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DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING AND ZONING SERVICES

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### **Department of Building & Zoning Services**

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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 conjuction 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 statement.				
Signature of Applicant Date 3 - 9 - 2016	/			
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# STATEMENT OF HARDSHIP (911 N. Fourth Street)

Pursuant to this Application, the property owner is proposing to develop a 7 unit residential project at 911 N. Fourth Street (the "Project"). Parcel 010-009792-00 is zoned R-4 and will have 7 townhomes with garages (the "R-4 Parcel"). The property owner previously filed an application with the The Italian Village Commission (the "Commission") that included the Project and a proposal to develop 20 additional residential units along with 1,230 square feet of retail space and a parking area on the property adjacent to the Project that lies on the other side of College Alley, which is zoned CPD (the "CPD Parcel"). Although the Commission conditionally approved the prior combined application, the Department of Building and Zoning Services ("Building Services") required that separate applications be filed since the R-4 Parcel and the CPD Parcel are bisected by College Alley. Further, Building Services identified additional variances that would be required. This Application seeks approval of these additional variances.<sup>1</sup>

The CPD zoning for the adjacent parcel that was completed in 2009 reflects City Council and the Italian Village Commissioners' desire that the property be more intensely developed as mixed-use. The Project will maintain College Alley and provide landscaping and open areas to enhance the property. Both parcels are also subject to the Urban Commercial Overlay.

Applicant submits that the Project meets both the Italian Village East Redevelopment Plan and the Short North Design Guidelines, as it does the following: (1)

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Several of the variances have already been approved by the Commission. However, for ease of reference all of the variances are included herein.

stimulates private investment in the area; (2) turns a vacant parking lot into town homes with front doors facing N. Fourth Street; (3) provides a mix of neighborhood commercial and residential; (4) provides open space with trees and enhances walkability in the area; (5) creates good, attractive utilization of a major street environment; and (6) is compatible with adjacent properties. In order for the project to be feasible, however, the following variances are needed: (1) allow 2 Dwellings; one with four Dwelling Units and one with 3 Dwelling Units (3332.039); (2) reduction in the number of parking spaces from 12 to 7<sup>2</sup> (3312.49 (C)); (3) increase in lot coverage from 50% to 85% (3332.15); (4) decrease in the side yard setback from 5 feet to 1 foot (3332.26); (4) allow the Project to front on College Alley, which is not a "public street" (3332.19); (5) a reduction in the R-4 area district requirements from 10,500 square feet to 7,405 square feet (3332.15); (6) reduction in the building lines to 5 feet 6 inches (3332.21); (7) reduction in the maximum side yards to 1 foot 2 inches (3332.25); (8) reduction in the rear yard to 1 foot (3332.27); (9) waive the requirement to provide an on-site dumpster; the Project will opt out of the City of Columbus refuse service and provide private hauling of refuse (1309.01); and (10) waive the requirement of a bulk storage location (3372.569).

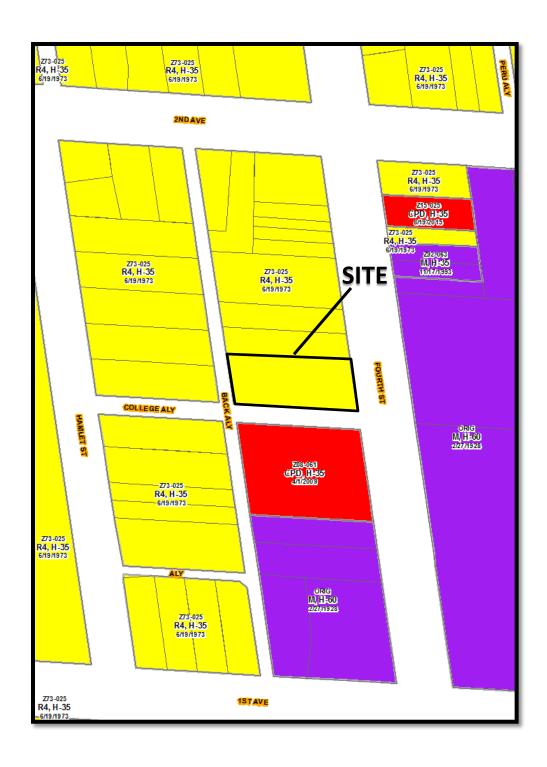
Construction of the Project in accordance with the proposed site plan will have little or no adverse effect on neighboring uses, and, in fact, will constitute a substantial improvement to the neighborhood.

Applicant submits that the Application satisfies the requirements of 3307.09. First, Applicant understands that prior redevelopment projects in the area have been granted similar variances. Second, the circumstances and conditions are not the result of actions of the property owner or Applicant, but are necessitated by the size and condition

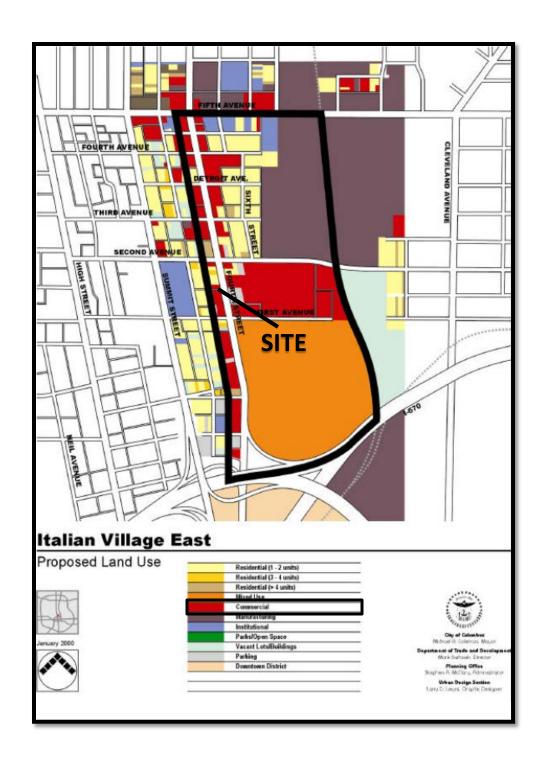
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Prior request was from 11 to 7, but Building Services calculates that 12 spaces are currently required.

of the available land. Located on a major thoroughfare, the site is not suitable for single family detached residential. Multifamily development mandates increased density to be feasible and this necessitates the requested variances. Third, granting of the requested variances will preserve a substantial property right that is possessed by owners of other properties in the area. Finally, granting the variances will not be injurious to neighboring properties and will not be contrary to the public interest or the intent and purpose of the Zoning Code.

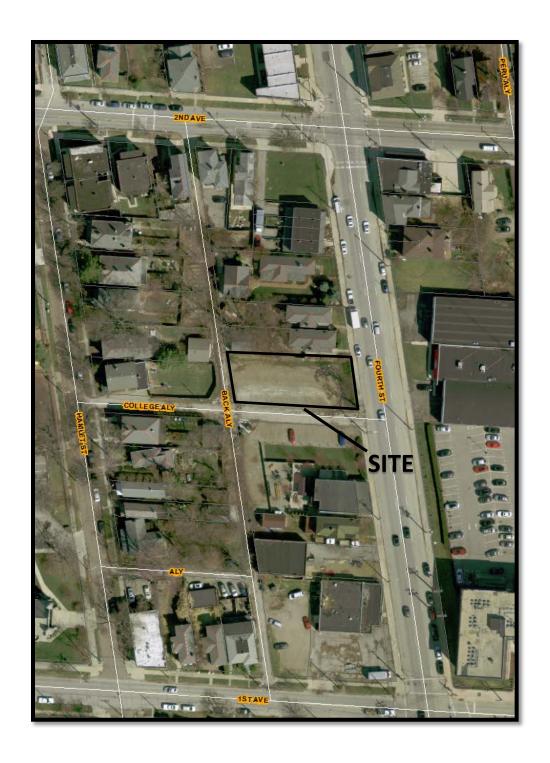
Applicant believes that the overall development of the Project in accordance with the site plan will actually benefit the neighborhood, meet the immediate neighborhood need for neighborhood commercial (a concept fully compatible with the historic use patterns in Columbus historic areas), and is consistent with the Italian Village East Redevelopment Plan, the Short North Guidelines and the Urban Commercial Overlay. As set forth above, the Project provides a mix of commercial and residential on the N. Fourth Street corridor, as well as trees, open space and better walkability in the area. For these reasons, Applicant respectfully requests that the above variances be granted.



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STEVEN R. SCHOENY
Director



DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT

# HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION ITALIAN VILLAGE COMMISSION

This is a recommendation to the appropriate regulatory body as identified per City Code. It is not a zoning clearance or a building permit. This document does not relieve the applicant from the responsibility of filing for and obtaining any required zoning clearance and/or building permit from the City of Columbus Department of Building & Zoning Services (645-6090 / 757 Carolyn Avenue) and following all other applicable codes and ordinances of the City of Columbus.

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PROPERTY ADDRESS: 911 North Fourth St APPLICANT'S NAME: John A. Gleason (Ap		Victor Investments, Ltd. (Owner)
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The Victorian Village Commission hereby certifies that the app with the city's Historic Preservation Office. The Commission h 3116 & 3319 and the architectural guidelines:	lication for the above referenced property as reviewed the application and taken the i	and a copy of this Certificate of Appropriateness are on file following action(s) in accordance with Columbus City Code
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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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