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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS SPECIAL MEETING ELECTRONIC PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

April 29, 2021 at 6:00 PM

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RESIDENTS MAY CALL IN VIA: 1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago) or 1 888 788 0099 US Toll-free Meeting ID: 859 2645 3364

- 1. Call to Order/Roll Call
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Approval of Agenda
- 4. Approval of Minutes
- 5. Continuing Business
- 6. New Business:

a.	Applicant:	Creative Custom Builders 7655 Highland Road, Ste 202 Waterford, MI 48327
	Location:	4398 Clare Lane White Lake, MI 48383 identified as 12-08-251-027
	Request:	The applicant requests to construct a single-family house, requiring a variance from Article 3.11.J, Minimum Floor Area to construct a house that does not meet the minimum living space requirement.
b.	Applicant:	Michael Lemon 4400 McKeachie Road White Lake, MI 48383
	Location:	4400 McKeachie Road White Lake, MI 48383 identified as 12-08-251-003
	Request:	The applicant requests to install a residential swimming pool, requiring a variance from Article 5.10, Swimming Pools to install the pool in the front yard.

- 7. Other Business
- 8. Next Meeting Date: May 27, 2021 Regular Meeting
- 9. Adjournment

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Participants may also choose to submit written comments that will be read into record during public comment by the Chairperson of the ZBA. Submit any written comments via e-mail to Hmicallef@whitelaketwp.com by Noon, April 28, 2021, the day before the meeting.

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WHITE LAKE TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

REPORT OF THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

- TO: Zoning Board of Appeals
- FROM: Justin Quagliata, Staff Planner
- DATE: April 29, 2021
- Agenda item:6aAppeal Date:April 29, 2021Applicant:Creative Custom BuildersAddress:7655 Highland Road, Ste 202
Waterford, MI 48327Zoning:SF Suburban FarmsLocation:4398 Clare Lane
White Lake, MI 48383

Property Description

The 2.011-acre parcel identified as 4398 Clare Lane is located on the east side of Clare Lane, south of Brendel Road, and zoned SF (Suburban Farms).

Applicant's Proposal

Creative Custom Builders, the applicant, is proposing to construct a house with floor area less than the minimum living space requirement.

Planner's Report

Article 3, Section 11.J.iii of the zoning ordinance states the minimum floor area for a two-story single-family house is 1,500 square feet, with 900 square feet minimum on the ground floor. The proposed house is 705 square feet on the first floor, 487 square feet on the second floor, with total floor area of 1,192 square feet. A variance of 195 square feet is requested for the ground floor area, and a variance of 308 square feet is requested for the overall floor area.

The applicant stated in their application a wrap-around porch would make the house appear larger and have a larger footprint than the minimum living space requirement. The zoning ordinance specifically states the minimum floor area per dwelling unit shall not include area of basements, open unheated breezeways, open unheated porches (including decks), attached garages or utility rooms. Additionally, the applicant mentioned purchasing house plans and development costs in their application as reasons to support the request. The zoning ordinance prohibits the Zoning Board of Appeals from considering economic hardship or financial issues when deciding a variance request.

The subject site is two (2) acres in size. Constructing a house below the minimum floor area requirement is essentially, for all intents and purposes, creating a tiny house on a parcel which will be surrounded by homes averaging 2,000-3,000 square feet in size. The house plans provided by the applicant are titled "Cottage Design." Cabins/cottages typically do not exceed 700 square feet in total area, so it may have been evident the proposed plans do not meet the Township's minimum floor area requirement. The applicant will need to demonstrate a practical difficulty exists on the subject site, and unique circumstances exist that are peculiar to the land which are not applicable to other land in same zoning district or the vicinity.

The requested variances are listed in the following table.

Variance #	Ordinance Section	Subject	Standard	Requested Variance	Result
1	Article 3.11.J	Minimum floor area	1,500 square feet, with 900 square feet min. on ground floor	195 square feet ground floor, 308 square feet overall	705 square feet ground floor, 1,192 square feet overall

Zoning Board of Appeals Options:

Approval: I move to approve the variances requested by Creative Custom Builders from Article 3.11.J of the Zoning Ordinance for Parcel Number 12-08-251-027, identified as 4398 Clare Lane, in order to construct a single-family house with 705 square feet on the first floor and total floor area of 1,192 square feet. This approval will have the following conditions:

• The Applicant shall obtain all necessary permits from the White Lake Township Building Department.

Denial: I move to deny the variances requested by Creative Custom Builders for Parcel Number 12-08-251-027, identified as 4398 Clare Lane, due to the following reason(s):

Table: I move to table the variance requests of Creative Custom Builders for Parcel Number 12-08-251-027, identified as 4398 Clare Lane, to consider comments stated during this public hearing.

Attachments:

- 1. Variance application dated January 27, 2021.
- 2. Plot plan dated March 29, 2021.
- 3. Cottage plans Feb. 2011.
- 4. Photos provided by the applicant.

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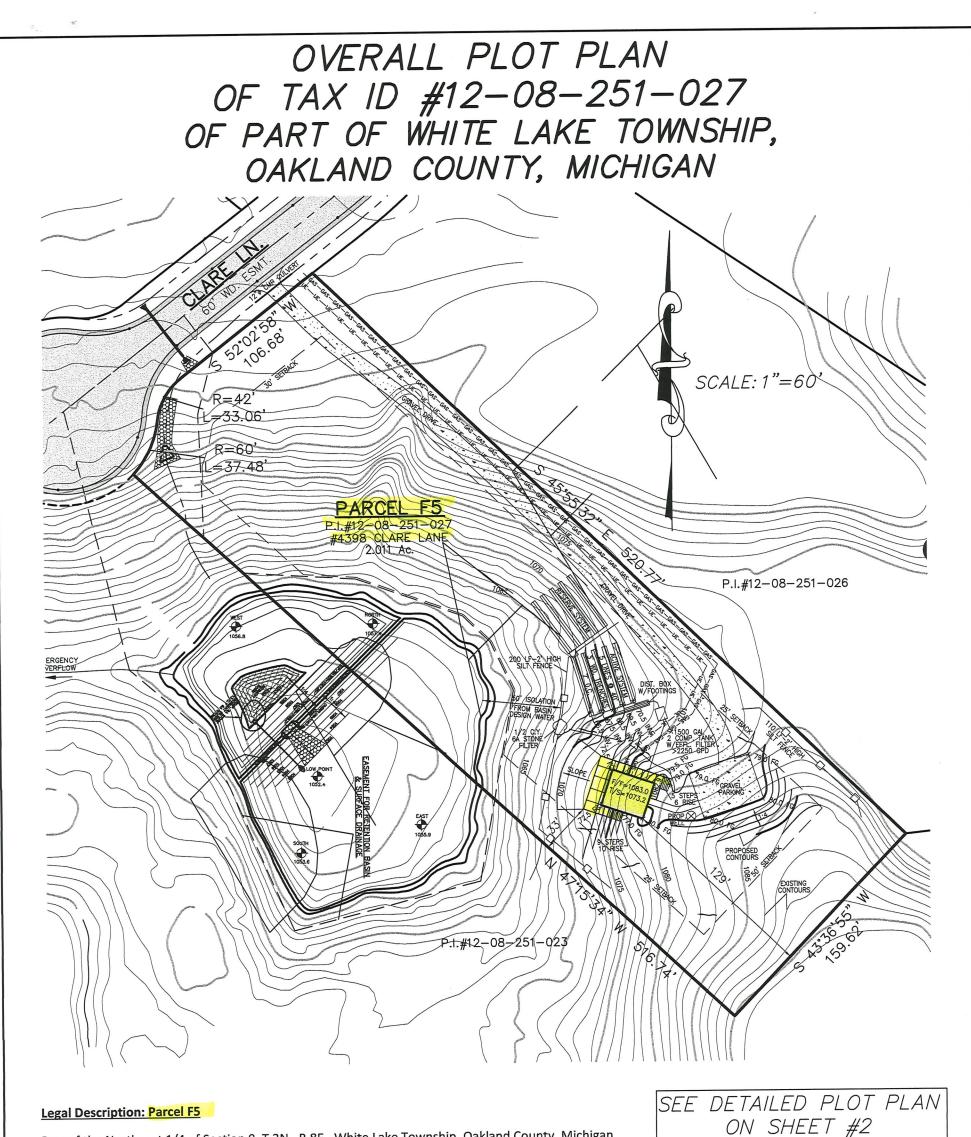
General variances: The Zoning Board of Appeals may authorize a variance from the strict application of the area or dimensional standard of this Ordinance when the applicant demonstrates <u>all</u> of the following conditions "A – E" or condition F applies.

- A. Practical difficulty: A practical difficulty exists on the subject site (such as exceptional narrowness, shallowness, shape or area; presence of floodplain; exceptional topographic conditions) and strict compliance with the zoning ordinance standards would unreasonably prevent the owner from using of the subject site for a permitted use or would render conformity unnecessarily burdensome. Demonstration of a practical difficulty shall have a bearing on the subject site or use of the subject site, and not to the applicant personally. Economic hardship or optimum profit potential are not considerations for practical difficulty.
- B. Unique situation: The demonstrated practical difficult results from exceptional or extraordinary circumstances or conditions applying to the subject site at the time the Ordinance was adopted or amended which are different than typical properties in the same zoning district or the vicinity.

- C. Not self created: The applicants problem is not self created.
- D. Substantial justice: The variance would provide substantial justice by granting the property rights similar to those enjoyed by the majority of other properties in the vicinity, and other properties in the same zoning district. The decision shall not bestow upon the property special development rights not enjoyed by other properties in the same district, or which might result in substantial adverse impacts on properties in the vicinity (such as the supply of light and air, significant increases in traffic, increased odors, an increase in the danger of fire, or other activities which may endanger the public safety, comfort, morals or welfare).
- E. Minimum variance necessary: The variance shall be the minimum necessary to grant relief created by the practical difficulty.
- F. Compliance with other laws: The variance is the minimum necessary to comply with state or federal laws, including but not necessarily limited to:
 - The Michigan Right to Farm Act (P.A. 93 of 1981) and the farming activities the Act protects;
 - ii. The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (as amended), and the needs of handicapped individuals the Act protects, including accessory facilities, building additions, building alterations, and site improvements which may not otherwise meet a strict application of the standards of this Ordinance.

Under no circumstances shall the Board of Appeals grant a variance to allow a use not permissible under the terms of this Ordinance in the district involved, or any use expressly or by implication prohibited by the terms of this Ordinance in said district.

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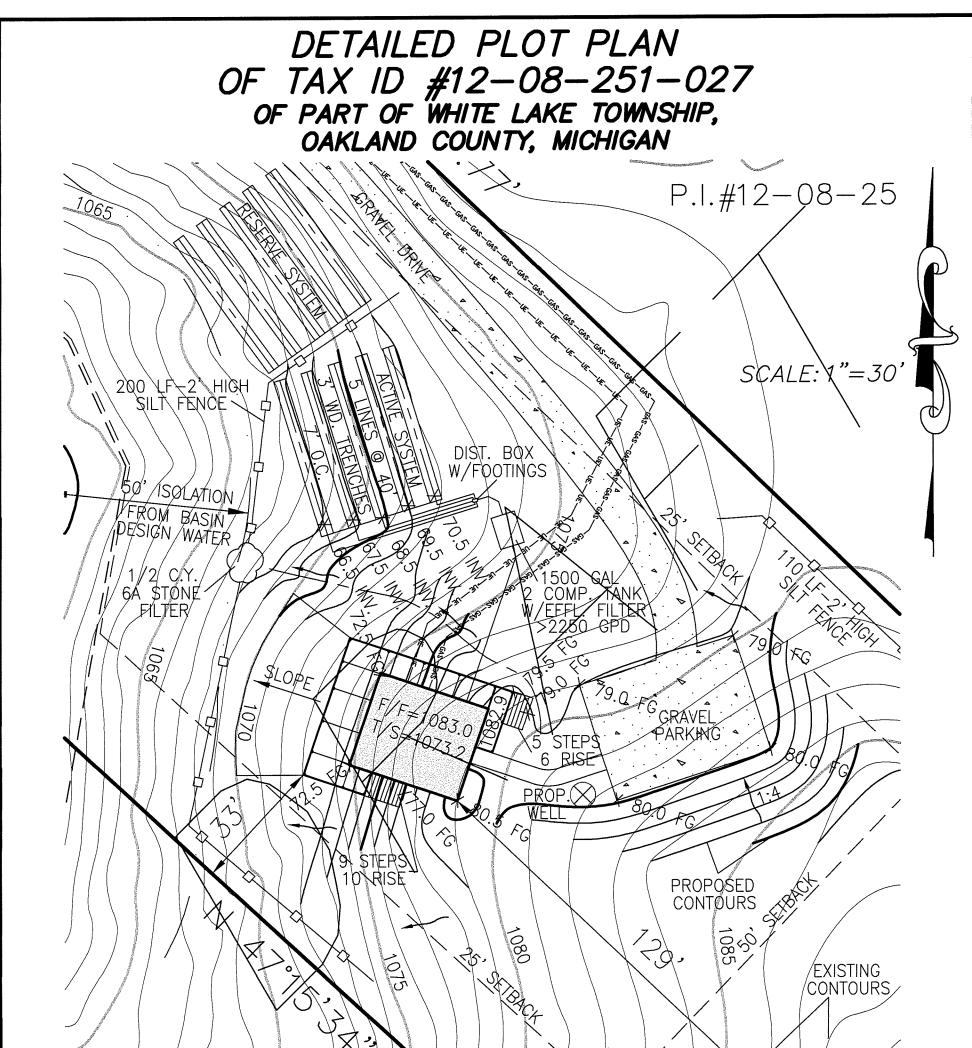
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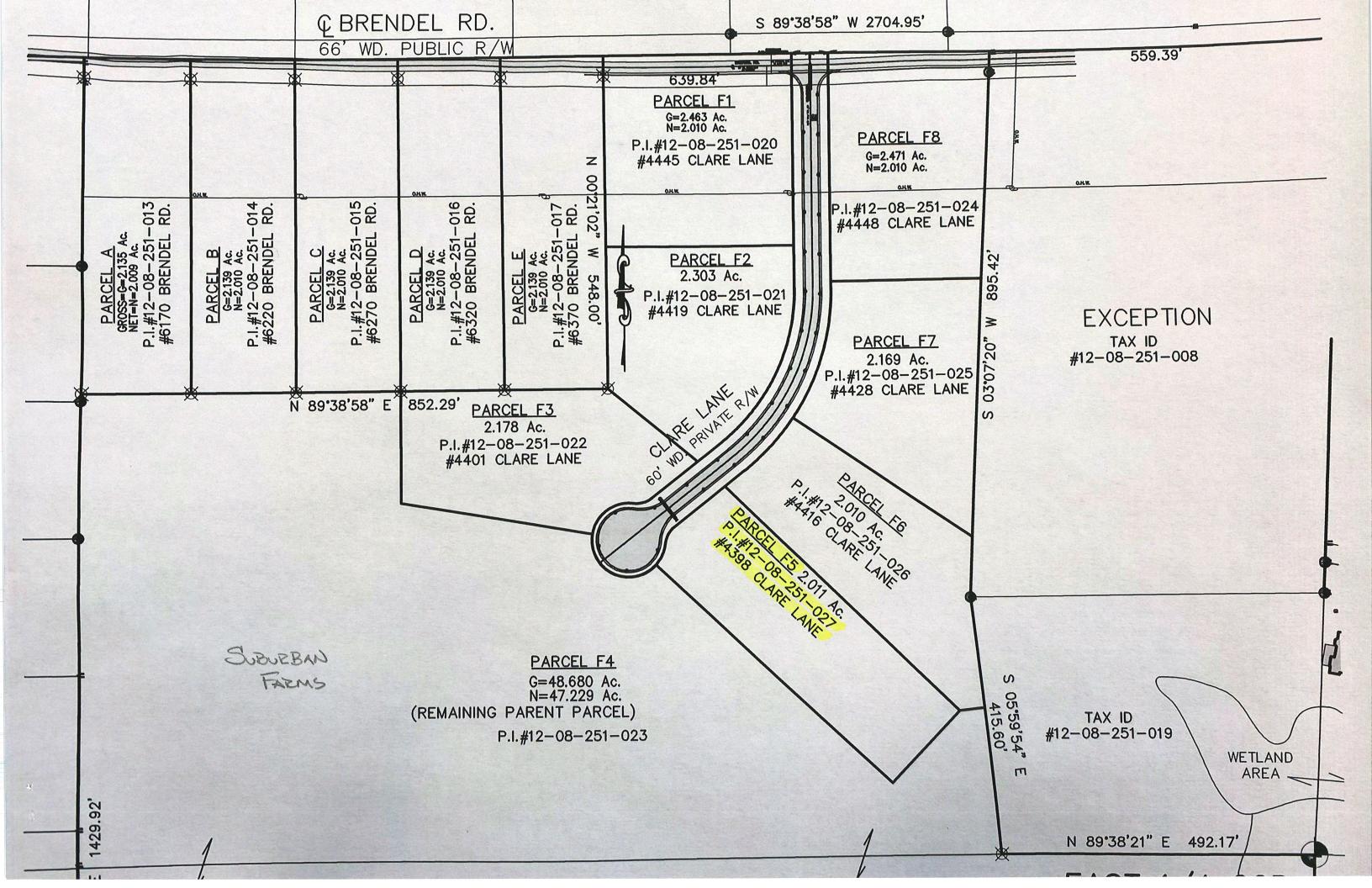
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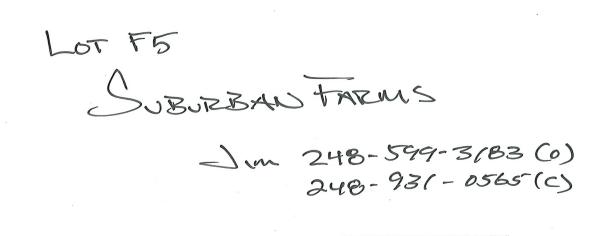
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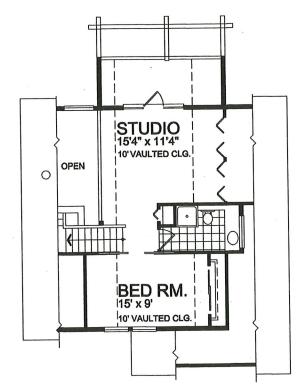
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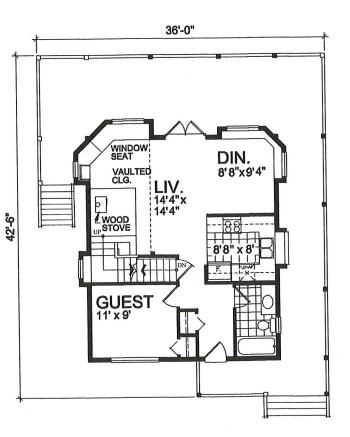






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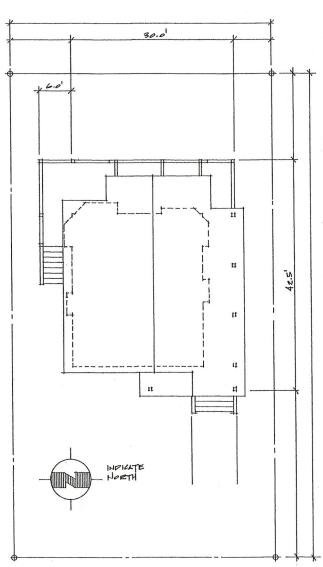
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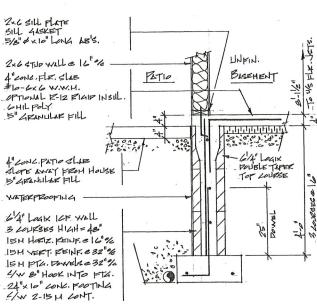
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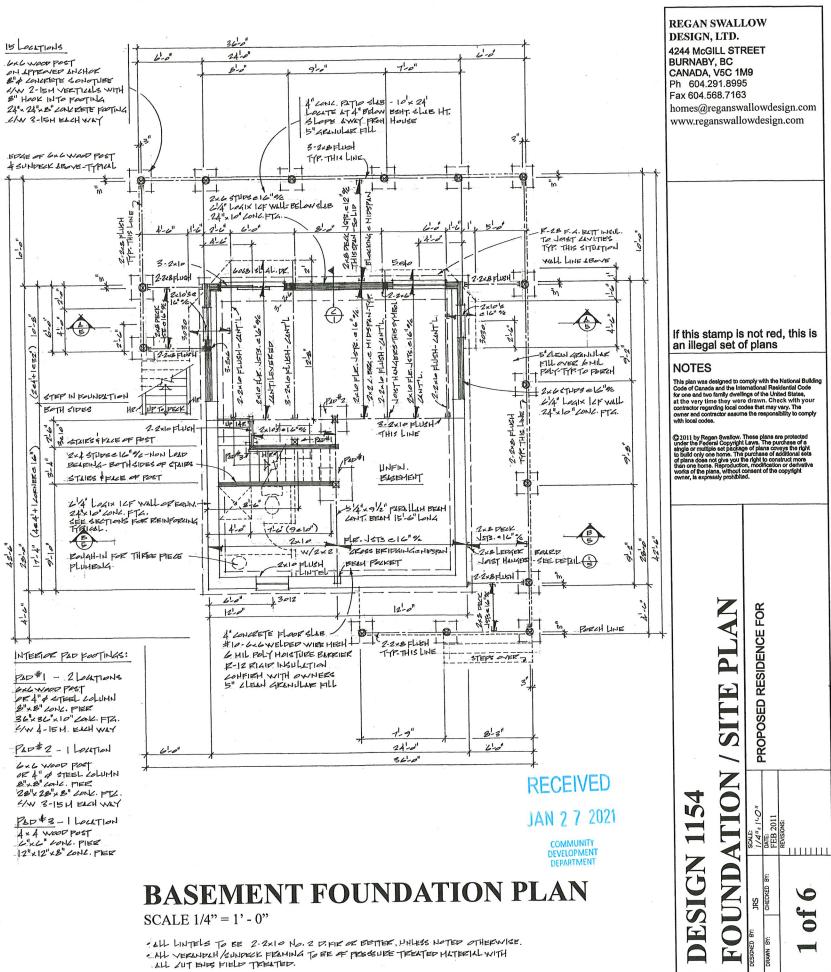
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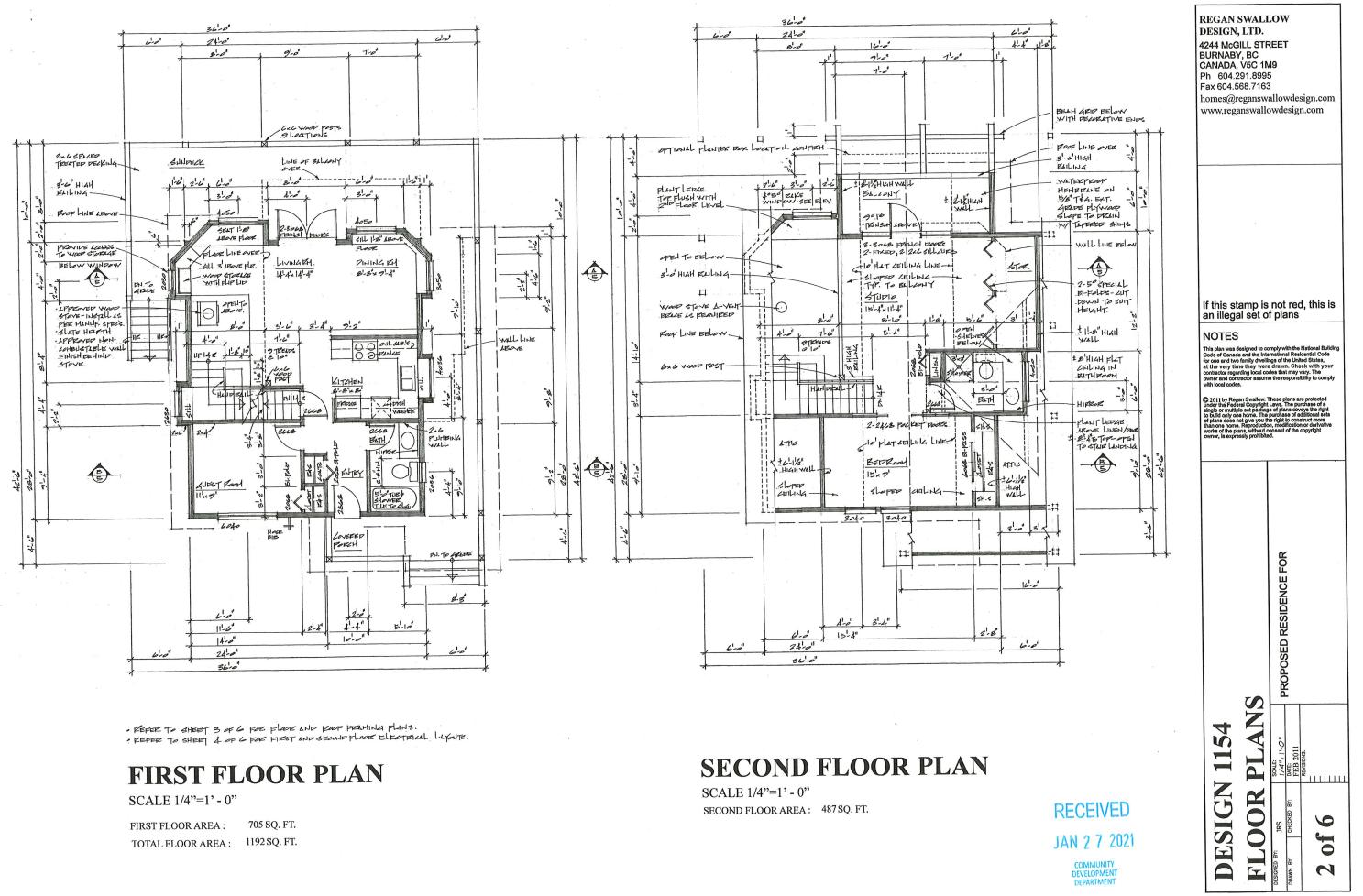
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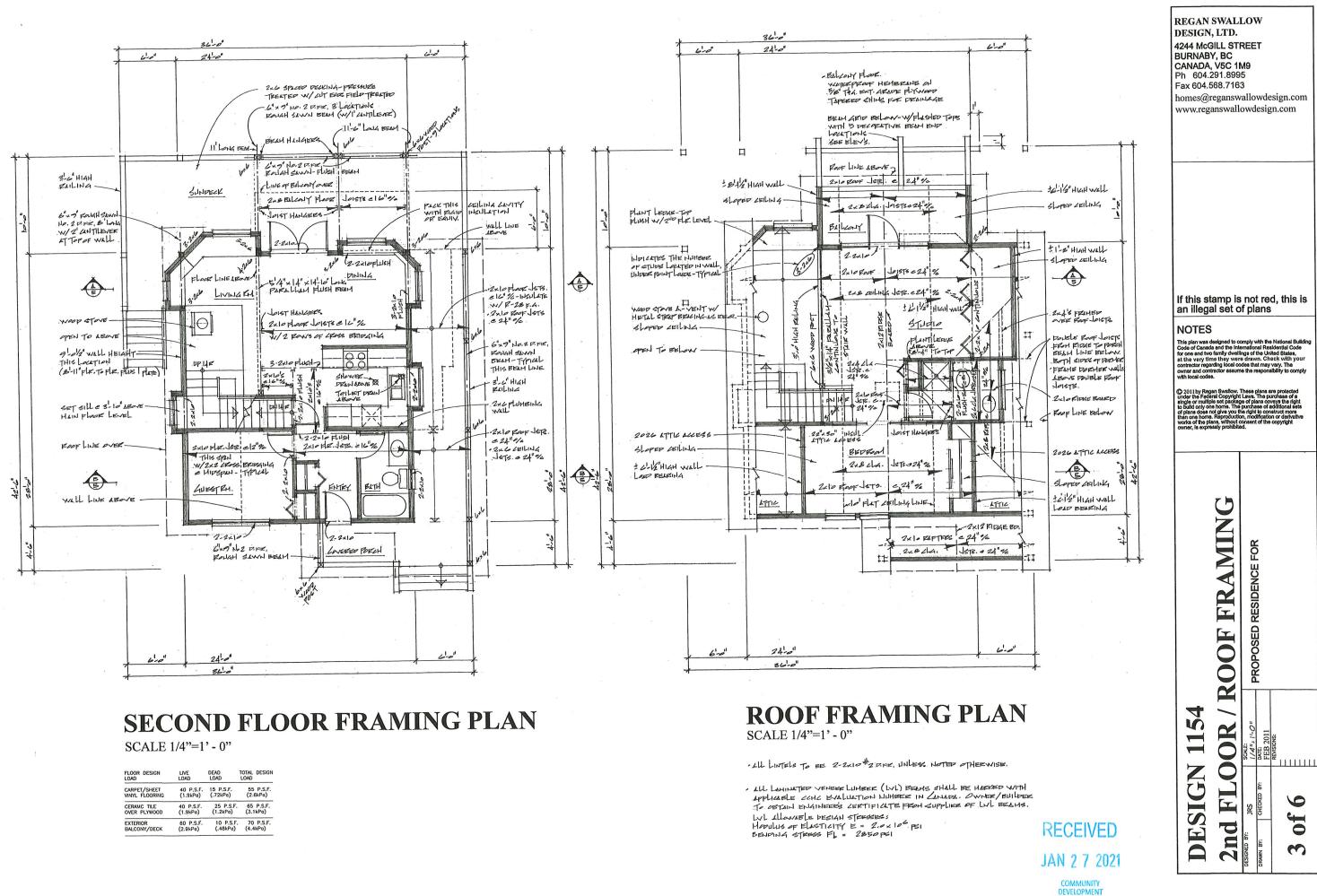
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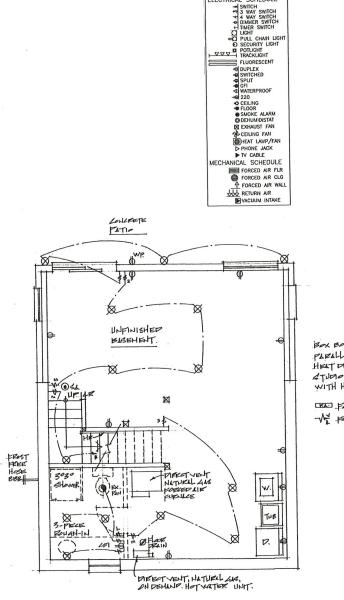








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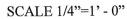
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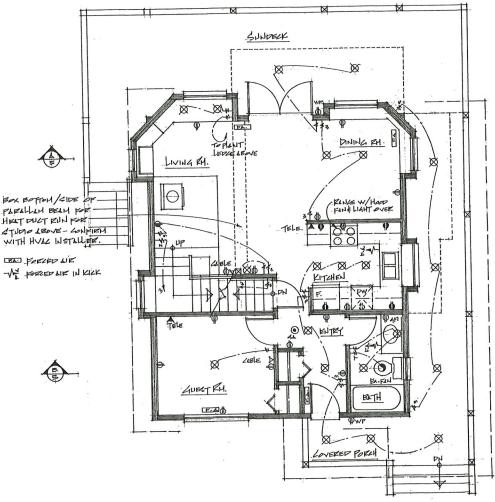
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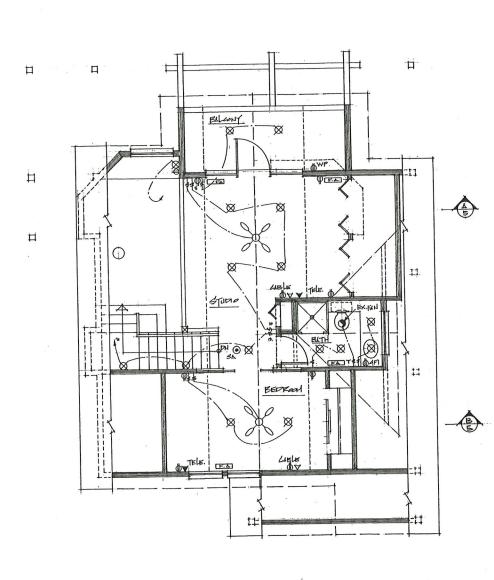
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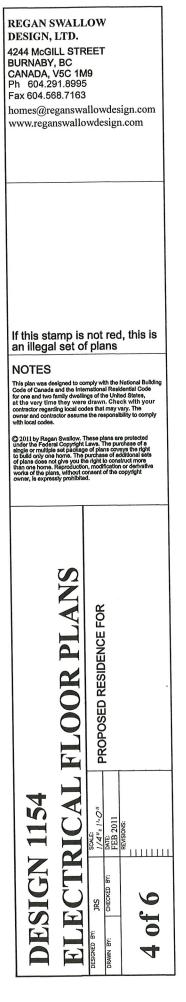


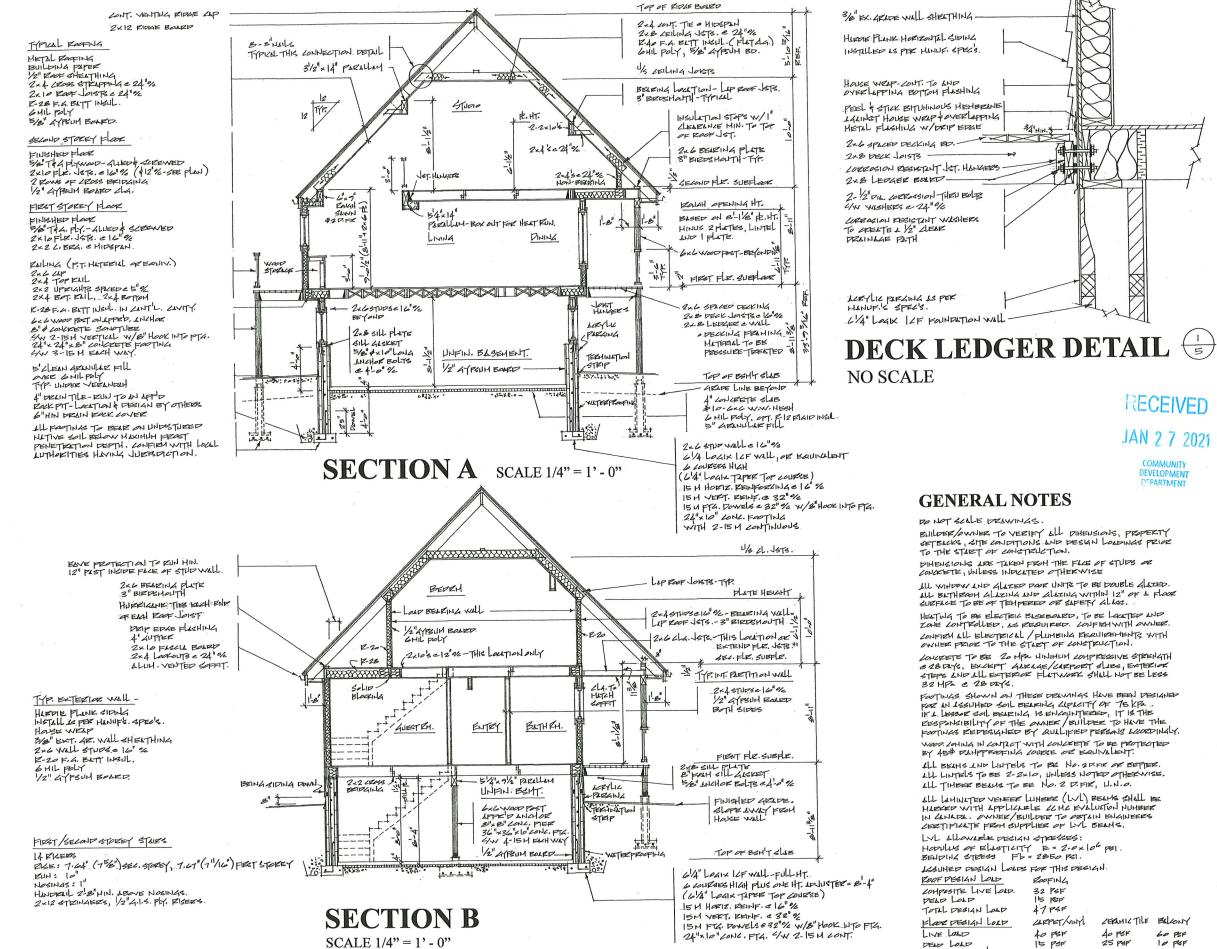
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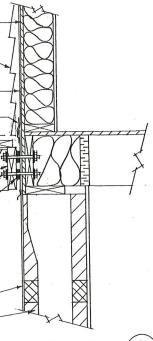




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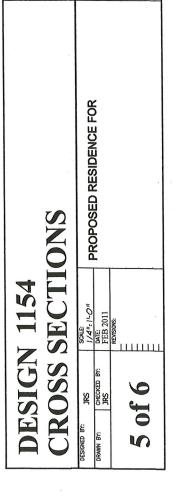
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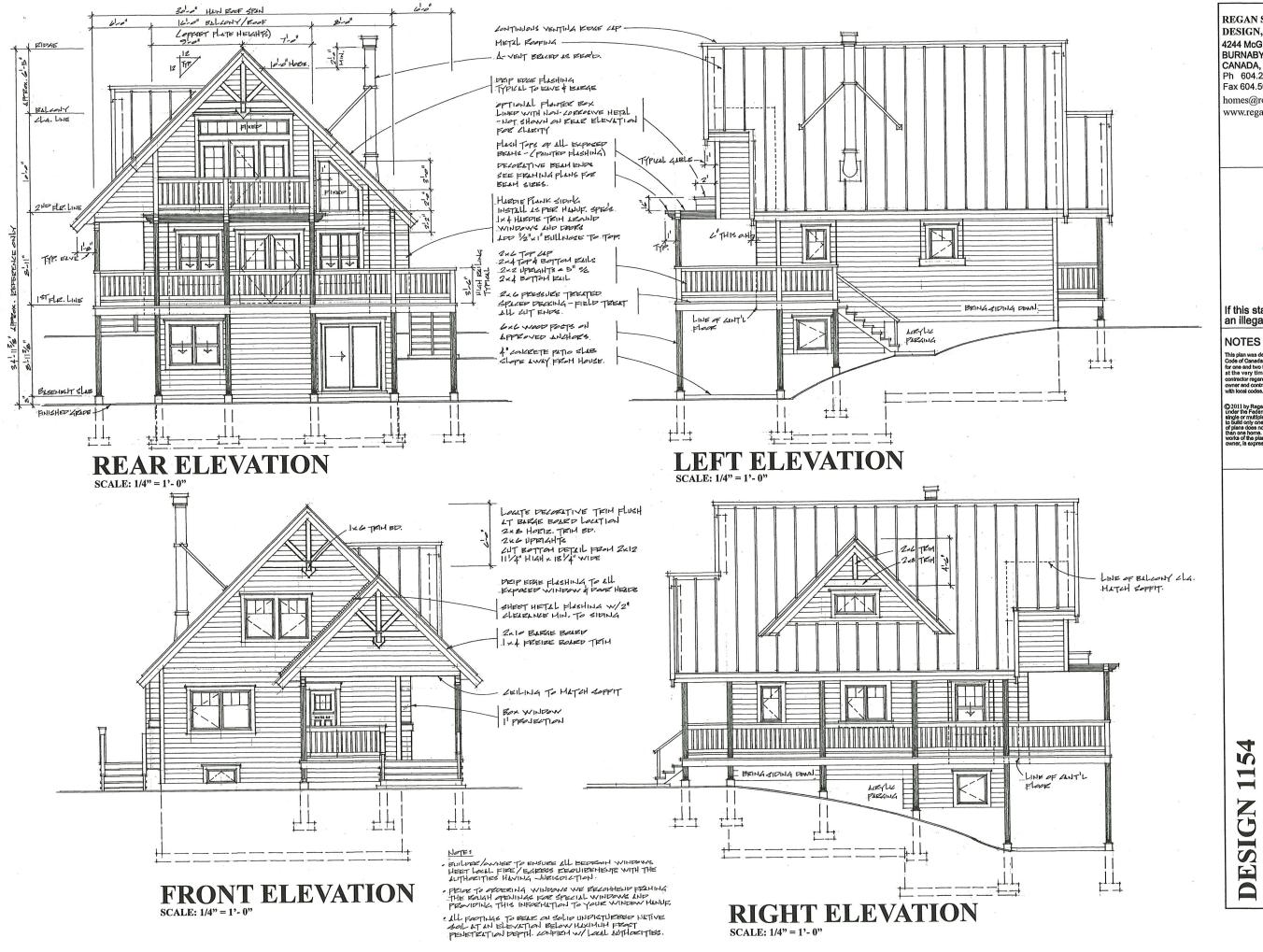
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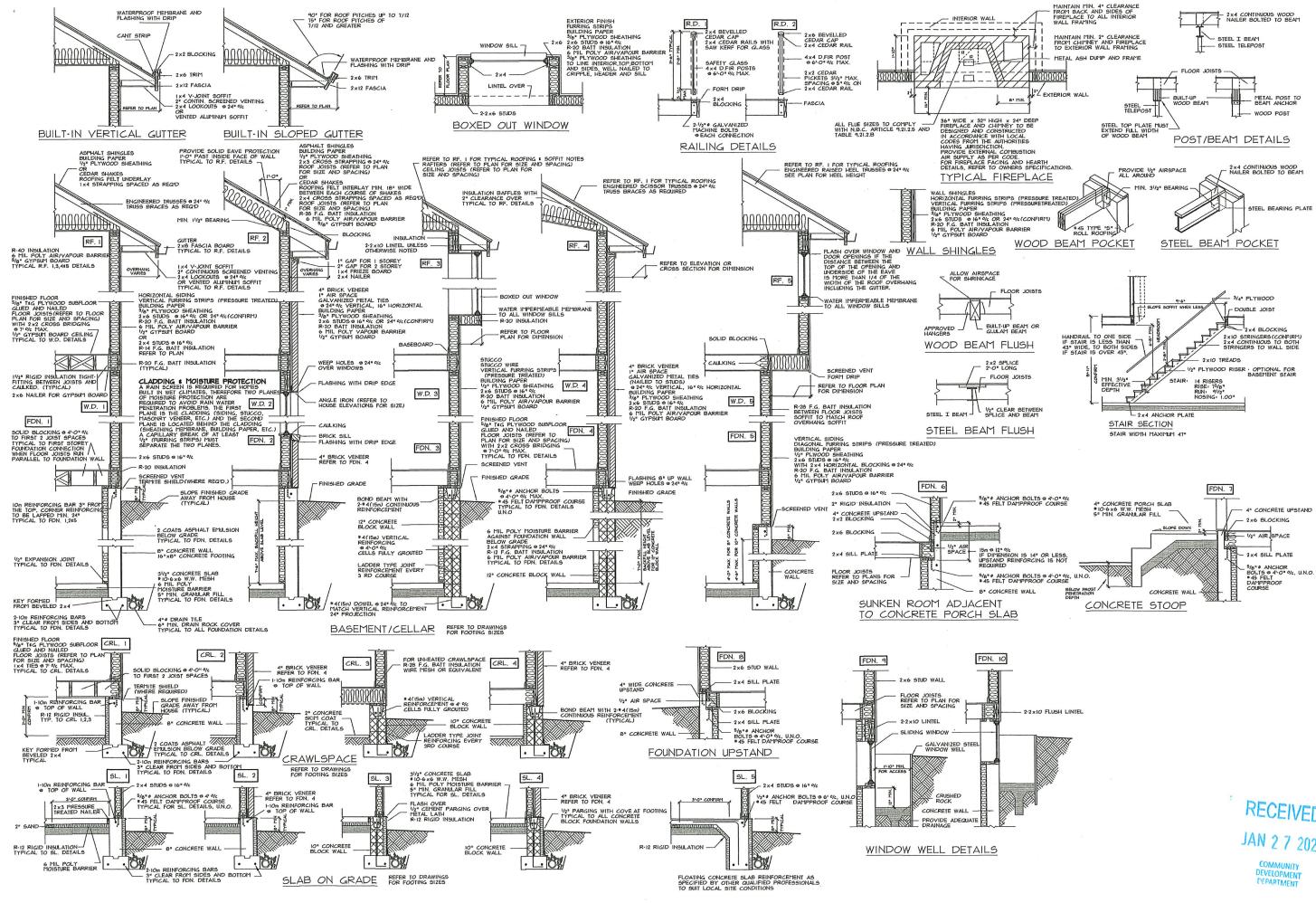
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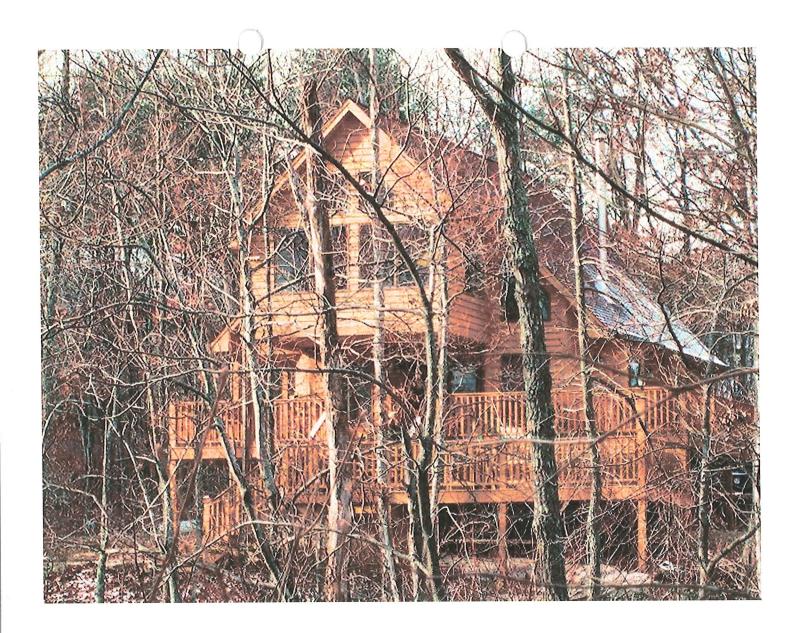
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WHITE LAKE TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

REPORT OF THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

- TO: Zoning Board of Appeals
- FROM: Justin Quagliata, Staff Planner
- DATE: April 29, 2021
- Agenda item:6bAppeal Date:April 29, 2021Applicant:Michael LemonAddress:4400 McKeachie Road
White Lake, MI 48383Zoning:SF Suburban FarmsLocation:4400 McKeachie Road
White Lake, MI 48383

Property Description

The approximately 3.35-acre parcel identified as 4400 McKeachie Road is located on the east side of McKeachie Road, south of Brendel Road, and zoned SF (Suburban Farms).

Applicant's Proposal

Michael Lemon, the applicant, is proposing to install a swimming pool in the front yard.

Planner's Report

A building permit was issued on March 31, 2021 for a 40-foot by 18-foot (720 square feet) inground pool on the west side of the house. A variance should have been required to locate the pool in the front yard. Work on the pool had not commenced prior to intervention by the Planning Department. In a letter dated April 5, 2021 staff rescinded the building permit and associated mechanical, electrical, and plumbing permits and informed the applicant a variance was required from the Zoning Board of Appeals to construct the pool in the proposed location.

Article 5, Section 10 of the zoning ordinance states residential swimming pools shall be located only behind the rear line of the home, no closer than 10 feet to any lot line, and fenced on all sides with a minimum four-foot high, non-ladderable fence, with any gate to be self-closing and latching. The provided site plan, which was not drawn to scale, shows the proposed pool projecting 124 feet in front of the rear line of the house. Therefore, the applicant is requesting a variance of 124 feet. A revised plan drawn to scale confirming the proposed dimensions will be required if the ZBA approves the request.

The requested variance is listed in the following table.

Variance #	Ordinance Section	Subject	Standard	Requested Variance	Result
1	Article 5.10	Swimming Pools	Behind rear line of house	124 feet	Pool in front yard

Zoning Board of Appeals Options:

Approval: I move to approve the variance requested by Michael Lemon from Article 5.10 of the Zoning Ordinance for Parcel Number 12-08-251-003, identified as 4400 McKeachie Road, in order to install a swimming pool that would project 124 feet in front of the rear line of the house. This approval will have the following conditions:

- The Applicant shall obtain all necessary permits from the White Lake Township Building Department.
- A site plan drawn to an engineer's scale shall be submitted prior to the issuance of a Building Permit.

Denial: I move to deny the variance requested by Michael Lemon for Parcel Number 12-08-251-003, identified as 4400 McKeachie Road, due to the following reason(s):

Table: I move to table the variance request of Michael Lemon for Parcel Number 12-08-251-003, identified as 4400 McKeachie Road, to consider comments stated during this public hearing.

Attachments:

- 1. Variance application dated April 5, 2021.
- 2. Applicant's written statement.
- 3. Applicant's site plan.
- 4. Letter rescinding permits dated April 5, 2021.

7.37 STANDARDS

General variances: The Zoning Board of Appeals may authorize a variance from the strict application of the area or dimensional standard of this Ordinance when the applicant demonstrates <u>all</u> of the following conditions "A – E" or condition F applies.

- A. Practical difficulty: A practical difficulty exists on the subject site (such as exceptional narrowness, shallowness, shape or area; presence of floodplain; exceptional topographic conditions) and strict compliance with the zoning ordinance standards would unreasonably prevent the owner from using of the subject site for a permitted use or would render conformity unnecessarily burdensome. Demonstration of a practical difficulty shall have a bearing on the subject site or use of the subject site, and not to the applicant personally. Economic hardship or optimum profit potential are not considerations for practical difficulty.
- B. Unique situation: The demonstrated practical difficult results from exceptional or extraordinary circumstances or conditions applying to the subject site at the time the Ordinance was adopted or amended which are different than typical properties in the same zoning district or the vicinity.

- C. Not self created: The applicants problem is not self created.
- D. Substantial justice: The variance would provide substantial justice by granting the property rights similar to those enjoyed by the majority of other properties in the vicinity, and other properties in the same zoning district. The decision shall not bestow upon the property special development rights not enjoyed by other properties in the same district, or which might result in substantial adverse impacts on properties in the vicinity (such as the supply of light and air, significant increases in traffic, increased odors, an increase in the danger of fire, or other activities which may endanger the public safety, comfort, morals or welfare).
- E. Minimum variance necessary: The variance shall be the minimum necessary to grant relief created by the practical difficulty.
- F. Compliance with other laws: The variance is the minimum necessary to comply with state or federal laws, including but not necessarily limited to:
 - The Michigan Right to Farm Act (P.A. 93 of 1981) and the farming activities the Act protects;
 - ii. The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (as amended), and the needs of handicapped individuals the Act protects, including accessory facilities, building additions, building alterations, and site improvements which may not otherwise meet a strict application of the standards of this Ordinance.

Under no circumstances shall the Board of Appeals grant a variance to allow a use not permissible under the terms of this Ordinance in the district involved, or any use expressly or by implication prohibited by the terms of this Ordinance in said district.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF WHITE LAKE Zoning Board of Appeals APPLICATION White Lake Township Planning Department, 7525 Highland Road, White Lake, MI 48383 248-69	RECEIVED APR 0 5 2021 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT 8-3300 ×163
APPLICANT'S NAME: M: have have here phone: 248-9 ADDRESS: 4400 Mckeachie Rd APPLICANT'S EMAILADDRESS: Economy tool of hol, mail. Com APPLICANT'S INTEREST IN PROPERTY: DOWNER BUILDER OTHER:	731-2964
ADDRESS OF AFFECTED PROPERTY: 4400 Mckeachle Pd PARCEL # 12-0 CURRENT ZONING <u>Suburban Fan</u> PARCEL SIZE:	<u></u> -

STATE REQUESTED VARIANCE AND ORDINANCE SECTION:

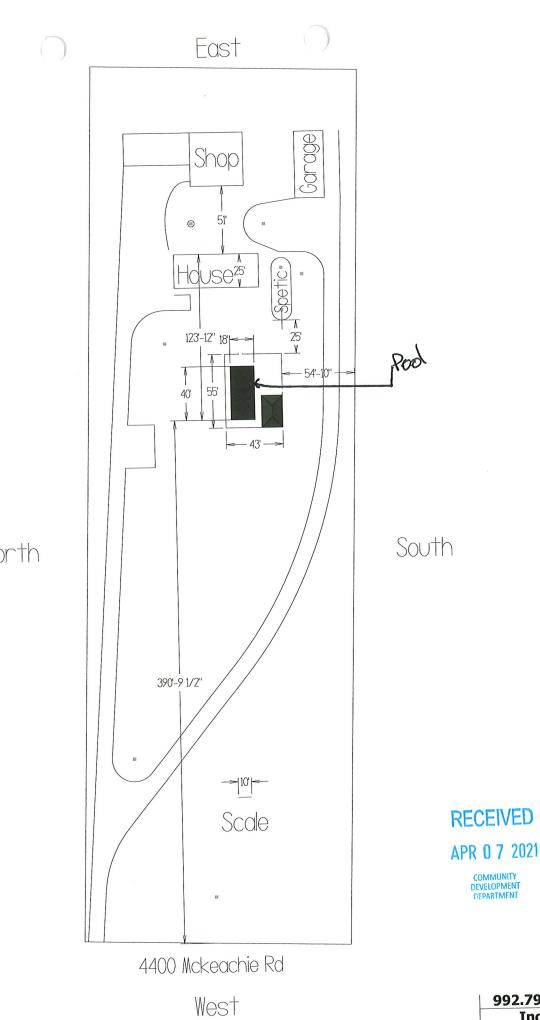
VALUE OF IMPROVEMENT: \$45,000.00 SEV OF EXISITING STRUCTURE: \$_____

STATE REASONS TO SUPPORT REQUEST: (ADDITIONALS SHEETS MAY BE ATTACHED) I applied for a fermit to have an inground peol put in my front yard as I don't have room in the back yard for a pool. on 3-31-2021 I recreased an email stating my permit was approved so we purchased our pool which is non refundble. on U-5.2021 I pluked up my permit. I was they called and told the permit had be on recinded.
was then called and told the permit had been recinded.
APPLICATION FEE: (CALCULATED BY THE PLANNING DEPARTMENT)
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE And Lenan DATE: 4-5.2

I was told I would need to apply for a Variance wide the Planning Board of Appeals. Due do the fact of my house sitting so far Back I don't have room anywhere else. I was not aware of the ordinance but Sonst I called the building department and asked if I could put a pool in my Snort yand and was told yes and to file for a permit. I filed for and was granted a permit which is why I bought thepool for \$28,000.00 Due to due fact use live so her back for she most part you wouldn't beable to even hell there would be a pool. we are asking to be granted a variance so use can put our pool in.

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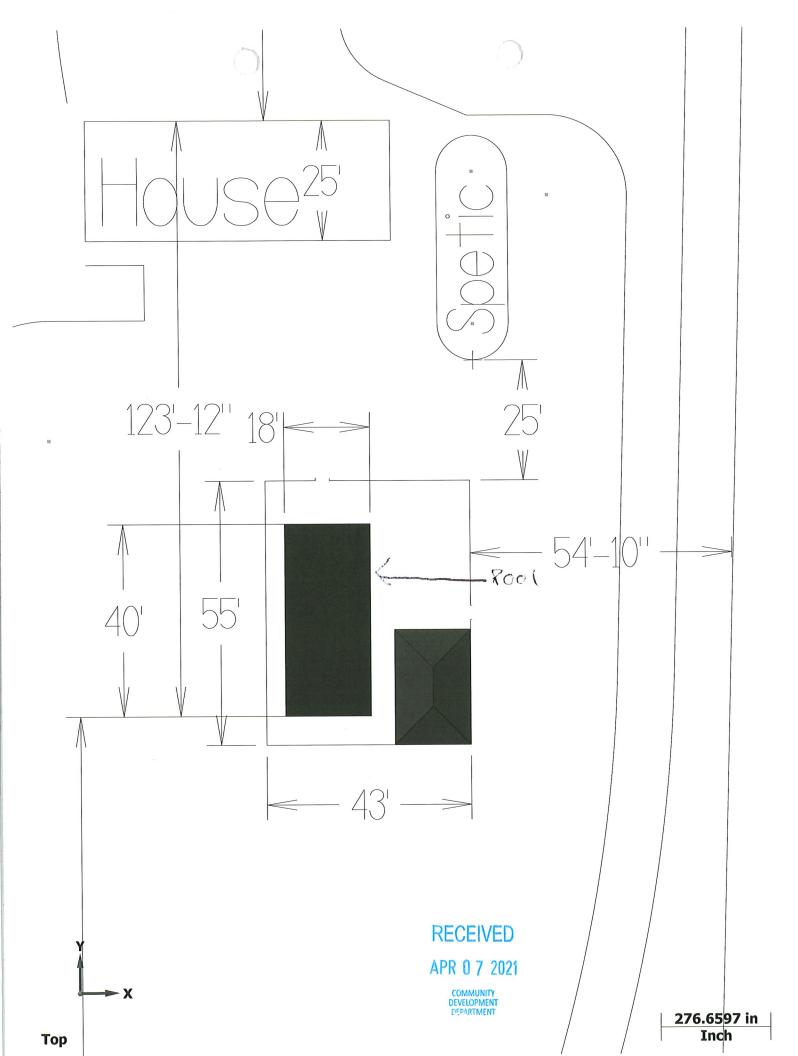
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April 5, 2021

Michael F. Lemon Kimberly A Lemon 4400 McKeachie Rd. White Lake, MI 48383-1623

Dear Michael & Kim Lemon:

Per our phone discussion this morning, the permit for your swimming pool was issued in error. Article 5, Section 10 of the zoning ordinance states residential swimming pools shall be located only behind the rear line of the home. The proposed pool would be located in the front yard at 4400 McKeachie Road. A variance is required from the Zoning Board of Appeals to construct the pool in the proposed location.

Attached is the variance application. The filing fee for the April 29 Zoning Board of Appeals Special Meeting is \$635. To be eligible for the April 29 meeting, an application must be submitted to the Planning Department no later than April 7 at 4:30 p.m.

You indicated during our discussion this morning no work related to the permit had commenced. At this time, Building Permit #21-00715, along with the MEP permits #P21-00725, #P21-00726 and P#21-00727 are being rescinded and a Stop Work Order is placed on the project.

Thank you,

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Justin Quagliata Staff Planner White Lake Township 7525 Highland Road White Lake, MI 48383