

### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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# ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS STAFF REPORT

FOR: City of Novi Zoning Board of Appeals ZONING BOARD APPEALS DATE: June 14, 2016

REGARDING: 26900 BECK RD & 47277 GRADN RIVER AVE (PZ16-0022), Parcel 50-22-16-151-012 &

50-2216-151-010

**BY:** Larry Butler, Deputy Director Community Development

### . GENERAL INFORMATION:

### **Applicant**

City of Novi-Public Services

### Variance Type

Dimensional Variance

### **Property Characteristics**

Zoning District: B-3 (General Business)

Location: South Grand River and east of Beck Road Parcel #: 50-22-16-151-012 & 50-22-16-151-010

### Request

The applicant is requesting a variance from the City of Novi Zoning Ordinance Section 3.1.12.D to allow a 10.0 ft. reduction in the required front setback measured from the existing 100 foot wide dedicated right-of-way along the Beck Road and Grand River frontage so the City's proposed Highway Easement does not impact future development of the parcels. The property is zoned B-3.

### **II. STAFF COMMENTS:**

### Proposed Changes

The applicant is requesting approval to reduce the existing 100 foot wide dedicated wright of way by 10ft so the proposed Highway Easement does not impact future development of the parcels.

### **III. RECOMMENDATION:**

The Zoning Board of Appeals may take one of the following actions:

1.	I	move	that	we	grant	the	variance	in	Case	No.	PZ16-0022,	sought	by for
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		(D)	The property is unique because
		(c)	Petitioner did not create the condition because
		(d)	The relief granted will not unreasonably interfere with adjacent or surrounding properties because
		(e)	The relief if consistent with the spirit and intent of the ordinance because
		(f)	The variance granted is subject to:
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2.	I 	mo	ve that we <u>deny</u> the variance in Case No. <b>PZ16-0022</b> , sought by
			because Petitioner has not shown cal difficulty requiring
	pro		The circumstances and features of the property including are not unique because they exist generally throughout the City.
		(b)	
		` /	The circumstances and features of the property relating to the variance request are self-created because
			self-created because
		(c)	self-created because  The failure to grant relief will result in mere inconvenience or inability to attain higher
		(c)	The failure to grant relief will result in mere inconvenience or inability to attain higher economic or financial return based on Petitioners statements that  The variance would result in interference with the adjacent and surrounding properties

Should you have any further questions with regards to the matter please feel free to contact me at (248) 347-0423.

Larry Butler
Deputy Director Community Development

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# ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS APPLICATION

APPLICATION MUST BE FILLED OUT COMPLETELY

II: PROPERTY INFORMATION (Add	ress of subject ZBA C	ase)	Application Fee: $\underline{\$}$	30000
PROJECT NAME / SUBDIVISION  Grand River Avenue Dual Left Turr	Lane at Beck Road			14-16
ADDRESS		LOT/SIUTE/SPACE #	Meeting Date: 💇	
26900 Beck and 47277 Grand Rive			ZBA Case #: PZ	5600-
50-22-16-151-012 and 50-22-16		btained from the Department 0485	2511 0400 11 12	
CROSS ROADS OF PROPERTY GRAND RIVER AND BECK ROAD				
IS THE PROPERTY WITHIN A HOMEOWNER'S ASS	OCIATION JURISDICTION?	REQUEST IS FOR:		
YES x NO		RESIDENTIAL CON	MMERCIAL X VACANT PR	OPERTY LI SIGNAGE
DOES YOUR APPEAL RESULT FROM A NOT				
II. APPLICANT INFORMATION				<b>建设设施工程</b>
A. APPLICANT	EMAIL ADDRESS		CELL PHONE NO.	!
NAME PUBLIC SERVICES			TELEPHONE NO.	
ORGANIZATION/COMPANY			FAX NO.	
CITY OF NOVI	T	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
FIELD SERVICES COMPLEX		NOVI	MI	48375
26300 LEE BEGOLE DRIVE				
	ERE IF APPLICANT IS ALSO  EMAIL ADDRESS	THE PROPERTY OWNER	CELL PHONE NO.	
Identify the person or organization that owns the subject property:	LIMAIL ADDICESS		CELETTIONE NO.	
NAME	OUEN ECONIDE		TELEPHONE NO.	
JOANNE WARD C/O H. ADAM CO	DHEN, ESQUIRE		FAX NO.	
STEINHARDT PESICK & COHEN PO			1700110	
ADDRESS		СПҮ	STATE	ZIP CODE
380 N OLD WOODWARD AVE STE	E 120	BIRMINGHAM	MI	48009-5307
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B. VARIANCE REQUESTED				
INDICATE ORDINANCE SECTION (S) AND	VARIANCE REQUESTED:			
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	Multiple/Commercial/Industrial \$300	tion) \$400 🗌 Signs \$300 🗎 (With Violation) \$400
	House Moves \$300 ☐ Special Me	etings (At discretion of Board) \$600
В.	DRAWINGS 1-COPY & 1 DIGITAL COPY SUBMITTED	AS A PDF
• 1	Dimensioned Drawings and Plans	<ul> <li>Existing &amp; proposed distance to adjacent property lines</li> </ul>
• 5	Site/Plot Plan	<ul> <li>Location of existing &amp; proposed signs, if applicable</li> </ul>
	Existing or proposed buildings or addition on the prope	rty • Floor plans & elevations
•	Number & location of all on-site parking, if applicable	<ul> <li>Any other information relevant to the Variance application</li> </ul>



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There is a live-(5) hold period before work/action can be taken an variance approvals.  B. SION CASES (ONLY) Your signature on this application indicates that you agree to install a Mock-Up Sign ign-(10) days before the scheduled ZBA meeting. Fallure to install a mock-up sign may result in your case not being heard by the Board, postponed to the next schedule ZBA meeting. Can cancelled. A mock-up sign is Not to be an actival sign, Upon approval, the mock-up sign may be removed within three-(5) days of the meeting. If the case is denied, the applicant is responsible for all costs involved in the mock-up or actual sign (if erected under violation) within five-(5) days of the meeting.  C. ORDINANCE City of Novi Ordinance, Section 3107 - Miscellaneous  No order of the Board permitting the erection of a building shall be valid for a period longer than one-(1) year, unless a building period of the mock-up or attention is started and proceeds to completion in accordance with the terms of such permit.  No order of the Board permitting a use of a building shall be valid for a period longer than one-(1) year, unless a despin-(180) days unless such use is established within such a period; provided, however, where such use permitted is dependent upon the exection or alteration of a building such arder shall confinue in force and effect if a building permit for such erection or alteration is obtained within one-(1) year and such erection or alteration is started and proceeds to completion in accordance with the terms of such permit.  D. APPEAL THE DETERMINATION OF THE BUILDING OFFICIAL  PERASE TAKE NOTICE:  The undersigned hereby appeals the defarmination of the Building Official / Inspector or Ordinance made  CONSTRUCT NEW HOME/BUILDING ADDITION TO EXISTING HOME/BUILDING SIGNAGE  APPLICANT & PROCEETY SIGNATURES  A. APPLICANT & PROCEETY SIGNATURES  A. APPLICANT & PROCEETY SIGNATURES  B. PROPERTY OWNER  If the applicant is not the owner, the property owner must read and sign below:  Property Owner Signature  Date  Controlled		
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# REVIEW STANDARDS DIMENSIONAL VARIANCE

The Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) will review the application package and determine if the proposed Dimensional Variance meets the required standards for approval. In the space below, and on additional paper if necessary, explain how the proposed project meets each of the following standards. (Increased costs associated with complying with the Zoning Ordinance will not be considered a basis for granting a Dimensional Variance.)

### Standard #1. Circumstances or Physical Conditions.

Explain the circumstances or physical conditions that apply to the property that do not apply generally to other properties in the same zoning district or in the general vicinity. Circumstances or physical conditions may include:

a.	•		allowness or shape of a specific property Zoning Ordinance or amendment.
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	other extraordinary	situations on the land	ppographic or environmental conditions or d, building or structure.
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		and/o	Or .
C.	Abutting Property. T	ne use or developme	ent of the property immediately adjacent
٠.	0 .	•	e literal enforcement of the requirements
		•	e significant practical difficulties.
	☐ Not Applicable		If applicable, describe below:

### Standard #2. Not Self-Created.

Describe the immediate practical difficulty causing the need for the Dimensional Variance, that the need for the requested variance is not the result of actions of the property owner or previous property owners (i.e., is not self-created).

### Standard #3. Strict Compliance.

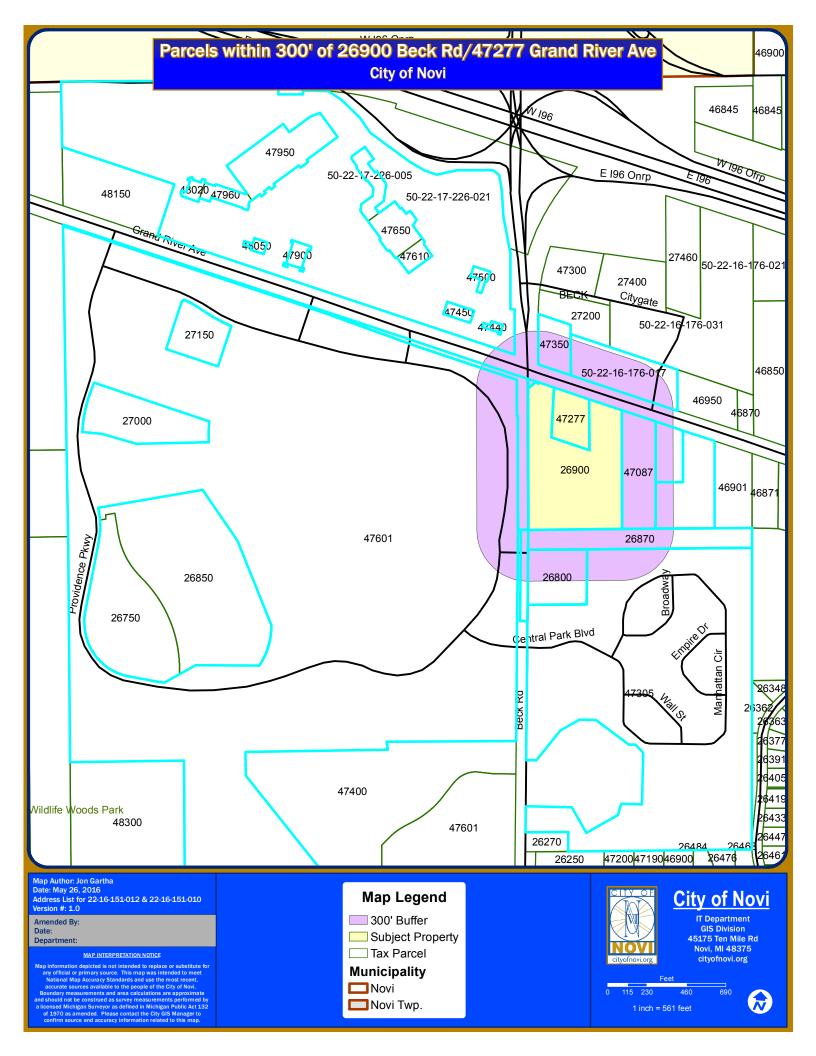
Explain how the Dimensional Variance in strict compliance with regulations governing area, setback, frontage, height, bulk, density or other dimensional requirements will unreasonably prevent the property owner from using the property for a permitted purpose, or will render conformity with those regulations unnecessarily burdensome.

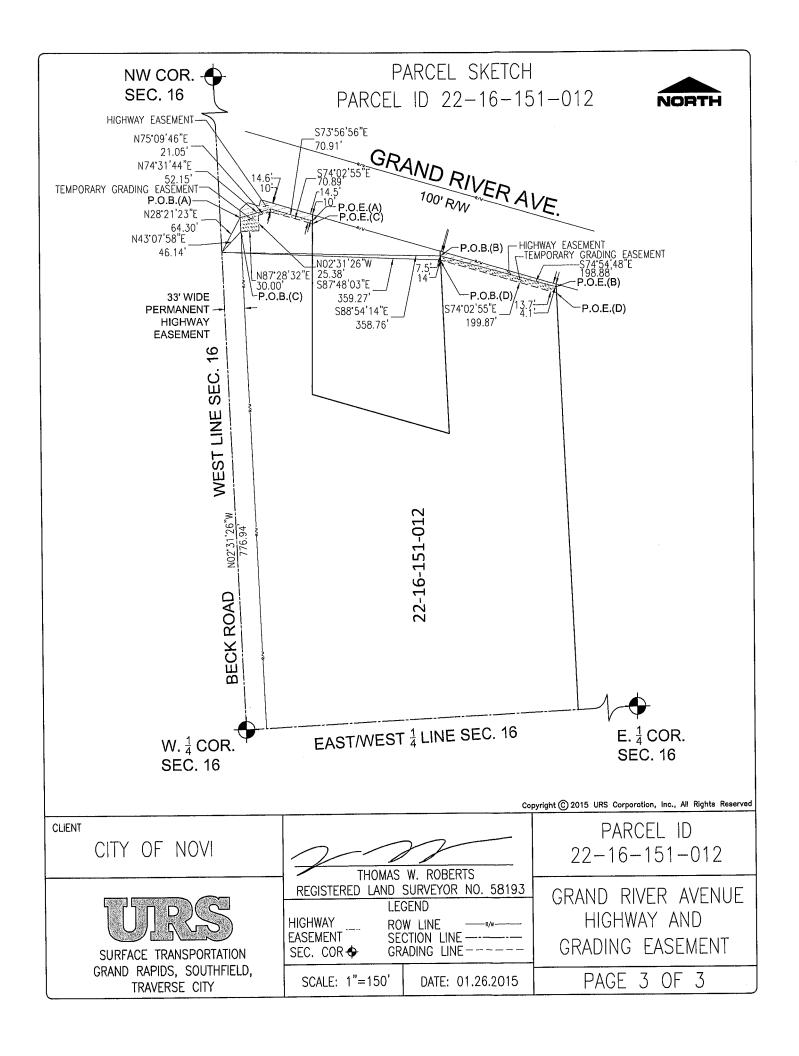
### Standard #4. Minimum Variance Necessary.

Explain how the Dimensional Variance requested is the minimum variance necessary to do substantial justice to the applicant as well as to other property owners in the district.

### Standard #5. Adverse Impact on Surrounding Area.

Explain how the Dimensional Variance will not cause an adverse impact on surrounding property, property values, or the use and enjoyment of property in the neighborhood or zoning district.





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a.	Shape of Lot. Exceptional narrowness, shallowness or shape of a specific property in existence on the effective date of the Zoning Ordinance or amendment.  Not Applicable
b.	<ul> <li>and/or</li> <li>Environmental Conditions. Exceptional topographic or environmental conditions or other extraordinary situations on the land, building or structure.</li> <li>Not Applicable</li></ul>
	and/or
c.	Abutting Property. The use or development of the property immediately adjacent to the subject property would prohibit the literal enforcement of the requirements of the Zoning Ordinance or would involve significant practical difficulties.  ☐ Not Applicable ☑ Applicable If applicable, describe below:
	The City of Novi with be constructing additional left hand turn lanes along Grand River at the intersection of Beck Road. The new turn lanes require an existing pathway crossing the two subject parcels, as well as existing utility poles, to be moved southward into the parcels. The City is taking a Highway Easement in order to shift the pathway and utility poles to accommodate the new turn lanes. The Highway Easement width will vary but at its widest point will be approximately 10-feet wide. The City is also taking a temporary construction easement that will terminate at the end of the project and will have no long-term impact on the use of the parcels. The City is seeking a 10 -foot wide variance to allow the property's setbacks to be measured from the existing dedicated Grand River right-of-way instead of from the back of the Highway Easement. This will reduce or eliminate the Highway Easement's impact on the use or development of the parcels.

### Standard #2. Not Self-Created.

Describe the immediate practical difficulty causing the need for the Dimensional Variance, that the need for the requested variance is not the result of actions of the property owner or previous property owners (i.e., is not self-created).

The Owner of the Parcels, Joanne Ward, has not created the practical difficulty, rather the City's Grand River Dual Left Project necessitates the shifting of the pathway and utility poles and the creation of the new easement to accommodate them thereby impacting the setback of the parcels.

### Standard #3. Strict Compliance.

Explain how the Dimensional Variance in strict compliance with regulations governing area, setback, frontage, height, bulk, density or other dimensional requirements will unreasonably prevent the property owner from using the property for a permitted purpose, or will render conformity with those regulations unnecessarily burdensome.

If the Property Owner is required to comply with the City's Zoning Ordinance requirements for setbacks, the Property Owner's development options for the parcel would be reduced based on the loss of the 10-feet of setback which would cause any building or surrounding improvements to be reduced in size. This could cause the parcels to be worth less and result in the City paying increased just compensation for the Highway Easement.

### Standard #4. Minimum Variance Necessary.

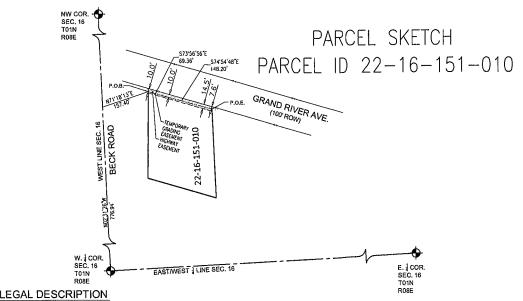
Explain how the Dimensional Variance requested is the minimum variance necessary to do substantial justice to the applicant as well as to other property owners in the district.

The 10-foot variance is the minimum variance that can be provided to allow the Property Owner to eliminate or reduce the impact of the Highway Easement on the parcels. Allowing the setback to be measured from the existing dedicated right-of-way would allow the Property Owner to construct the same size development as permitted had the City's road project not required the relocation of the pathway and utility poles.

### Standard #5. Adverse Impact on Surrounding Area.

Explain how the Dimensional Variance will not cause an adverse impact on surrounding property, property values, or the use and enjoyment of property in the neighborhood or zoning district.

The setback variance will not have an impact on the surrounding area because any building would likely be constructed in the same location that it would have been without the pathway being shifted. A building/development will just be closer to the pathway than it otherwise would have been.



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### **Community Development Department**

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# ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS APPLICATION

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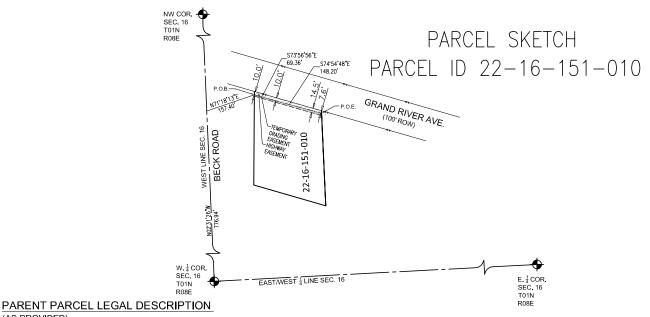
I. PROPERTY INFORMATION (Addre	ss of subject ZBA Ca	se)	Application Fee:	
PROJECT NAME / SUBDIVISION  Grand River Avenue Dual Left Turn L	ane at Beck Road		Meeting Date:	
ADDRESS		LOT/SIUTE/SPACE #	Meening Date	
26900 Beck and 47277 Grand River	May be ob	tained from the	ZBA Case #: PZ	
50-22-16-151-012 and 50-22-16-1	51-010 Assessing D (248) 347-0	epartment		
CROSS ROADS OF PROPERTY GRAND RIVER AND BECK ROAD		_		
IS THE PROPERTY WITHIN A HOMEOWNER'S ASSO	CIATION JURISDICTION?	REQUEST IS FOR:		ODEDTY DISCHAGE
YES x NO		·	MMERCIAL X VACANT PR	OPERTY LI SIGNAGE
DOES YOUR APPEAL RESULT FROM A NOTIC	CE OF VIOLATION OR C	ITATION ISSUED?	YES X NO	
II. APPLICANT INFORMATION	EMAIL ADDRESS		CELL PHONE NO.	
A. APPLICANT	ENTINAL NO BILLOO			
NAME			TELEPHONE NO.	
PUBLIC SERVICES  ORGANIZATION/COMPANY			FAX NO.	
CITY OF NOVI		CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
ADDRESS FIELD SERVICES COMPLEX		NOVI	MI	48375
26300 LEE BEGOLE DRIVE				
B. PROPERTY OWNER	RE IF APPLICANT IS ALSO EMAIL ADDRESS	THE PROPERTY OWNER	CELL PHONE NO.	
owns the subject property:	ENVILLY (BOXIES)			
NAME JOANNE WARD C/O H. ADAM CO	HEN ESCHIRE		TELEPHONE NO.	
ORGANIZATION/COMPANY	TILIN, LOQUINE		FAX NO.	
STEINHARDT PESICK & COHEN PC				
ADDRESS		CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
380 N OLD WOODWARD AVE STE	120	BIRMINGHAM	MI	48009-5307
III. ZONING INFORMATION				
A. ZONING DISTRICT				
□ R-A □ R-1 □ R-2	□ R-3 □ R-4	$\square$ RM-1 $\square$ RM-2	☐ MH	
☐ I-1 ☐ I-2 ☐ RC	☐ TC ☐ TC-1	X OTHER B-3		
B. VARIANCE REQUESTED				
INDICATE ORDINANCE SECTION (S) AND \				D I I I I I
1. Section 3.1.12.D Variance red				
way from the Beck Road and	d Grand River fronta	ge so the City's propos	ed Highway Easement d	oes not impact
future development of the p				
2. SectionV				
3. SectionV	ariance requested			
4. SectionV	ariance requested			
IV. FEES AND DRAWINGS				
A. FEES				
☐ Single Family Residential (Existing	1) \$200 🗌 (With Violo	ation) \$250 🗌 Single Fo	amily Residential (New) S	\$250



☐ Multiple/Commercial/Industrial \$30	00 🗌 (With Violation) \$400 🗀 Signs \$300 🗀 (With Violation) \$400
☐ House Moves \$300	□ Special Meetings (At discretion of Board) \$600
B. DRAWINGS 1-COPY & 1 DIGITA	L COPY SUBMITTED AS A PDF
Dimensioned Drawings and Plans	<ul> <li>Existing &amp; proposed distance to adjacent property lines</li> </ul>
Site/Plot Plan	<ul> <li>Location of existing &amp; proposed signs, if applicable</li> </ul>
Existing or proposed buildings or add	
<ul> <li>Number &amp; location of all on-site part</li> </ul>	king, if applicable  • Any other information relevant to the Variance application



V. VARIANCE A. VARIANCE (S) REQUESTED	
X DIMENSIONAL USE SIGN	
There is a five-(5) hold period before work/action can be taken on variance approvals.	
B. SIGN CASES (ONLY) Your signature on this application indicates that you agree to install a Mock-Up Sign ter ZBA meeting. Failure to install a mock-up sign may result in your case not being heard b schedule ZBA meeting, or cancelled. A mock-up sign is NOT to be an actual sign. Upon be removed within five-(5) days of the meeting. If the case is denied, the applicant is re the removal of the mock-up or actual sign (if erected under violation) within five-(5) days	y the Board, postponed to the next approval, the mock-up sign must sponsible for all costs involved in
C. ORDINANCE	
City of Novi Ordinance, Section 3107 – Miscellaneous	
No order of the Board permitting the erection of a building shall be valid for a period lor building permit for such erection or alteration is obtained within such period and such e proceeds to completion in accordance with the terms of such permit.	
No order of the Board permitting a use of a building or premises shall be valid for a period eighty-(180) days unless such use is established within such a period; provided, however dependent upon the erection or alteration of a building such order shall continue in for such erection or alteration is obtained within one-(1) year and such erection or alteration in accordance with the terms of such permit.	r, where such use permitted is ce and effect if a building permit
D. APPEAL THE DETERMINATION OF THE BUILDING OFFICIAL	
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:	
The undersigned hereby appeals the determination of the Building Official / Inspector of	or Ordinance made
$\square$ Construct New Home/Building $\square$ Addition to existing Home/Building $\square$	SIGNAGE
□ ACCESSORY BUILDING □ USE □ OTHER	
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