

CW8-041

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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 shall 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	Hardship	Statement	
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ADDITION TO: 657 SOUTH OHIO AVENUE HARDSHIP STATEMENT

December 22, 2008

Directions for Youth and Families (Directions) is currently leasing the property owned by the City of Columbus (City) at 657 S. Ohio Avenue. The lease contains a provision that enables Directions to buy the property from the City should they opt to do so.

Directions is currently using the building to provide services directed at preventing children and teens from engaging in delinquent activity. These services include family counseling, education relating to drug and alcohol abuse, and leadership training.

The existing building (basement + two floors) can only be accessed by climbing twelve steps to the first floor level. From the first floor the only way to access the basement program areas, or the second floor offices and meeting area is by stairs.

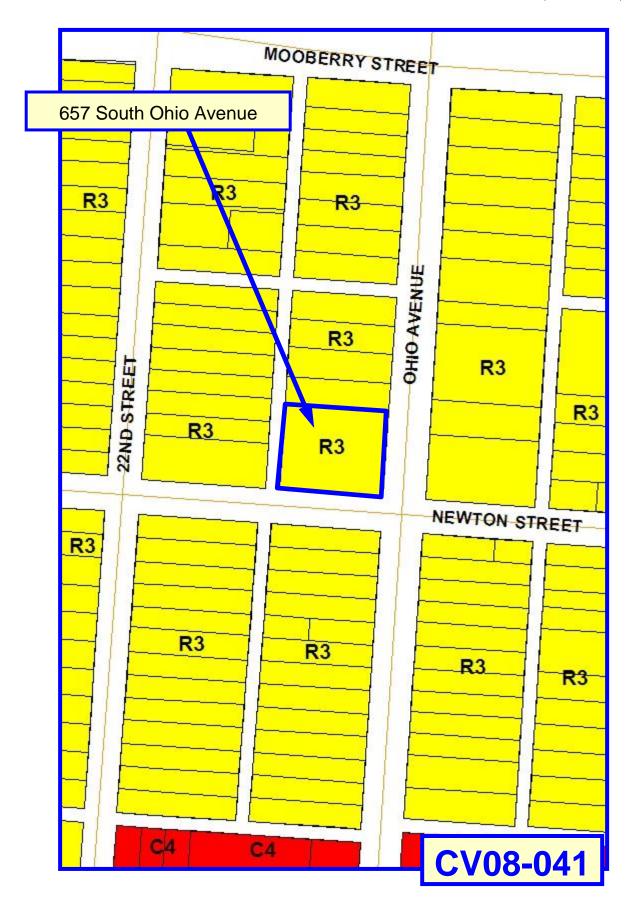
This new entry addition is designed to provide accessibility (ADA) via elevator to all levels of the building by providing the primary entrance from the existing sidewalk level. This enables Direction's clients to enter without having to climb exterior steps that are exposed to the elements during inclement weather.

The variances being requested are:

- A. <u>Change of Use Variance:</u> The first variance being requested is for a Change of Use. The existing non-conforming use was grandfathered according to the Columbus Department of Zoning. With the construction of the new addition, a new Change of Use variance is required and requested.
- B. Front Yard Setback Adjustment Variance: The second variance requested is for permission to build in the Front Yard Setback. The only practical location for this addition is in the front yard setback. Directions has received permission for this addition from Historic Resources Commission contingent of their approval of the exterior materials.
- C. <u>Obstruction Variance:</u> The third variance requested is because of the obstruction created by the new addition with respect to Newton Street.

Questions should be addressed to Directions' Agent:

Robert Davis Davis Wince, Ltd 1466 Manning Parkway Powell, OH 43065 614-785-0505





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STANDARDIZED RECOMMENDATION FORM

USE BY: AREA COMMISSIONS / CIVIC ASSOCIATIONS / AC Livingston Ave. Area	CORD PARTNERS		
GROUP NAME Commission	MEETING DATE Februa	ry 17, 20	09
CASE NUMBER CV08-041 ZONING ADDRESS 657 S. Ohio Ave. PERSON(S) REPRESENTING APPLICANT AT MEET	Direction APPLICANT Families	s for You	th &
CONDITIONS REQUESTED BY GROUP (Add continuation Area commission see note at the bottom.	nuation sheet if needed)		at Response
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Recommendations			
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Signature / Title of Authorized Representative Daytime phone number			

NOTE TO AREA COMMISSIONS; Ordinances sent Council will contain only recommendations for "Approval" or "Disapproval." Recommendations for "Conditional Approval" will be treated as a "Disapproval." If, at the time the ordinance is sent to Council, any condition that has checked "No" on the Standardized Recommendation Form has not been resolved as documented in writing by the recommending body or party.

Certificate of Appropriateness **HISTORIC RESOURCES COMMISSION**

This Certificate of Appropriateness is <u>not</u> a zoning clearance or a building permit. This document does <u>not</u> relieve the applicant from the responsibility of filing for and obtaining any required zoning clearance (645-7314) and/or building permit (645-7433) from the City of Columbus Building & Development Services Division (757 Carolyn Ave.) and following all other applicable codes and ordinances of the City of Columbus.

PROPERTY ADDRESS : 657 South O District	Old Oaks Historic City of Columbus (Owner)		
APPLICANT'S NAME: Robert Davis,			
APPLICATION NO. : 08-11-7b	HEARING DATE:	May 21, 2009	EXPIRATION: May 21, 2010
The Historic Resources Commission here Certificate of Appropriateness are on file application and taken the following action guidelines:	with the city's Historic Pre	servation Office. T	he Commission has reviewed the
Approved: Exterior alterations p	er APPROVED SPECII	FICATIONS	
Recommendation for Approval: SPECIFICATIONS			ance per APPROVED
APPROVED SPECIFICATIONS: Recommend approval of the necessary Historic District, as indicated: CC3332.035—Use Variance to allow CC3332.21—Reduce the east yard set of the compact of the c	w a Youth Center to ope setback line to 0.0 ack from a required of 2 ent for building footprin te parking from a requir aber of loading spaces fr	erate on this site. 5% of site area to at for 50% of lot a ment of 271 cars om 1 to 0 (i. e. ex	5.95% (a reduction of 76%) rea to 70%. to 0 cars (i.e. existing condition)
Drawings Required			
This Certificate of Appropriateness is approved by the Commission, and sha			
Randy F. Black Historic Preservation Officer			

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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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STATE OF OHIO COUNTY OF FRANKLIN	APPLICATION #
deposes and states that (he/she) is the AFFOR SAME and the following is a list of all	PARKWAY TOWELL OH 43065 PLICANT, AGENT OF DULY AUTHORIZED ATTORNEY persons, other partnerships, corporations or see project which is the subject of this application
Address of co City, State, Zip Number of Co	dividual's address orporate headquarters
CITY OF COLUMBUS DEPT. FIHANCE & MAT 90 W. BROAD ST. COLUMBUS OH 43215 ATTEN: BEAL ESTATE MATOFFICE	DIRECTIONS FOR YOUTH & FAMILIES 1515 INDIAHOLA AVE COLUMBUS OH 43201 ATTEN: STEVE VOTAW
SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT Subscribed to me in my presence of December in the y SIGNATURE OF NOTARY PUBLIC My Commission Expires:	January 23, 2012. Spires six months after date of notarization.