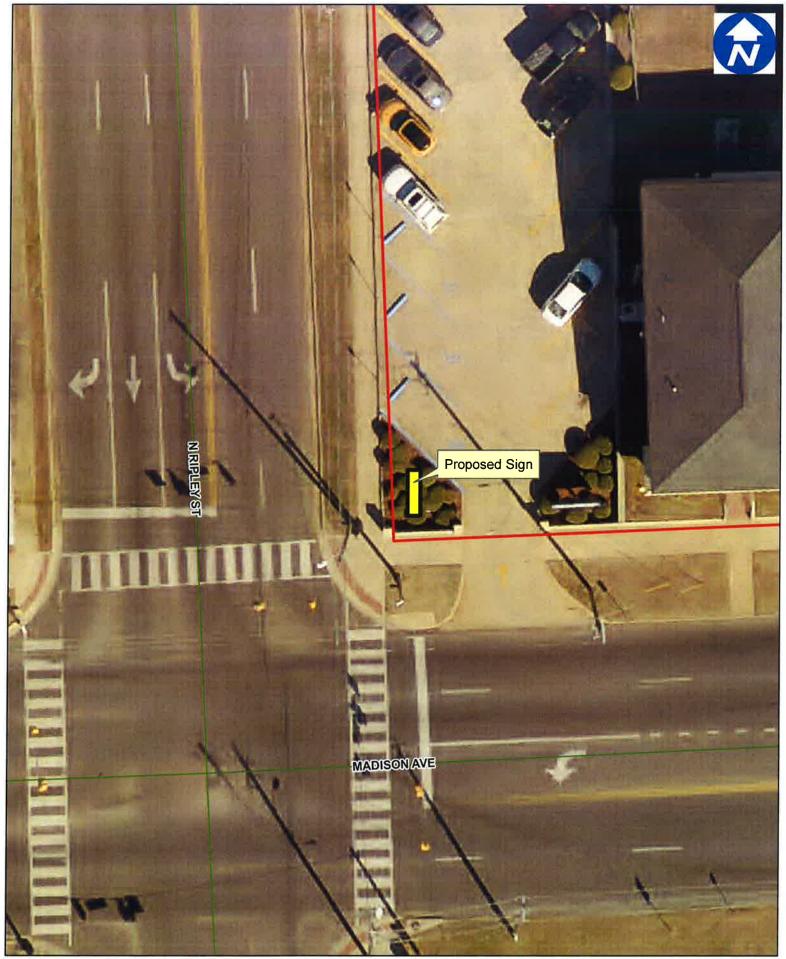
<u>Traffic Engineering</u>: The proposed signage will not obstruct the view from either direction at this corner.

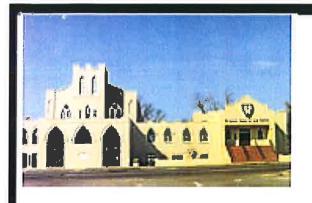
The request is an exception to allow a freestanding internally lit 10 ft. x 12 ft. sign with an LED message center.

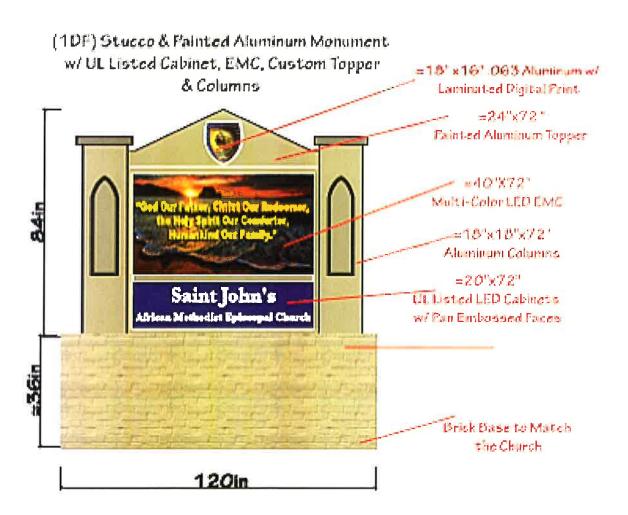
COUNCIL DISTRICT: 3		
COMMENTS		
ACTION TAKEN:		



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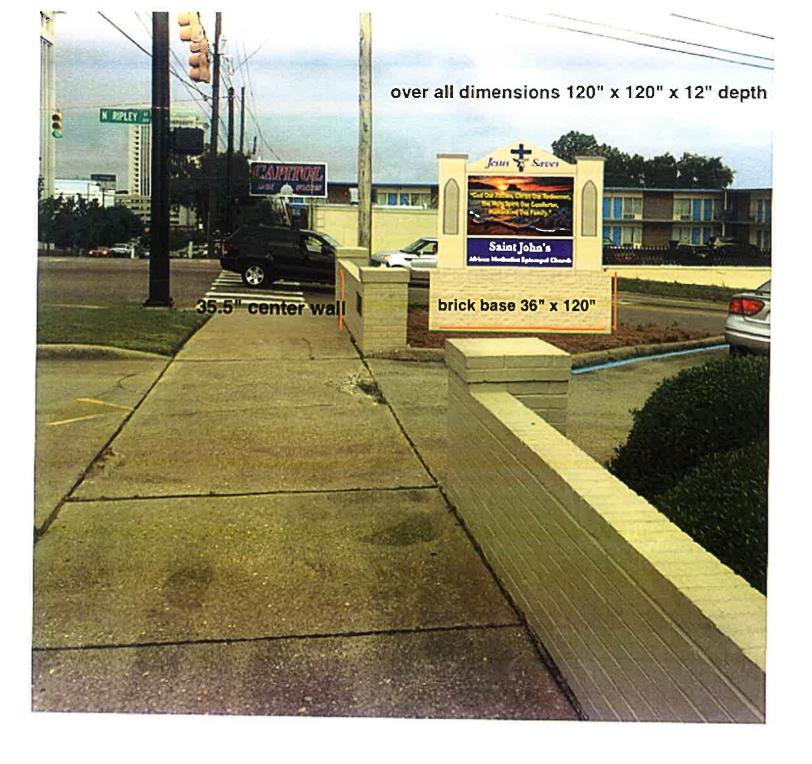






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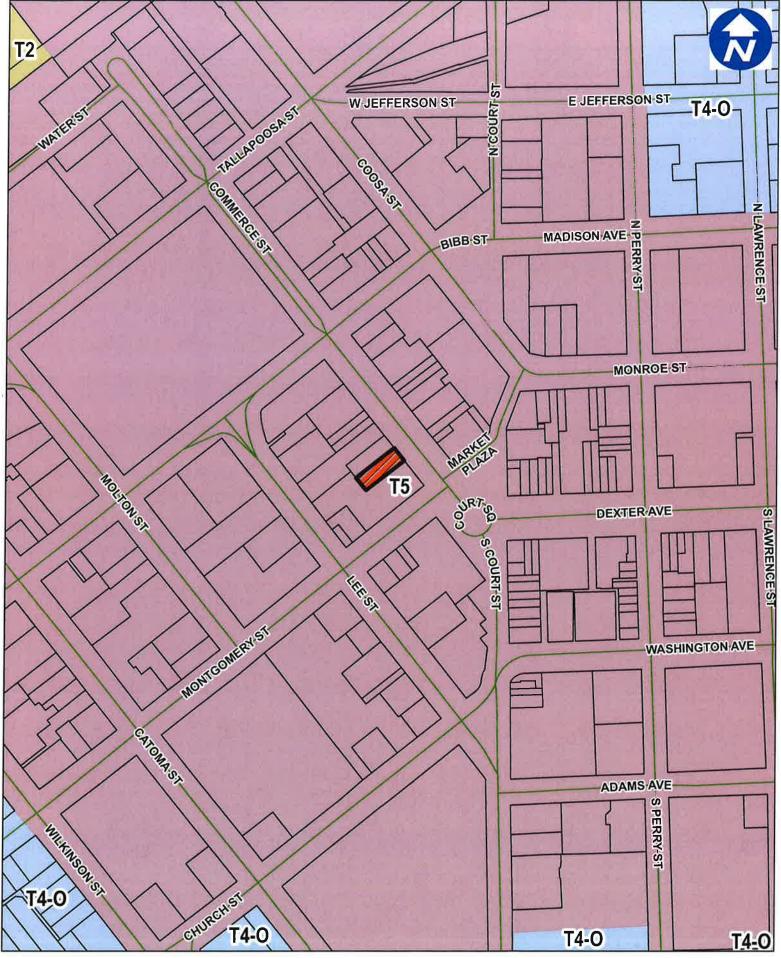
**REPRESENTING:** NYC Gyro

**SUBJECT**: Request an exception to SmartCode Signage Standards for a sign located at 15 Commerce Street in a T5 (Urban Center Zone) Zoning District.

**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to have an internally lit sign band, whereas SmartCode allows externally lit signage. The sign band is already on the façade and was permitted in April 2016. The sign has the ability to be internally lit, but at this time is not currently connected to power.

The request is an exception to allow an internally lit sign band.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 3	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



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11. BD-2010-023 PRESENTED BY: Rose City Outdoor

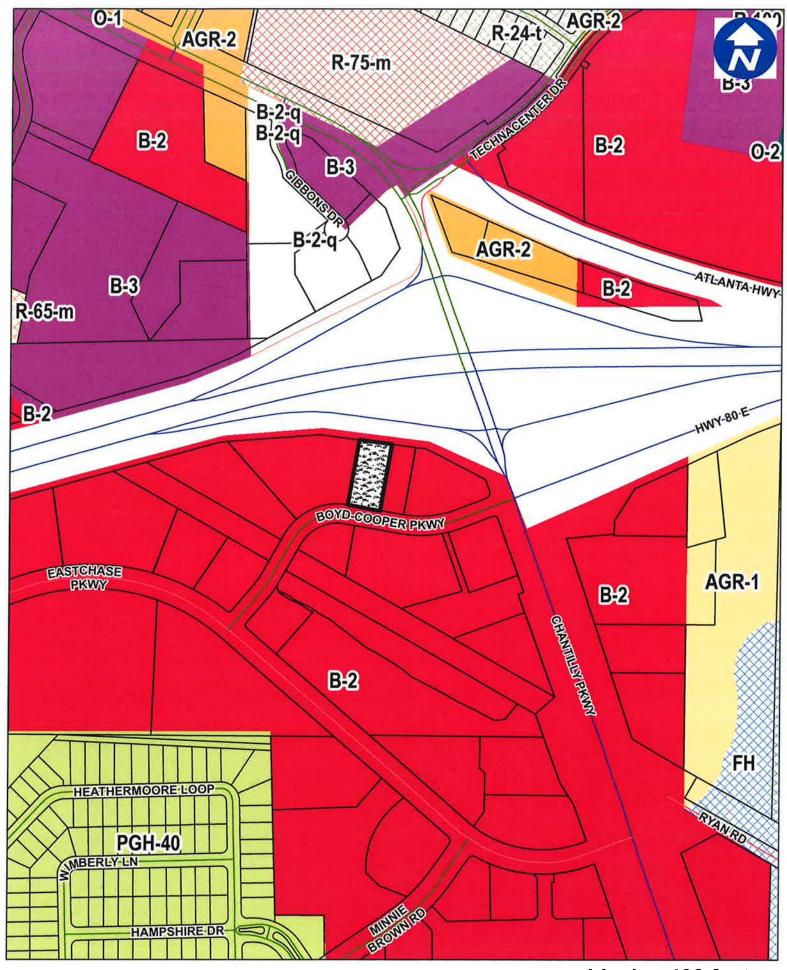
**REPRESENTING:** Same

**SUBJECT**: Request a height variance for a new billboard to be located at 9201 Boyd-Cooper Parkway in a B-2 (Commercial) Zoning District.

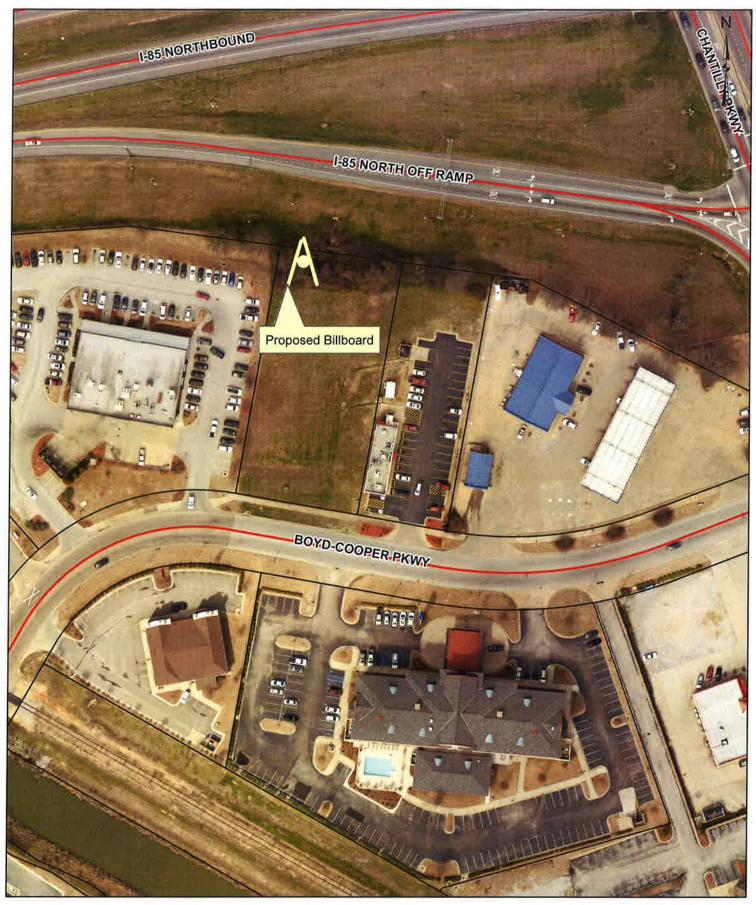
**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to construct an 80 ft. high billboard, whereas 50 ft. is allowed. The billboard will be 48 ft. above grade, whereas 30 ft. is allowed per Billboard Guidelines.

The requests are a 30 ft. height variance and an 18 ft. above grade variance.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 9	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



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Site Location

1 inch = 100 feet

12. BD-2016-031 **PRESENTED BY:** Community Action Partnership of North Alabama, Inc.

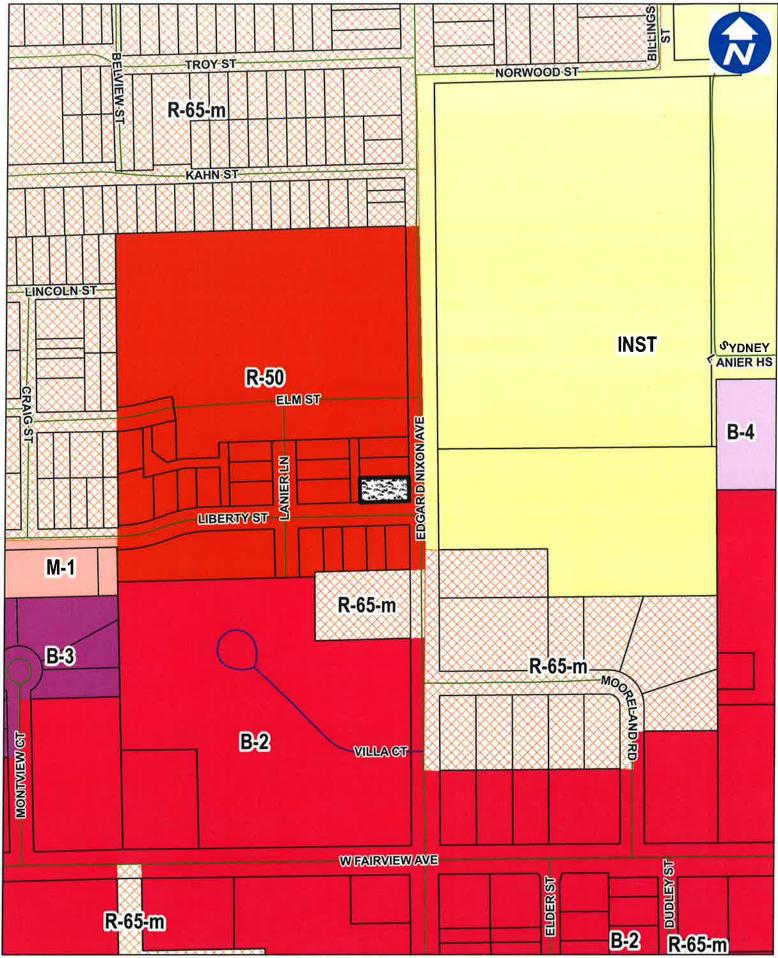
**REPRESENTING:** Same

**SUBJECT**: Request a front yard variance, a street side yard variance, and a height variance for a new ID sign to be located at 1782 Edgar D. Nixon Avenue in an R-50 (Single-Family Residential) Zoning District.

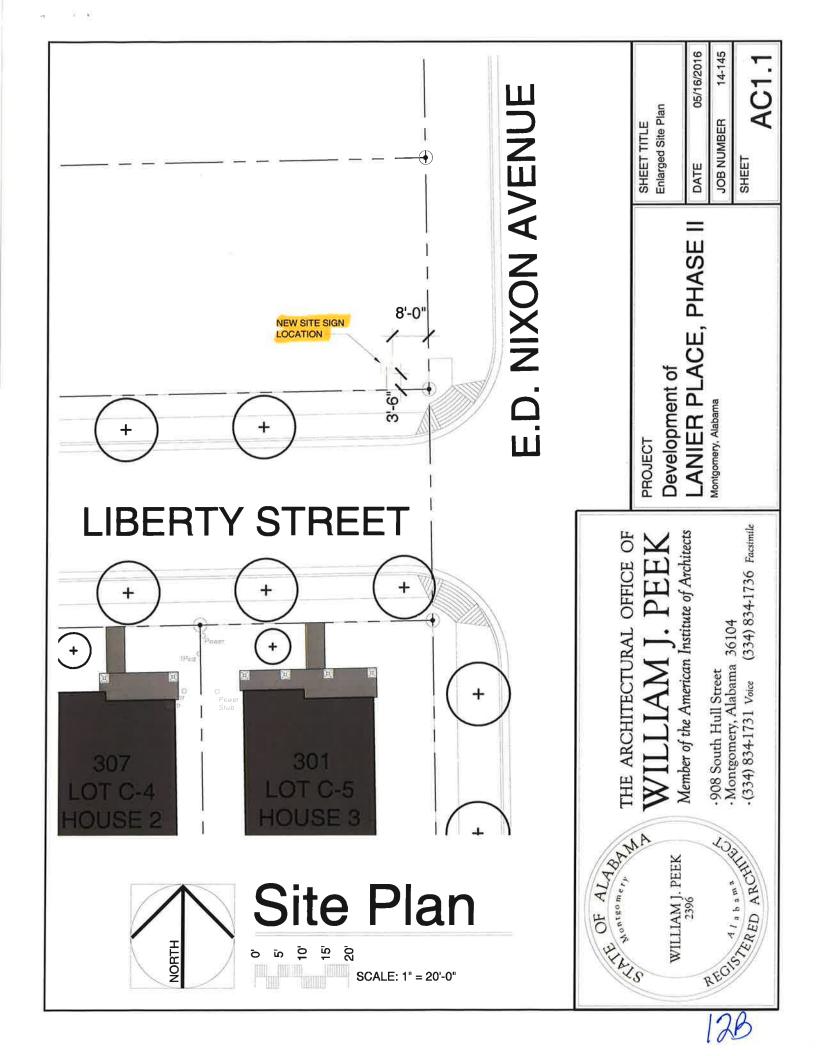
**REMARKS**: This request is being made to give the petitioner permission to construct a new ID sign to come within 8 ft. of the front property line (E. D. Nixon Avenue), whereas 20 ft. is required, and within 3 ft. 6 in. of the street side property line (Liberty Street), whereas 9 ft. is required. The sign will be 11 ft. in height, whereas 3 ft. is allowed.

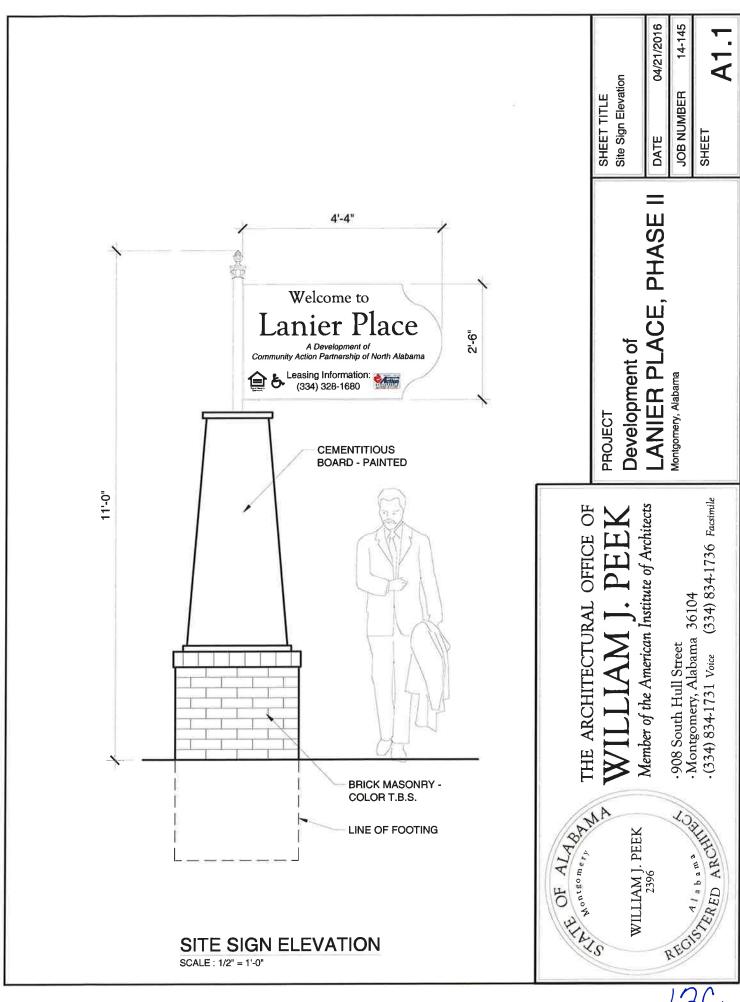
The requests are a 12 ft. front yard variance, a 5 ft. 6 in. street side yard variance, and an 8 ft. height variance.

COUNCIL DISTRICT: 7	
COMMENTS	
ACTION TAKEN:	



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Site Location

1 inch = 30 feet

Item No. 12D