



# Exhibit **B**

## Statement of Hardship

## CV16-054, 1607 Elmwood Avenue

The site is zoned R-4, Residential and is presently developed with a single family dwelling. Lot area is 6,390 SF. The site is adjacent to the W Fifth Avenue commercial corridor and extensive multi-family land use in the area. Applicant proposes to build a detached carriage house with first floor parking (3 spaces) and a second floor dwelling unit at the rear of the lot, behind the existing single family dwelling. There have been similar approved development proposals in the Fifth by Northwest Area Commission area. The area is characterized by 1 - 4 family dwellings and larger multi-family buildings in the R-4. The applicant is requesting a council variance to provide for appropriate residential development of the subject property that is consistent with other residential uses in the neighborhood.

A hardship exists in that two dwellings are appropriate and consistent with the mixed residential character and density of this neighborhood. The grant of these requested variances will not adversely affect the surrounding property or surrounding neighborhood, will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent properties or unreasonably increase the congestion of public streets, or unreasonably diminish or impair established property values within the surrounding area, or otherwise impair the public health, safety, comfort, morals, or welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Columbus. The applicant requests the grant of these variances necessary for this appropriate development of the property.

Applicant requests the following variances:

1). Section 3332.039, R-4, Residential District, permits 1 - 4 dwelling units in one building, while the applicant proposes two (2) separate buildings on the parcel with the existing single-family dwelling and proposed carriage house with garage parking and one (1) dwelling unit.

2). Section 3332.05, Area district lot width requirements, requires a minimum lot width of fifty (50) feet in the R-4, Residential District, while the applicant proposes two (2) detached dwellings on the existing platted 45-foot wide parcel.

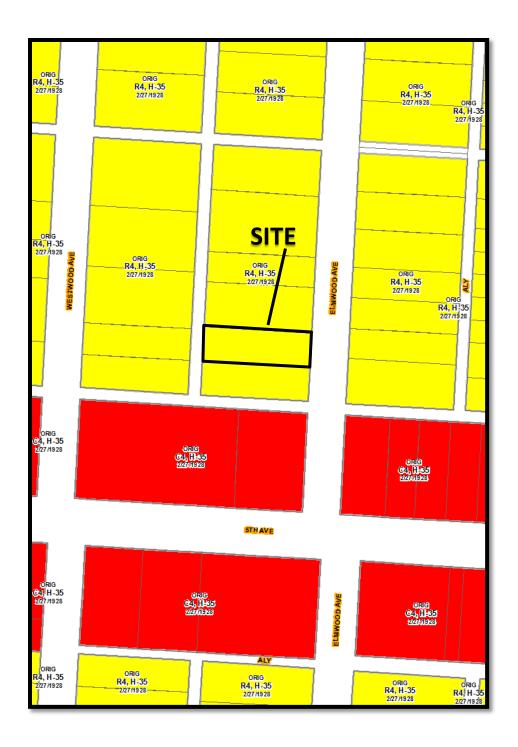
3). Section 3332.15, R-4 area district requirements, requires that a single family dwelling to be on a lot with area of 5,000 SF and a two-family dwelling on lot area of 6,000 SF, while applicant proposes a two (2) detached single family dwellings on the existing 6390± square foot lot.

4). Section 3332.19, Fronting on a public street, requires a dwelling unit to have frontage on a public street, while the lot has frontage, but the proposed carriage house doesn't directly front on a public street.

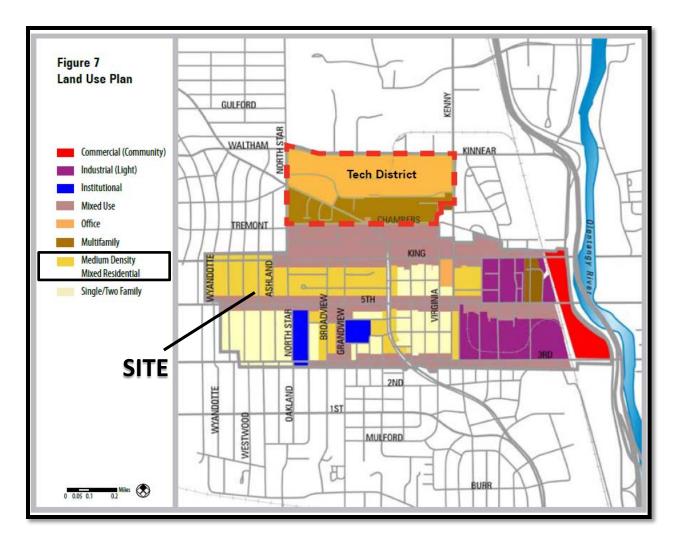
5). Section 3332.26 Minimum Side Yard, to reduce the required side yard from 5 feet to 4.5 feet for the proposed detached dwelling unit (carriage house) and to conform the existing side yard on the north side of the existing single-family structure which has a side yard of 4 feet, instead of the current required minimum of 5 feet.

6). Section 3332.27 Rear Yard, to reduce the required rear yard from 25% to 0% for the carriage house , while Rear Yard west of the existing single family dwelling, between the existing single family dwelling and the proposed carriage house, exceeds 25% of lot area, and applicant proposes yards as depicted on the Site Plan.

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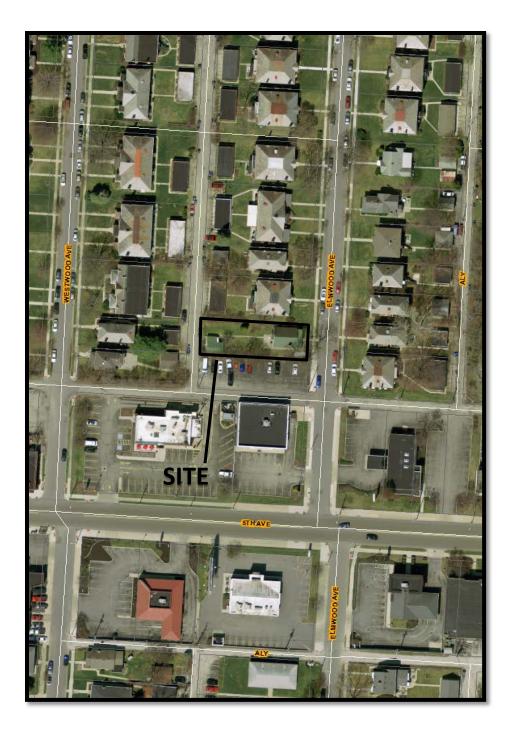


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Fifth by Northwest Neighborhood Plan (2009)

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## ORD # 1842-2017; CV16-054; Page 8 of 10 STANDARDIZED RECOMMENDATION FORM

**Department of Building & Zoning Services** Scott Messer, Director 757 Carolyn Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43224-3218 Phone: 614-645-7433 www.columbus.gov

#### FOR USE BY: AREA COMMISSION / COMMUNITY GROUP / HISTORIC ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

Case Number:	CV16-054
Address;	1607 Elmwood Avenue
Group Name:	5th by Northwest Area Commission
Meeting Date:	May 2, 2017
Specify Case Type:	<ul> <li>BZA Variance / Special Permit</li> <li>Council Variance</li> <li>Rezoning</li> <li>Graphics Variance / Plan / Special Permit</li> </ul>
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Please e-mail this form to the assigned planner within 48 hours of your meeting day; or FAX to Zoning at 614-645-2463; or MAIL to: Assigned Planner, City of Columbus, Department of Building & Zoning Services, 757 Carolyn Avenue, Columbus, OH 43224.

Applications must be submitted by appointment. Call (614) 645-4522 to schedule

Revised 10/16 stp

### **David Perry**

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Stargell, Reynaldo A. <RAStargell@columbus.gov> Wednesday, June 21, 2017 5:51 PM David Perry Lowe, Ryan J.; Blechschmidt, Daniel R. RE: 1607 Elmwood Ave. (CV16-054)

Dave,

My determination is that the driveway is approved to remain in place. Per our conversation yesterday, the driveway will be lengthened to accommodate current vehicle stacking requirements.

Let us know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Reynaldo A. Stargell, P.E. Traffic Management Division Administrator

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### **COUNCIL VARIANCE APPLICATION**

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#### PROJECT DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Parties having a 5% or more interest in the project that is the subject of this application.

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#### STATE OF OHIO COUNTY OF FRANKLIN

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deposes and states that (he) is the APPLICANT, AGENT, OR DULY AUTHORIZED ATTORNEY FOR SAME and the following is a list of all persons, other partnerships, corporations or entities having a 5% or more interest in the project which is the subject of this application in the following format:

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

<ol> <li>Eric J. and Carrie K. Cliffel 1834 Elmwood Avenue Columbus, Ohio 43212 # of Columbus Based Employees: 0 Contact: Eric J. Cliffel (614) 571-5980</li> </ol>	2.
3.	4.

Check here if listing additional property owners on a separate page.

SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT Sworn to before me and signed in my presence this  $\frac{13 \text{ th}}{13 \text{ th}}$  day of 2017 in the year Notary Seal Here 5-2018 SIGNATURE OF NOTARY PUBLIC My Commission Expires Stacey L. Danza Notary Public, State of Ohio My Commission Expires 11-05-2018 EASE NOTE: Incomplete information will result in the rejection of this submittal. Applications must be submitted by appointment. Call 614-645-4522 to schedule. Please make checks payable to the Columbus City Treasurer