

## STATEMENT OF HARDSHIP

Chapter 3307 of the Columbus Zoning Code
Section 3307.10 Variances by City Council
A. Permit a variance in the yard, height, or parking requirements of any district only in conjunction with a change in zoning or a use variance and only where there are unusual and practical difficulties or unusual hardships in the carrying out of the zoning district provisions due to an irregular shape of lot, topography, or other conditions, providing such variance will not seriously affect any adjoining property or the general welfare.
B. Permit a use of the property not permitted by the Zoning District established on the property if such use will not adversely affect the surrounding property or surrounding neighborhood and if Council is satisfied that the granting of such variance will alleviate some hardship or difficulty which warrants a variance from the Comprehensive Plan.

Before authorizing any variance from the Zoning Code In a specific case, City Council shail first determine that such variance will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to the adjacent property, unreasonably increase the congestion of public streets, increase the danger of fires, endanger the public safety, unreasonably diminish or impair the public health, safety, comfort, morals, or welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Columbus.

In granting a variance pursuant to this section, Council may impose such requirements and conditions regarding the location, character, duration, and other features of the variance proposal as Council deems necessary to carry out the intent and purpose of this Zoning Code and to otherwise safeguard the public safety and welfare.

I have read the foregoing and believe my application for relief from the requirements of the Zoning Code contains the necessary hardship, will not adversely affect surrounding property owners and will comply with the variance requested as detailed below:
see attached.
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1564-68 Highland Street
OWNER: Kerri A. McTigue

## Statement of Hardship

The property that is the subject of this council variance application is Parcel Number 010-214161. The home on this property was converted into a 2 family duplex in 1955. The current owner of the building would like to convert it to a single family home.

Right now it is an upper and lower duplex. When viewed from the outside (as can be seen in the photo), it could easily be mistaken as a single family home. By adding a spiral staircase to the interior, the downstairs would function as the kitchen, living room, dining room, bathroom, and office area. The upstairs would have the 2 existing bedrooms, bathroom, smaller living room and converting the small efficiency kitchen to a $3^{\text {rd }}$ bedroom. This would make it a nice 3 bedroom house. This conversion would not alter the outer appearance at all and actually will make the inside better match what the building appears to be on the outside.

The owner would like to keep the outer wood staircase and landing on the north side of the house. This staircase currently leads to the entrance of the top apartment. In the future, the owner would like to expand the landing to a deck that would cover the 2 back parking spaces. As the house is right off the sidewalk and is completely surrounded by concrete, this would allow a place for an outdoor space a little removed from passersby. It would also allow the owner to have extra space while still keeping the 4 parking spaces that currently exist.

The granting of this variance will benefit this district by reducing the population density. This variance will not adversely affect surrounding property owners and not seriously affect any adjoining property.

OWNER: Kerri A. McTigue

## List of Variances

### 3333.09 Area District Standards

To reduce the required lot width from 50 ' to $37.5^{\prime}$.

### 3333.18 Building lines

To reduce the required building line from $10^{\prime}$ to $0^{\prime}$.

### 3333.23 Minimum side yard permitted

To reduce the required side yard from 5 ' to 0 ' along south lot line.

### 3333.24 Rear yard

To reduce the required rear yard from $25 \%$ of total lot area to approximately $0 \%$.

### 3333.27 Vision Clearance

To permit a wall above 2.5' and with 0\% opacity (house wall) within the required yard area adjacent to Highland St.

### 3342.18, Parking setback line

To reduce the required parking setback from 25 ' to 0 '.

### 3372.562 Landscaping (A)(B)

To reduce the required amount of landscaping area to $0 \%$ of lot area and to reduce the requirement for a shade tree in the rear yard. The landscaped area and shad tree shall be provided in the side yard.

### 3372.563 Maximum Lot Coverage

To permit a lot coverage of greater than $30 \%$ for the existing dwelling, and to allow for future construction of a side deck or porch of no greater than 300 square feet.

### 3372.564 Parking

To devote more than the maximum area permitted for parking and maneuvering from $35 \%$ to $50 \%$ of the total lot area.

### 3372.567 Maximum floor area

To permit a maximum floor area for a building involving a change of use to a ratio greater than 0.60 to 0.66 .




Grantee: MCTIGUE, KERRI A
Grantor: HELLWEGE, JOHN D
Premises: 1564-1568 HIGHLAND STREET, COLUMBUS, OHIO
Sublot/ Orig Lot: PART 51
Subdivision / Allotment:WILLIAM N KINGS SECOND ADDITION
As recorded in FRANKLIN COUNTY RECORDS, Volume 4, Page 137
INSPECTOR'S REPORT: Said premises were inspected at March 5, 2007.

1. Description of dwellings on said subject premises:

TWO STORY DWELLING
2. Description of encroachmentsor other violations: PROPERTY ENCROACHES $0.4^{\prime}+/$-OVER PROPERTY LINE.


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At its regular meeting on June 20, 2007, the University Area commission took the following actions:

## $\mathbf{2 0 4 0}$ N. High Street, Larry's Bar

Motion: To recommend approval of a patio at the rear of 2040 N. High St. that will displace 4 existing parking spaces with the conditions that the High St. façade will be restored to a traditional storefront appearance, there shall be no outdoor amplification and the patio shall never be enclosed. Motion passed. Vote: 11 yes 5 No

## 1283 Summit St.

Motion: To recommend approval of the variances required to permit a lot split at 1283 Summit St. Motion
Passed. Vote: Unanimous

## 1564 Highland St.

Motion: To recommend approval of the variances required to permit a change of use from duplex to singlefamily in AR-4 zoning district at 1564 Highland St. Motion passed. Vote: Unanimous.

Please let me know if you have questions.
Ron Hupman
Zoning Chair, UAC

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## PROJECT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT



Parties having a $5 \%$ or more interest in the project that is the subject of this application. THIS PAGE MUST BE FILLED OUT COMPLETELY AND NOTARIZED. Do not indicate 'NONE' in the space provided.

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COUNTY OF FRANKLIN
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Name of business or individual
Business of individual's address
Address of corporate headquarters
City, State, Zip
Number of Columbus based employees
Contact name and number

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If applicable, check here if listing additional parties on a separate page (required)
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