**APPLICANT:** 

Alice Michaels

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 7611 N. Sheridan Road

NATURE OF REQUEST: Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow a dwelling unit in the basement which has not been shown to be in existence 50 years before the passage of the ordinance and for which no permit exists which legalize the basement unit in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--

#### THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: The appellant testified the basement dwelling unit existed in the present condition for over 50 years. The Board hereby finds the basement dwelling unit to be lawful non-conforming and this unit should have a permit issued to reflect its existence.

**APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE** CHAIRMAN

#### PAGE 1 OF 59 MINUTES

CAL NO.: 39-07-A

**MAP NO.:** 19-G

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** February 16, 2007

**APPLICANT:** 

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Waste Management of Illinois, Inc.

CAL NO.: 40-07-S

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

Graham Grady

None

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

February 16, 2007

**MAP NO.:** 32-C

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 13001-13745 S. Bishop Ford Freeway

Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the NATURE OF REQUEST: approval of the location and the establishment of the continue use of an existing sanitary land fill and recycling facility in an M3-3 Heavy Industry District. The subject property first was heard at the ZBA in 1975 (#201-75-S) and continues to be under the Board's jurisdiction for review.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to continue the current use as a landfill and recycling facility; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the continued use of the existing sanitary landfill and recycling facility provided the applicant fully complies with the conditions set forth in the permits issued by the Chicago Department of Environment (DOE) and provided the implementation of the DOE approved end use plan is carried out in full. This matter shall be heard by the Board two years after the issuance of this resolution. The Board shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for review.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

**APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE** CHAIRMAN

**APPLICANT:** 

Teamwork Group Inc. dba LaChamba

APPEARANCE FOR:

Jorge Reynoso

CAL NO.: 41-07-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

MAP NO.: 4-G

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

February 16, 2007

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1102 W. 18th Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a day laborer in a C1-2 Neighborhood Commercial District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD-**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to establish a day labor employment office; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed day labor employment office.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

#### PAGE 3 OF 59 MINUTES

**APPLICANT:** 

Elite Labor Services on 55th, Ltd.

CAL NO.: 42-07-S

February 16, 2007

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

MAP NO.: 12-J

APPEARANCE FOR: Michael Hill

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 3244-48 W. 55th Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinarce for the approval of the location and the establishment of a day laborer service in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

#### ACTION OF BOARD---APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to establish a day labor employment office; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed day labor employment office.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

#### PAGE 4 OF 59 MINUTES

**APPLICANT:** 

Elite Labor Services on 55th, Ltd.

Michael Hill

CAL NO.: 42-07-S

February 16, 2007음

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 12-J

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 3244-48 W. 55th Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinarce for the approval of the location and the establishment of a day laborer service in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31,2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to establish a day labor employment office; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed day labor employment office.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

#### PAGE 4 OF 59 MINUTES

**APPLICANT:** 

Impressionist Homes on Dayton, LLC

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

CAL NO.: 43-07-Z

February 16, 2007

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 7-G

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

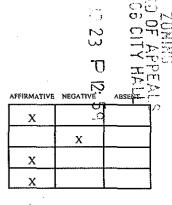
PREMISES AFFECTED: 2723 N. Dayton Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District, a proposed 3 ½-story single family residence whose combined side yards shall be 4'-4" (3'on the north and 1'-4" on the south) instead of the combined yards of 5' with neither yard less than 2' and the rear yard shall be 22'-2" instead of 34'-9".

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 3 ½-story single family residence whose combined side yards shall be 4'-4" (3'on the north and 1'-4" on the south) and the rear yard shall be 22'-2"; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

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Nancy and Glen Taylor

APPEARANCE FOR: John George

CAL NO.: 44-07-A

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 3-F

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1330 N. State Parkway

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow a 4th story green house which exceeds 47' in height. This parcel is located within an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit (Near North Historic I) District which will allow a building to be 45' in height or a 4 story building.

#### ACTION OF BOARD---

## THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED

#### THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200."

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit (Near North Historic I) District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: This property was built to the existing height in 1999. This matter is before the Board to allow an open air porch to be enclosed. This district allows 45' in height 4 stories whichever is greater. The Board funds this building was built at four stories and the enclosure of the porch will not exceed the permitted height. The Board will reverse the decision of the Zoning Administrator and allow the enclosure. A permit shall be issued before the work is commenced.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

**APPLICANT:** 

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Nancy and Glen Taylor

CAL NO.: 45-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

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MAP NO.: 3-F

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCE FOR: John George

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 1330 N. State Parkway

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit (Near North Historic I) District, a proposed 4th story enclosure for a green house which will increase the floor area by 390 sq. ft. and reduce the rear yard to 23' instead of 39.13'.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 4th story enclosure for a green house which will increase the floor area by 390 sq. ft. and reduce the rear yard to 23'; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

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ABSENT

**APPLICANT:** 

1800 N. Western, LLC

CAL NO.: 46-07-Z

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

James J. Banks

MAP NO.: 5-I

February 16, 2007

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

1800 -10 N. Western Avenue/ 2402-10 W. Bloomingdale\*

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B3-3 Community Shopping District, a proposed 4-story 18 dwelling unit and retail building whose rear yard shall be 20' instead of 30.9'.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 4-story 18 dwelling unit and retail building whose rear yard shall be 20'; this development will contain one CPAN unit the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

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MINUTES OF MEETING: February 16, 2007

CAL NO.: 460-07-Z

pursuant to Section 17-10-0500 of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, the Board hereby makes and sets the following restriction(s) on the applicant and project herein. The developer is hereby prohibited from selling the parking spaces within the subject building to anyone other than a purchaser of one of the condominium units. It is further required that the Condominium Declaration provide, or be amended to provide, that a sale by the developer of a condominium unit is to be the sale of a condominium unit and, at least, one parking space. The Condominium Declaration shall further provide that all subsequent sales of a condominium unit and the parking space(s) included at the initial sale. The condominium unit owners may lease their parking space to persons who are not owners of the condominium unit. Where there are parking spaces in excess of the number of parking spaces required under the Chicago Zoning ordinance for the number of units within the building, those excess parking spaces shall be designated for use by guests, delivery vehicles and vehicles parking for maintenance or service to the building or its owners. Those spaces shall not be designated as limited common elements, but rather, common elements owned and managed by the condominium association for benefit of all the unit owners. This restriction is intended to be a covenant running with the land. Additionally, the applicant is hereby required to record this order before the Variations contained herein becomes effective;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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APPLICANT:

Laura Whittemore

CAL NO.: 47-07-A

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

MAP NO.: 4-H

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCE FOR: Same

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 2036 W. 18th Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow a 2nd floor addition in a C1-2 Neighborhood Commercial District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED

THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an C1-2 Neighborhood Commercial District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: The appellant stated that she is seeking to add a second floor to her existing single family home. She stated that she wishes to add additional bedrooms and a bathroom. The Zoning for her property is C1-2. The appellant shall be permitted to construct an addition to her existing home. The decision of the Zoning Administrator is reversed.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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APPLICANT: LaSalle Bank

APPEARANCE FOR: Kris Murphy

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 2300 W. Madison Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed bank facility with drive thru in a C1-3 Neighborhood Commercial District.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to establish and construct a bank facility with drive thru; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed drive-thru facility provided construction is consistent with the layout and design as illustrated on the site plan and elevation drawings prepared by RGLA and dated February 14, 2007 and provided the final landscape plan is approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE 

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CAL NO.: 48-07-S

**MAP NO.:** 1-H

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** February 16, 2007

**APPLICANT:** 

1425 W. Grand LLC

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

CAL NO.: 49-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 1-G

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1421-25 W. Grand Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, 4-story 8 dwelling unit building whose front yard, facing Grand Avenue, shall be 13' instead of 15', the front yard facing Ferdinand shall be zero instead of 15', east side yard shall be zero instead of 5', to reduce the required side yards to zero on the east side and 5' on the west instead of 10' and to reduce the minimum 20' set back for a front garage door (facing Ferdinand) to zero.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

VARIATION GRANTED IN PART AND DENIED IN PART

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS AFFIRMATIVE NEGATIVE ADSENT

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-01.07A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to construct a 4-story 8 dwelling unit building whose front yard, facing Grand Avenue, shall be 13', to reduce the required side yards to zero on the east side and 5' on the west; the request for a zero front yard setback from Ferdinand is denied; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

1425 W. Grand LLC

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

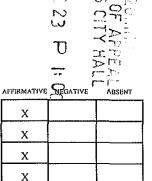
PREMISES AFFECTED: 1421-25 W. Grand Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow required off street parking to be located in and to have a setback of 20 feet from the front property line. The set back may be eliminated on zoning lots which have a substandard depth of less than 125'. This lot is 151 feet deep in a RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District.

#### ACTION OF BOARD---

### THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS AFFIRMED

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: The appellant has requested an elimination of the setback of 20 feet from Ferdinand Street in order to place 2 required parking spaces in that area. § 17-2-0402-B allows reduction of this setback on zoning lots which have substandard lot depth as defined in § 17-17-02174 (lot depth of less than 125 feet). This lot is 151 feet in depth and therefore the reduction shall not be applied. The Board affirms the decision of the Zoning Administrator.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CAL NO.: 50-07-A

MINUTES OF MEETING:

MAP NO.: 1-G

February 16, 2007

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**APPLICANT:** 

BGD & C Corporation

CAL NO.: 51-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 43

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCE FOR:

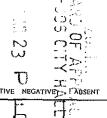
**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1842-46 N. Howe Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-4.5 Residential Multi-Unit District, a proposed 3-story single family residence whose rear yard shall be 22' instead of 34'-10".

ACTION OF BOARD--CASE CONTINUED TO MARCH 23, 2007

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

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Amy Vondra and Jamie Stark

John Fritchey

CAL NO.: 52-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 3-H

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1630 W. Beach Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District, a proposed rear yard foundation for a breezeway connection from the residence to the proposed garage and below grade storage room whose rear yard shall be zero instead of 28'.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

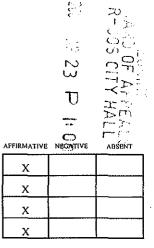
#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE

GIGI McCABE-MIELE

DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS

**REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS** 



THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a rear yard foundation for a breezeway connection from the residence to a garage and below grade storage room whose rear yard shall be zero; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE estat StoAN

#### PAGE 15 OF 59 MINUTES

**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Douglas and Joanne Scott

James J. Banks

**CAL NO.:** 53-07-Z

February 16, 2007

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 3-H

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

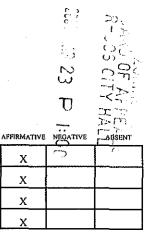
PREMISES AFFECTED: 2150 W. Pierce Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District, a proposed 3-story rear addition to an existing 3 dwelling unit building whose east side yard shall be 7" instead of 4.4', the north side yard shall be 12'-2" instead of 29.4', to reduce the north rear yard open space to 212 sq. ft. instead of 350 sq. ft..

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS



#### THE RESOLUTION:

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 3-story rear addition to an existing 3 dwelling unit building whose east side yard shall be 7, the north side yard shall be 12'-2", to reduce the north rear yard open space to 212 sq. ft.; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Surraya Petroleum, Inc.

James J. Banks

CAL NO.: 54-07-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 28-E

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 11101 S. Langley Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a gasoline service station in a C1-1 Neighborhood Commercial District.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE



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BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS x \_\_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_

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AFFIRMATIVE

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to establish a gasoline service station; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed improvements and reopening of the existing gas station provided construction is consistent with the layout and design as illustrated on the site plan and elevation drawings prepared by Proyect studio, LLC and dated November 21, 2006, and provided the final landscape plan is approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE DU

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** Whitney Mayster Stephan Paluch **MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

CAL NO.: 55-07-A

February 16, 2007

**MAP NO.:** 26-H

1704 W. 104th Place (Walter Burley Griffin Pl.) **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

Roger Nelson

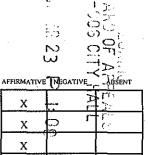
Paula Nelson Prose

NATURE OF REQUEST: Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow the height of a garage (accessory building) to be 19' instead of 15'. The garage has been built and contains a dormer with a 2nd floor storage area in an RS-1 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS AFFIRMED THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE



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GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200 ." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an RS-1 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District: and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: The appellant filed a request for a building permit to construct a garage whose height would be 15 feet. The permit was issued for a 15' structure. The applicant built a garage and added a dormer which was not shown on the permit application. The dormer raised the height of the building to 19 feet. § 17-9-201E states no accessory building (garage) or structure located in a required rear yard setback may exceed 15 feet in height. The Board finds that this garage/ accessory building is located in the rear yard setback and is 19 feet in height. The appellant has built contrary to the zoning code. The decision of the Zoning Administrator is affirmed. The building shall be brought in conformity with the permit that was issued. The dormer shall be removed and an amended building permit shall be issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** Whitney Mayster Stephan Paluch **MINUTES OF MEETING:** February 16, 2007

CAL NO.: 56-07-Z

**MAP NO.:** 26-H

1704 W. 104th Place (Walter Burley Griffin Pl.) **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

Roger Nelson

Paula Nelson Prose

Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, **NATURE OF REQUEST:** in an RS-1 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, a proposed garage whose west side yard shall be 2'-10" instead of 4'. The height of the garage shall be increased to 19' instead of 15' which is contrary to section 17-0-0201-E.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

VARIATION GRANTED IN PART AND DENIED IN PART

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS

**REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS** 

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has denied the appeal set forth in case # 55-07-A. The height of the accessory building shall be reduced to 15 feet. The dormer shall be removed with a permit. The Board will grant a variation of the west side yard to 2'-10" instead of 4'. A permit shall be issued to reflect this decision; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

Steven Hernew

**APPEARANCE FOR:** Same

None **APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

6003-05 S. Artesian Avenue PREMISES AFFECTED:

Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, NATURE OF REQUEST: in an RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, the enclosing of 2 rear porches. The building shall have a zero north side yard, to reduce the combined side yard to 1.56' instead of 11.3' and to reduce the rear yard to 24' instead of 37' to an existing 10 dwelling unit building.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE

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BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS **REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS** 

#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to enclose 2 rear porches, the building shall have a zero north side yard, a reduced combined side yard of 1.56' and a reduced rear yard of 24' to an existing 10 dwelling unit building; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CAL NO.: 57-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

MAP NO.: 14-I

February 16, 2007

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APPLICANT:

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Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago

CAL NO.: 58-07-S

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 6200 - 32 S. Sangamon Street\*

Michele Bianchi

MINUTES OF MEETING:

February 16, 2007

**MAP NO.:** 14-G

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a transitional residence and day care facility in an existing 2 & 3 story building in an RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District.

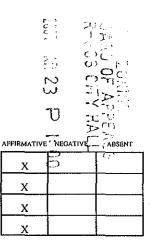
#### ACTION OF BOARD---APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE

GIGI McCABE-MIELE

DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS



THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall establish a transitional residence and day care facility in an existing 2 & 3 story building; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed transitional residence.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

Bennetta P. and Frederick Young

**APPEARANCE FOR:** Mark Kupiec MAP NO.: 16-D

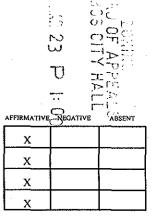
**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

6434 S. Dorchester Avenue PREMISES AFFECTED:

NATURE OF REQUEST: Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow a proposed 3-story single family residence with an attached front garage. Section 17-2-0402A states all off-site street parking must be accessed off the abutting alley unless the subject zoning lot lacks access to an improved alley. The rear lot is 15.55 feet wide at the alley in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200 ." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: The rear of this zoning lot measures 15.55 feet there is also a utility pole and a neighboring dwelling unit adjoining this parcel. The appellant is not able to erect a 2 car garage at the rear of the zoning lot. The appellant wishes to retain an open rear yard for her family's enjoyment. The Board hereby finds that a 2 car garage may not be safely placed at the rear of this zoning lot. The applicant shall provide parking off the front street of this zoning lot.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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CAL NO.: 59-07-A

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

February 16, 2007

**APPLICANT:** 

Elondust P. Johnson and Stephen J. Lewis

APPEARANCE FOR: Mark Kupiec

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 4953 S. Vincennes Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, a proposed 3-story single family residence whose combined side yards shall be 3' (zero on the north and 3' on the south) instead of 4.9' with neither yard less than 2 feet.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE
GIGI McCABE-MIELE
DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS
REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 3-story single family residence whose combined side yards shall be 3' (zero on the north and 3' on the south); the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CAL NO.: 60-07-Z

MINUTES OF MEETING:

**MAP NO.:** 12-E

February 16, 2007

**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** James J. Banks

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 3-H

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

February 16, 2007

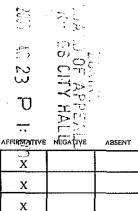
1757 W. Crystal Street/1211 N. Wood Street PREMISES AFFECTED:

Brian Fuller

Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the NATURE OF REQUEST: approval of the location and the establishment of a residential use below the 2nd floor in a B3-2 Community Shopping District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE



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BRIAN L, CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to establish residential use below the second floor; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of residential use below the second floor.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANUE

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#### CAL NO.: 61-07-S

APPLICANT:

George Mantis

APPEARANCE FOR: Gary Wigoda

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 2032 N. Kenmore Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow a one car garage to be attached to the rear dwelling unit on a lot containing two buildings. The front and rear building will be connected with a breezeway. The rear building will have its basement reduced below grade in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--

#### THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: There are two residential buildings on this single zoning lot. The expansion (breezeway) of the dwelling is permitted.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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CAL NO.: 62-07-A

**MAP NO.:** 5-G

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** February 16, 2007

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

James Ronan

Thomas Moore

CAL NO.: 63-07-Z

February 16, 2007

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 15-G

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 6157 N. Kenmore Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, a 5-story 8 dwelling unit building whose combined side yards shall be 5' (zero on the south and 5' on the north) instead of 10' and the rear yard shall be 33'-7" instead of 45'.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 5-story 8 dwelling unit building whose combined side yards shall be 5' (zero on the south and 5' on the north) and the rear yard shall be 33'-7"; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

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DMCR LLC

**APPEARANCE FOR:** Thomas Moore **CAL NO.:** 64-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 15-G

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 6159 N. Kenmore Avenue

Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, NATURE OF REQUEST: in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, a 5-story 8 dwelling unit building whose combined side yards shall be 5' (zero on the south and 5' on the north) instead of 10' and the rear yard shall be 33'-7" instead of 45'.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE



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**APPLICANT:** 

Thomas Stringer

CAL NO.: 65-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 7-F

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 456 W. Barry Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, a proposed rear west 8 foot high brick wall which shall be zero side yard rather than 2'-8" to an existing 3-story single family residence.

ACTION OF BOARD--CASE CONTINUED TO MARCH 23, 2007

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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**APPLICANT:** 

Key Elements LLC

APPEARANCE FOR: Thomas Moore

CAL NO.: 66-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

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**MAP NO.:** 3-H

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1118 N. Wolcott Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District, a proposed 3-story rear addition whose combined side yards shall be 4.2' (zero on the north and 4.2 on the south) instead of 4.8' with neither yard less than 2', to reduce the rear yard and 29' instead of 37.58', to reduce the open space shall be 158 sq. ft. and to increase the existing area to 596 sq. ft. which existed prior to the passage of this ordinance.

#### ACTION OF BOARD---VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE

**REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS** 

BRIAN L. CROWE

GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS THE RESOLUTION:

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CHAIRMAN

APPLICANT:

Studio 20/20

APPEARANCE FOR: Lisa Marino

APPEARANCES AGAINST: Margaret Brown

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 6924 W. Diversey Avenue

CAL NO.: 67-07-S

MAP NO.: 7-N

MINUTES OF MEETING: February 16, 2007

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**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a beauty salon within 1,000 linear feet of another beauty salon, barber shop, nail salon or similar use in a B1-2 Neighborhood Shopping District.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the objector in this case stated she is opposed to the establishment of a salon at this location. She stated that she feels that this business would be too close to a similar establishment and is not beneficial to the neighborhood. The applicant shall be permitted to establish a beauty salon. The testimony of the appraiser was that his business will not have an adverse impact on the community and is in character with the surrounding neighborhood; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development has no objection to the establishment of a beauty salon at this location.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

Continental Assurance Company

CAL NO.: 68-07-S

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 333 S. Wabash Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of two high rise business identification signs. The signs will be 580 feet above grade and located on the north and south facade in a DC-16 Downtown Core District.

**ACTION OF BOARD--**CASE CONTINUED TO MAY 18, 2007

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS **REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS** 

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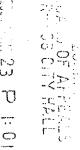
# **MAP NO.:** 2-E

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE 1520 CHAIRMAN

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Brayton Gray and Sophia de la Mar CAL NO.: 69-07-Z **APPLICANT: APPEARANCE FOR:** Joseph Gattuso **MAP NO.:** 5-F Tom Moloauer, James Choca, Marjorie Michel MINUTES OF MEETING: APPEARANCES AGAINST: February 16, 2007 PREMISES AFFECTED: 2121 N. Hudson Avenue

Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, **NATURE OF REQUEST:** in an RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, a proposed 2-story rear addition to an existing single family residence whose north side yard shall be 2'-9" instead of 3.68' and the rear yard shall be 15'-3 3/4" instead of 29.68'.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**VARIATION GRANTED

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THE RESOLUTION:

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the objectors in this matter stated that they are opposed to the variation being granted because it would destroy the historical nature of the residence. They also feel that the addition would be out of character with the historic character of the neighborhood. The neighbors are opposed to the size of the addition and stated that they feel that are opposed to set back variations being granted because it would fill in the entire lot. The applicant states the property is in a landmark distinct and the only possible addition would be to the rear of the current structure. The Board agrees and finds that the addition is a reasonable expansion; the applicant shall be permitted to construct a 2-story rear addition to an existing single family residence whose north side yard shall be 2'-9" and the rear yard shall be 15'-3 3/4"; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

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APPLICANT:

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

CAL NO.: 70-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

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MAP NO.: 9-0

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

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PREMISES AFFECTED: 7801 W. Forest Preserve Avenue

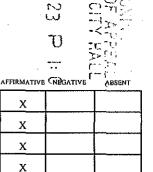
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**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RS-2 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, a proposed 2nd floor rear addition whose rear yard shall be 11.55' instead of 35.44', to reduce the total side yards from 9' to 5.94' (2.96' on the west and 2.98' on the east) with neither yard less than 4.0'.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE



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APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

**APPLICANT:** 

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Belle Plaine Garden Condo Assoc.

CAL NO.: 71-07-Z

APPEARANCE FOR: John Fritchey

MAP NO.: 11-J

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

February 16, 2007

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3549-51 W. Belle Plaine Avenue/4055-57 N. Central Park Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, a 4-story enclosed rear porch whose rear yard shall be 10'-6" instead of 37', to exceed the existing floor area by 575 sq. ft., an amount less than 15% of the floor area and to exceed the 30' height limitation by 3 feet.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS THE RESOLUTION:

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**APPLICANT:** 

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APPEARANCE FOR: Joseph Gattuso

CAL NO.: 72-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 3-G

February 16, 2007

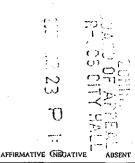
APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1438 N. Dearborn Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, a proposed 2-story rear addition whose combined side yards shall be zero instead of 5' with neither yard less than 2', the rear yard shall be 37' instead of 41.9' and to allow the rear yard open space to be placed 8' above grade.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE



BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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CHAIRMAN

**APPLICANT:** 

Zuric Development, Inc.

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Thomas J. Murphy

CAL NO.: 73-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 17-H

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1767 W. Estes Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B3-3 Community Shopping District, a proposed 5-story 32 dwelling unit and commercial building whose rear yard shall be 2'9" instead of 30' and to exceed the allowed building height to 71'-5" instead of 65', section 17-13-1000L (3) (a) states the Board may increase the building height by 10% where such increase would not result in a building that is taller than buildings on abutting lots. The abutting building is 32' high.

## ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

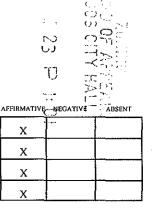
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CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Zuric Development, Inc. Thomas J. Murphy

CAL NO.: 73-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 17-H

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1767 W. Estes Avenue

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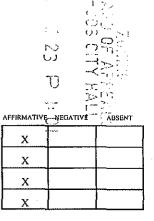
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MINUTES OF MEETING: February 16, 2007

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#### CAL NO.: 73-07-Z

pursuant to Section 17-10-0500 of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, the Board hereby makes and sets the following  $\frac{1}{1-1}$  restriction(s) on the applicant and project herein. The developer is hereby prohibited from selling the parking spaces within the subject building to anyone other than a purchaser of one of the condominium units. It is further required that the Condominium Declaration provide, or be amended to provide, that a sale by the developer of a condominium unit is to be the sale of a condominium unit and, at least, one parking space. The Condominium Declaration shall further provide that all subsequent sales of a condominium unit and the parking space(s) included at the initial sale. The condominium unit owners may lease their parking space to persons who are not owners of the condominium unit. Where there are parking spaces in excess of the number of parking spaces required under the Chicago Zoning ordinance for the number of units within the building, those excess parking spaces shall be designated for use by guests, delivery vehicles and vehicles parking for maintenance or service to the building or its owners. Those spaces shall not be designated as limited common elements, but rather, common elements owned and managed by the condominium association for benefit of all the unit owners. This restriction is intended to be a covenant running with the land. Additionally, the applicant is hereby required to record this order before the Variations contained herein becomes effective;

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**APPLICANT:** 

Joseph Zagone

CAL NO.: 74-07-Z

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 5951 N. Ozanam Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RS-2 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, a semi-circular driveway (located in the front yard) whose front yard shall be 2' instead of 20'. Off-site parking (here it is a driveway) is prohibited within 20 feet of the front property line (section 17-10-0601A).

ACTION OF BOARD--CASE CONTINUED TO MARCH 23, 2007

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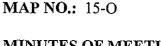
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CHAIRMAN

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**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

February 16, 2007

**APPLICANT:** 

**Ralph Pennington** 

CAL NO.: 75-07-Z

**MAP NO.:** 24-H

APPEARANCE FOR: Same

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** February 16, 2007

PREMISES AFFECTED: 9809 S. Claremont Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RS-2 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, a parking space within the front yard set back to be 8' instead of 20' from the front property line. Off-street parking is prohibited within 20' of the front property line (section 17-10-0601A).

## ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION DENIED

## THE VOTE

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THE RESOLUTION:

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant has a parcel which contains a single family residence. There is an alley and a garage at the rear of the property. Off street parking is prohibited in side setbacks and within 20 feet of the front property line. The Board will deny the request for the variation. The Board finds parking in the rear to be adequate. Section 17-10-0601A (Off-street parking is prohibited in *side setbacks* and within 20 feet of the *front property line*. Off-street parking is permitted in a required *side setback* when accessed by a permitted driveway from the *front property line*.); the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is not consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question can yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are not due to unique circumstances and are generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby deny the application for a variation of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is denied subject to the following condition(s):

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

2918-20 N. Sheffield Avenue

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

CAL NO.: 76-07-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 7-G

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

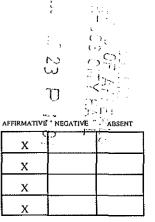
February 16, 2007

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 2918-20 N. Sheffield Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-5.5 Residential Multi-Unit District, a proposed 4-story 8 dwelling unit building whose combined side yards shall be 6' (3' on the north and south 3' yards) instead of 9.0' with a minimum of 3.84', to reduce the rear yard to 30' instead of the required 36.9' and to reduce the rear open space to zero instead of 520 sq. ft. \*

## ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

## THE VOTE



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BRIAN L. CROWE

#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 4-story 8 dwelling unit building whose combined side yards shall be 6' (3' on the north and south 3' yards), to reduce the rear yard to 30' and to reduce the rear open space to zero; the Board has determined that there shall be nothing constructed, including permitted obstruction in the side yards; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Holy David M.B. Church

Rev. James D. Cotton

CAL NO.: 77-07-S

February 16, 2007

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

MAP NO.: 14-F

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 5753 S. Wentworth Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a 1-story religious facility in a C1-1 Neighborhood Commercial District.

## ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

## THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to a one story religious facility; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development approval of the proposed church provided the construction is consistent with the design represented on the elevation drawings prepared by Arlene Warda, AIA and dated February 14, 2007 and provided the final landscape plan is approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

Chairman

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**APPLICANT:** 

Holy David M.B. Church

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Rev. James D. Cotton

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 5725 S. Wentworth Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off-site parking lot to serve the church located at 5753 S. Wentworth in a C1-1 Neighborhood Commercial District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**APPLICATION APPROVED

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 16, 2007, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on January 31, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to establish an off-site parking lot to serve the church located at 5753 S. Wentworth; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed off site parking lot provided the applicant installs landscaping and fencing in full compliance with the Chicago Landscape Ordinance.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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MINUTES OF MEETING: February 16, 2007

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CAL NO.: 78-07-S

**MAP NO.:** 14-F

**APPLICANT:** 

US Cellular-Erick N. Jenkins

CAL NO.: 256-06-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 20-F

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 8125 S. Halsted Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed free standing wireless communication facility (140 foot mono pole) in a C1-2 Neighborhood Commercial District.

# ACTION OF BOARD---UNDER ADVISEMENT

## THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on July 21 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on July 6, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

US Cellular-Erick N. Jenkins

CAL NO.: 257-06-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 20-F

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

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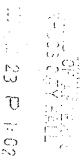
PREMISES AFFECTED: 8125 S. Halsted Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a C1-2 Neighborhood Commercial District, a proposed free standing wireless communication tower to be 140' in height instead of 75'.

## ACTION OF BOARD---UNDER ADVISEMENT

## THE VOTE

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on July 21, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on July 6, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

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CHAIRMAN

**APPLICANT:** 

US Cellular-Erick N. Jenkins

CAL NO.: 258-06-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 22-H

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 9000 S. Ashland Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed free standing wireless communication facility (140 foot mono pole) in a C2-2 Motor Vehicle-Related Commercial District.

## **ACTION OF BOARD--**UNDER ADVISEMENT

#### THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on July 21 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on July 6, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

US Cellular-Erick N. Jenkins

CAL NO.: 259-06-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 22-H

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

PREMISES AFFECTED:

9000 S. Ashland Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a C2-2 Motor Vehicle-Related Commercial District, a proposed free standing wireless communication tower to be 140' in height instead of 75'.

## ACTION OF BOARD--UNDER ADVISEMENT

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on July 21, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on July 6, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

US Cellular-Erick N. Jenkins

CAL NO.: 260-06-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 16-H

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 7003 S. Bell Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed free standing wireless communication facility (140 foot mono pole) in a C2-1 Motor Vehicle-Related Commercial District.

# ACTION OF BOARD---UNDER ADVISEMENT

## THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on July 21 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on July 6, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

US Cellular-Erick N. Jenkins

CAL NO.: 261-06-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 16-H

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

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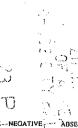
**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 7003 S. Bell Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a C2-1 Motor Vehicle-Related Commercial District, a proposed free standing wireless communication tower to be 140' in height instead of 75'.

## **ACTION OF BOARD--**UNDER ADVISEMENT

# THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on July 21, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on July 6, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

William E. Jones, Jr.

CAL NO.: 272-06-A

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 26-G

February 16, 2007

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 10736 S. Church Street

Same

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow a parking within 20' of the front yard for a single family residence with front drive-way and curb cut in an RS-2 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District.

# ACTION OF BOARD---

## THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS AFFIRMED THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on July 21, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an RS-2 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: The appellant in this case stated that he is requesting that he be permitted to park in the front of his. He stated that due to medical conditions and the safety of he neighborhood he would like to establish parking in the front of his house. The Board does not have the authority to grant the relief that has been requested per section 17-10-0601A (Off-street parking is prohibited in *side setbacks* and within 20 feet of the *front property line*. Off-street parking is permitted in a required *side setback* when accessed by a permitted driveway from the *front property line*.) The decision of the Zoning administrator is affirmed and the appeal is denied.

# APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

Gas Depot, Inc.

CAL NO.: 379-06-S

APPEARANCE FOR:

James J. Banks

MINUTES OF MEETING:

February 16, 2007

**MAP NO.:** 9-J

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED:

3400-10 W. Belmont Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed expansion to an existing gas station in a C1-1 Neighborhood Commercial District.

# ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

## THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS



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THE RESOLUTION:

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on September 15 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on August 30, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to expand an existing gas station; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed improvements and remodeling of he existing gas station provided construction is consistent with the layout and design as illustrated on the site plan and elevation drawings prepared by Hirsch Associates, LLC and dated January 31, 2007 and provided the final landscape plan is approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

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Gas Depot, Inc.

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

**MAP NO.:** 9-J

MINUTES OF MEETING:

February 16, 2007

CAL NO.: 380-06-Z

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED:

3400-10 W. Belmont Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a C1-1 Neighborhood Commercial District, the expansion of a gas station whose area shall be 13,805 sq. ft.

# ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

# THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on September 15, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on August 30, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to expand an existing gas station whose area shall be 13,805 sq. ft; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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MINUTES OF MEETING

Date: March 23, 2007 Cal. No. 406-05-S

Michael Lavelle, attorney for the applicant presented a written request for an extension of time in which to obtain the necessary building permit to establish a tavern on premises located at 1659 W. Ogden Ave. The special use was approved by the Zoning Board of Appeals on February 17, 2006 in Cal. No. 74-06-S.

Mr. Lavelle stated the project has been securing financing for he past year and is now in the permitting process through the Department of Buildings approval by the Zoning Department being the last process prior to obtaining the building permit. An extension of time is requested because the special use granted by the Board will soon exceed the one- year validity period.

Brian Crowe moved the request be granted and the time for obtaining the necessary permit be extended to March 28, 2008. The motion prevailed by yeas and nays as follows:

Yeas- Crowe, Konstantelos, McCabe-Miele, DeJesus. Nays- None

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APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE CHAIRMAN

**APPLICANT:** 

Phat Fades Barbershop Inc.

CAL NO.: 487-06-S

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Thomas S. Moore

MAP NO.: 19-H

February 16, 2007

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED:

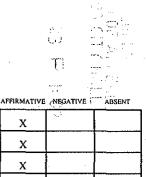
7439 N. Western Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a beauty salon within 1,000 linear feet of another beauty salon, barber shop, nail salon or similar use in a B3-2 Community Shopping District.

# ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

## THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS



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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 17, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall be permitted to establish a barber shop; The testimony of the appraiser was that his business will not have an adverse impact on the community and is in character with the surrounding neighborhood; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development has no objection to the establishment of a barber shop at this location.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

Marcin Sterniuk

APPEARANCE FOR: Paul Kolpak

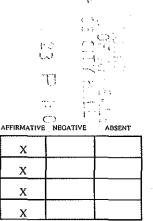
APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 5608 W. Higgins Road

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District, a proposed 3-story 3 dwelling unit building whose front yard shall be 9'8" instead of 15', the west side yard shall be .8" instead of 5.14' and the rear yard open space shall be 123 sq. ft. instead of 222 sq. ft.

## ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE



CAL NO.: 488-06-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 13-M

February 16, 2007

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 17, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 3-story 3 dwelling unit building whose front yard shall be 9'8", the west side yard shall be .8" and the rear yard open space shall be 123 sq. ft.; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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#### **APPLICANT:**

## Rosa E. Amaro

CAL NO.: 503-06-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

MAP NO.: 10-I

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

#### **PREMISES AFFECTED:**

2612 W. 47th Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a beauty salon within 1,000 linear feet of another beauty salon, barber shop, nail salon or similar use in a B3-2 Community Shopping District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**DISMISSED FOR WANT OF PROSECUTION

## THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS **REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS** 



NEGATIVE	ABSENT

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

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V-Land Chicago 95th LLC

CAL NO.: 508-06-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 24-H

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Chris Leach

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

9501-37 S. Western Avenue/ 2333-57 W. 95th Street/ 9500-14 S. Claremont Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a drive thru restaurant in a B3-2 Community Shopping District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**APPLICATION APPROVED

# THE VOTE

REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on December 15, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 29, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall establish a restaurant with a drive thru facility; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and development recommends approval of the proposed drive through facility, provided it is constructed consistent with the layout and design represented on the site plan prepared by Benedetto Reitan Architects, dated December 4, 2006, and the elevation drawings prepared by Benedetto Reitan Architects, dated August 18, 2006

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE BJC CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

824 Marshfield, LLC

Caroline Nash

CAL NO.: 531-06-S

**MAP NO.:** 3-H

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

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MINUTES OF MEETING:

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED:

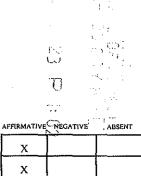
824 N. Marshfield Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 3 ½-story 4 building 24 dwelling unit townhouse complex with residential use below the 2nd floor in a B1-2 Neighborhood Shopping District.

# ACTION OF BOARD---APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS



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THE RESOLUTION:

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on December 15, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 29, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct four, 3 ½-story 6 dwelling unit townhouse buildings with residential use below the second floor; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed townhouse development.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

**APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE** CHAIRMAN

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MINUTES OF MEETING: February 16, 2007

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#### CAL NO.: 531-06-S

pursuant to Section 17-10-0500 of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, the Board hereby makes and sets the followingrestriction(s) on the applicant and project herein. The developer is hereby prohibited from selling the parking spaces within the subject building to anyone other than a purchaser of one of the condominium units. It is further required that the Condominium Declaration provide, or be amended to provide, that a sale by the developer of a condominium unit is to be the sale of a condominium unit and, at least, one parking space. The Condominium Declaration shall further provide that all subsequent sales of a condominium unit and the parking space(s) included at the initial sale. The condominium unit owners may lease their parking space to persons who are not owners of the condominium unit. Where there are parking spaces in excess of the number of parking spaces required under the Chicago Zoning ordinance for the number of units within the building, those excess parking spaces shall be designated for use by guests, delivery vehicles and vehicles parking for maintenance or service to the building or its owners. Those spaces shall not be designated as limited common elements, but rather, common elements owned and managed by the condominium association for benefit of all the unit owners. This restriction is intended to be a covenant running with the land. Additionally, the applicant is hereby required to record this order before the Variations contained herein becomes effective;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

#### CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

824 Marshfield, LLC

APPEARANCE FOR: Caroline Nash

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**MAP NO.:** 3-H

CAL NO.: 532-06-Z

MINUTES OF MEETING: February 16, 2007

PREMISES AFFECTED: 824 N. Marshfield Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B1-2 Neighborhood Shopping District, a proposed 3 ½-story 4 building 24 dwelling unit townhome complex whose separation between end walls facing other end walls shall be 3' instead of 10', the end wall facing N. Marshfield shall be 5'-6" instead of 12' and the end wall facing N. Paulina shall be 5'-7" instead of 12'.

#### ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

## THE RESOLUTION:

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on December 15, 2006, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 29, 2006; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant shall construct a 3 ½ -story 4 building 24 dwelling unit townhome complex whose separation between end walls facing other end walls shall be 3', the end wall facing N. Marshfield shall be 5'-6" and the end wall facing N. Paulina shall be 5'-7"; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

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**APPLICANT:** 

Cash America, Inc. of Illinois

CAL NO.: 543-06-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

MAP NO.: 6-J

February 16, 2007

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 3600 W. 26th Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a pawnshop in a B3-2 Community Shopping District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**CASE CONTINUED TO MARCH 23, 2007

## THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

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