

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT REVIEW BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

July 8, 2020

Nelson Benavides, et al 1720 Floyd Avenue Richmond, VA 23220

Nelson Benavides 1620 Altamont Avenue Apt. 9 Richmond, VA 23230

To Whom It May Concern:

RE: BZA 31-2020

You are hereby notified that the Board of Zoning Appeals will hold an electronic public hearing on Wednesday, August 5, 2020 due to the disaster represented by the spread of COVID-19 pursuant to and in compliance with Ordinance 2020-093 to consider an application for a building permit to construct an addition to a two-family attached dwelling at 3000½ Q STREET (Tax Parcel Number E000-0627/031), located in an R-6 (Single-Family Attached Residential District).

Please be advised that the applicant or applicant's representative is required to participate in the electronic public hearing by calling 804-316-9457 and entering code 964 489 214# beginning at 1:00 p.m. For video access by computer, smart phone or tablet visit <a href="https://richmondva.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx">https://richmondva.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx</a>. Select the Board of Zoning Appeals drop-down and 2020 drop-down, click meeting details for August 5, 2020 meeting and then click video access. In the event you have difficulty accessing a public hearing you may contact Mr. William Davidson at 804-396-5350 or by email at William.Davidson@richmondgov.com for assistance. In accordance with Ordinance No. 2020-093, please be advised that an inability to access one of the enumerated public hearing through video means shall not be considered a prerequisite for participating in the subject public hearing. It will be necessary for you to stay on the line until such time as your case is called. The Board of Zoning Appeals Rules of Procedure provides that in the case of an application for a variance or a special exception, the applicant, proponents or persons aggrieved under §15.2-2314 of the Code of Virginia, shall be permitted a total of six (6) minutes each to present their case. The Board of Zoning Appeals will withhold questions until the conclusion of the respective presentations. For the purposes of the record it also requested that before addressing the Board you identify yourself and spell your name.

Finally, when you submitted your application to the zoning office you were given an handout entitled, Suggestions for Presenting Your Case to the Board, which indicated that you should discuss your request with your neighbor(s) and neighborhood

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association(s) prior to appearing before the Board of Zoning Appeals. Contact information for civic group(s) can be found by navigating to the Civic Group webpage of the City's website at <a href="http://www.richmondgov.com/PlanningAndDevelopmentReview/civicassociationgroupinformation.aspx">http://www.richmondgov.com/PlanningAndDevelopmentReview/civicassociationgroupinformation.aspx</a>. Once there, you can search for your property using the interactive map. A dialogue box will provide you with the names of all civic groups within which your property may lie. Once you have those group names, simply scroll down the page to the appropriate group(s) to find the contact information for each. The Board understands that given the current situation it is not practical to conduct face-to-face discussions with either your neighbors or neighborhood association(s) but the Board requests that you make a good faith effort to provide them with relevant information regarding your case.

If you have any questions regarding the Board's procedures or any issue involving presentation of your case, please feel free to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Roy W. Benbow, Secretary Phone: (804) 240-2124

Fax: (804) 646-5789

E-mail: Roy.Benbow@richmondgov.com

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cc: Zoning Administrator

Notice of this meeting is being sent to the persons whom the Board of Zoning Appeals believes to be property owners in the immediate vicinity of the property concerned in this application. This notice is for their information only, and there is no need for them to appear unless they so desire. The Board will, however, welcome such views as any persons care to express during the hearing on this application.

3007 Q St LLC 1321 Porter St Apt C Richmond VA 23224 Drayton Jerome C 1111 N 30th St Richmond VA 23223 Evolve Development Inc 3420 Pump Rd Apt 169 Richmond VA 23233

Evolve Hld LLC 3420 Pump Rd #169 Richmond VA 23233 Gaines Lee A & Betty J 509 Meriwether Ave Richmond VA 23222 Greenberg Lenny & Christine 1106 N 31st St Richmond VA 23223

Ibe Ikenna C 11630 Hickory Lake Ter Glen Allen VA 23059 Krouse Joseph Michael And Ashlea Kay 2218 Maplewood Ave Richmond VA 23220 Lawrence Alex & Lucas James & Johnson Brittany S Etals 6301 Dawnfield Ln Henrico VA 23231

Lyell Matthew B And Emiline 1110 N 30th St Richmond VA 23223 Opalak Charles F 1105 N 30th St Richmond VA 23223 Parmoo LLC 4275 Mcclain Hill Ct Fairfax VA 22033

Plummer Shelia 1114 N 30th St Richmond VA 23223 Pond L Kent Po Box 864 Colonial Heights VA 23834 Sabieh Properties LLC 501 N 30th St Richmond VA 23223

Siedlarczyk Kaitlyn D & Dillon Daniel P

1102 N 31st St Richmond VA 23223 Smith Antoinette M 1109 N 30th St Richmond VA 23223 Sukens Francis F J & C T Jones & Daisey And Ernest E Johnson 1425 Garber Street Richmond VA 23231

Tartakovsky Steven Po Box 25989 Richmond VA 23260 The Maggie Walker Community Land Trust 203 N Robinson St Richmond VA 23220 Toscano Javier 1107 N 30th St Richmond VA 23223 Property: 3000 1/2 Q St Parcel ID: E0000627031

Parcel

Street Address: 3000 1/2 Q St Richmond, VA 23223-

Owner: BENAVIDES PAULO AND NELSON AND LEON MELQUIADES ORTIZ

Mailing Address: 1720 FLOYD AVE, RICHMOND, VA 23220

Subdivision Name: NONE

Parent Parcel ID:

Assessment Area: 332 - East End - Fairmont/Creighton Property Class: 161 - R Two Family Converted

Zoning District: R-6 - Residential (Single Family Attached)

Exemption Code: -

**Current Assessment** 

Effective Date: 01/01/2020 Land Value: \$30,000 Improvement Value: \$8,000 Total Value: \$38,000

Area Tax: \$0
Special Assessment District: None

Land Description

Parcel Square Feet: 972.6

Acreage: 0.022

**Property Description 1:** 0016.21X0060.00 0000.000

State Plane Coords( ?): X= 11799688.500011 Y= 3720449.958937 Latitude: 37.53568848 , Longitude: -77.40753672

Description

Land Type: Residential Lot A

Topology:
Front Size: 16
Rear Size: 60
Parcel Square Feet: 972.6
Acreage: 0.022

Property Description 1: 0016.21X0060.00 0000.000

Subdivision Name: NONE

State Plane Coords(?): X= 11799688.500011 Y= 3720449.958937

**Latitude:** 37.53568848 , **Longitude:** -77.40753672

Other

Street improvement:

Sidewalk:

### Assessments

Assessment Year	Land Value	Improvement Value	Total Value	Reason
2020	\$30,000	\$8,000	\$38,000	Reassessment
2019	\$20,000	\$8,000	\$28,000	Reassessment
2018	\$15,000	\$8,000	\$23,000	Reassessment
2017	\$15,000	\$5,000	\$20,000	Reassessment
2016	\$15,000	\$3,000	\$18,000	Reassessment
2015	\$15,000	\$16,000	\$31,000	Reassessment
2014	\$15,000	\$17,000	\$32,000	Reassessment
2013	\$15,000	\$26,000	\$41,000	Reassessment
2012	\$15,000	\$55,000	\$70,000	Reassessment
2011	\$15,000	\$61,000	\$76,000	CarryOver
2010	\$15,000	\$61,000	\$76,000	Reassessment
2009	\$14,700	\$60,500	\$75,200	Reassessment
2008	\$14,700	\$60,500	\$75,200	Reassessment
2007	\$14,700	\$60,500	\$75,200	Reassessment
2006	\$10,000	\$60,500	\$70,500	Reassessment
2005	\$10,000	\$57,600	\$67,600	Reassessment
2004	\$1,000	\$19,400	\$20,400	Reassessment
2003	\$1,000	\$19,400	\$20,400	Not Available
2002	\$1,000	\$19,000	\$20,000	Not Available
1998	\$1,000	\$19,000	\$20,000	Not Available

### Transfers-

Transfer Date	Consideration Amount	Grantor Name	Deed Reference	Verified Market Sale Description
12/04/2019	\$17,000	BENAVIDES NELSON AND PAULO	ID2019-25629	1 - VALID SALE-Relation Between Buyer/Seller
11/04/2019	\$56,100	CITY OF RICHMOND	ID2019-23036	2 - INVALID SALE-Foreclosure, Forced Sale etc.
11/01/2019	\$0	RVA PROPERTY 1 LLC	ID2019-22952	2 - INVALID SALE-Relation Between Buyer/Seller
07/08/2009	\$58,500	CLAYTON INVESTMENT GROUP LLC	ID2009-15140	2 - INVALID SALE-Foreclosure, Forced Sale etc.
09/20/2005	\$60,000	OLD RICHMOND PROPERTIES LLC	ID2005-32462	
07/21/2003	\$21,000	COOPER VERNELL	ID2003-26782	
09/22/1992	\$0	Not Available	00024-1835	

-Planning

Master Plan Future Land Use: SF-MD

Zoning District: R-6 - Residential (Single Family Attached)

Planning District: East Traffic Zone: 1059 City Neighborhood Code: CHN

City Neighborhood Name: Church Hill North

Civic Code: 3000

Civic Association Name: Church Hill Central Civic Association

Subdivision Name: NONE

City Old and Historic District:

National historic District: Church Hill North

Neighborhoods in Bloom: Redevelopment Conservation Area:

### **Economic Development**

Care Area:

### **Enterprise Zone:**

### Environment

100 YEAR Flood Plain Flag: Contact the Water Resources Division at 646-7586.

500 YEAR Flood Plain Flag: N

Resource Protection Flag: Contact the Water Resources Division at 646-7586.

Wetland Flag: N

### Census

Census Year	Block	Block Group	Tract
2000	1011	0207001	020700
1990	104	0207001	020700

### Schools

Elementary School: George Mason
Middle School: Martin Luther King Jr

High School: Armstrong

### **Public Safety**

Police Precinct: 1
Police Sector: 111
Fire District: 11
Dispatch Zone: 118A

### **Public Works Schedules**

Street Sweep: TBD Leaf Collection: TBD Refuse Collection: Thursday Bulk Collection: TBD

### **Government Districts**

Council District: 7
Voter Precinct: 703
State House District: 70
State Senate District: 16
Congressional District: 4

### **Extension 1 Details**

Extension Name: R01 - Residential record #01

Year Built: 1930

Stories: 2

Units: 0

Number Of Rooms: 6

Number Of Bed Rooms: 2

Number Of Full Baths: 0

Number Of Half Baths: 0

Condition: very poor for

age

Foundation Type: Full Crawl

1st Predominant Exterior: Alum/Vinyl

2nd Predominant Exterior: N/A

Roof Style: Flat or Shed

Roof Material: Metal

Interior Wall: Plaster

Floor Finish: Softwood-standard

Heating Type: No Heat

Central Air: N

Basement Garage Car #: 0

Fireplace: N

**Building Description (Out Building and** 

Yard Items):

### **Extension 1 Dimensions**

Finished Living Area: 1124 Sqft

Attic: 0 Sqft

Finished Attic: 0 Sqft

Basement: 0 Sqft

Finished Basement: 0 Sqft

Attached Garage: 0 Sqft

Detached Garage: 0 Sqft

Attached Carport: 0 Sqft

Enclosed Porch: 0 Sqft

Open Porch: 203 Sqft

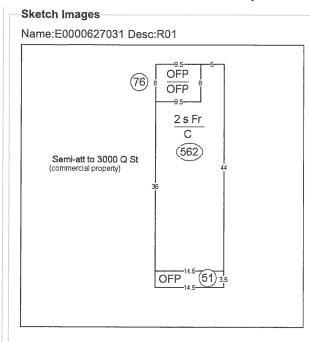
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### Property Images

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### RICHMOND BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS APPLICATION FORM



### THE RICHMOND ZONING ADMINISTRATION OFFICE ROOM 110, CITY HALL, 900 EAST BROAD STREET RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23219 (804) 646-6340

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT PROPERTY				
OWNER: Nelson Benavides, et al	PHONE: (Home) (804 ) 704-3600 (Mobile) (804 ) 704-3600			
ADDRESS 1720 Floyd Avenue	FAX: ( ) (Work) ( )			
Richmond, VA 23220	E-mail Address: nelsonbenavides84@gmail.com			
PROPERTY OWNER'S				
REPRESENTATIVE: Nelson Benavides	PHONE: (Home) (_) (Mobile) ( 804) 704-3600			
(Name/Address) 1620 Altamont Avenue Apt. 9	FAX: () (Nork) ()			
Richmond, VA 23220	E-mail Address: _nelsonbenavides84@gmail.com			
TO BE COMPLETED BY TH	E ZONING ADMINSTRATION OFFICE			
PROPERTY ADDRESS (ES) 3000 ½ Q Street				
TYPE OF APPLICATION: UARIANCE SPECIAL EXCEPTION OTHER				
ZONING ORDINANCE SECTION NUMBERS(S): 30-30	0 & 30-412.6			
APPLICATION REQUIRED FOR: A building permit to construct an addition to two-family attached dwelling.				
TAX PARCEL NUMBER(S): E000-0627/031 ZONING DISTRICT: R-6 (Single-Family Attached Residential)				
REQUEST DISAPPROVED FOR THE REASON THAT: The lot coverage requirement is not met. A maximum lot				
coverage of fifty-five percent (55%) is permitted; 63.39% exists 67.89% ± is proposed.				
DATE REQUEST DISAPPROVED: June 12, 2020 FEE WAIVER: YES NO: 🖂				
DATE FILED: June 12, 2020/FIME FILED: 10:00 a.m. PREPARED BY: Josh Young RECEIPT NO. BZAR-074465-2020				
AS CERTIFIED BY:	(ZONING ADMINSTRATOR)			
I BASE MY APPLICATION ON:				
SECTION 17.20 PARAGRAPH(S) OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND				
SECTION 15.2 -2309.2  OF THE CODE OF VIRGINIA [OR]				
SECTION 1040.3 PARAGRAPH(S) 1 OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND				
TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT				
I have received the handouts, Suggestions for Presenting Your Case to the Board & Excerpts from the City Charter				
I have been notified that I, or my representative, must be present at the hearing at which my request will be considered.				
SIGNATURE OF OWNER OR AUTHORIZED AGENT:DATE: _6/30/2020				

\*\*\* TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS \*\*\*

CASE NUMBER: 67A 3 -2020 HEARING DATE: August 5, 2020 AT 1:00 P.M.

### BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS CASE BZA 31-2020 150' Buffer

APPLICANT(S): Nelson Benavides, et al

PREMISES: 3000.5 Q Street (Tax Parcel Number E000-0627/031)

SUBJECT: A building permit to construct an addition to a two-family attached dwelling.

REASON FOR THE REQUEST: Based on Sections 30-300 & 30-412.6 of the Zoning Ordinance for the reason that:

The lot coverage requirement is not met.





## BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS PRESENTATION SUGGESTIONS

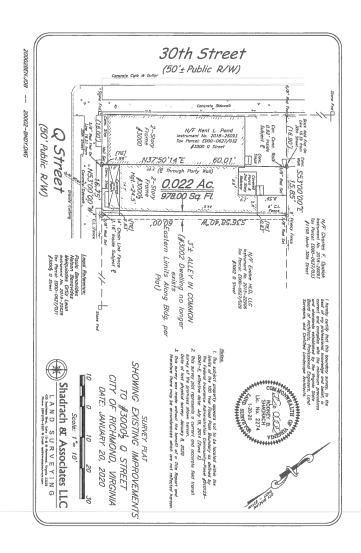
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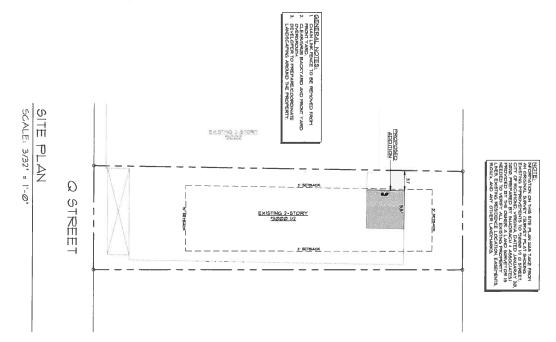
When presenting your request for a variance or exception to the Board of Zoning Appeals, it is important that you consider the points outlined below. The City Charter requires that every decision of the Board must be based upon a finding of fact that the Board must determine from sworn testimony, together with pertinent evidence, presented at its public hearing. It is essential that the Board receive thorough and complete information in order for it to adequately consider your case and make an informed decision.

- 1. The powers and duties of the Board of Zoning Appeals are specified in Section 17.20 of the City Charter and Article X, Division 5, of the Zoning Ordinance. The Zoning Office will assist you in identifying how your case should be filed. If you have questions regarding your case filing, please contact the Zoning Administration Office (646-6340/6701). Please review the applicable provisions of the City Charter or the Zoning Ordinance thoroughly and address them when presenting your case to the Board to show that the applicable requirements have been satisfied.
- 2. The Board of Zoning Appeals is a quasi-judicial board whose decisions are controlled by statutory law and also take into consideration applicable case law that has been handed down by the Richmond Circuit Court and the Virginia Supreme Court. The Board suggests that if you have any legal questions regarding statutory or case law as it may apply to your application, that those legal issues should be discussed with an attorney before you make your final decision to submit an application to the Board.
- 3. The Board considers it absolutely essential that you discuss your case with your neighbors (notification letters are sent to property owners within a 150-foot radius of your property) as well as your neighborhood association(s). Information regarding your neighborhood association(s) and/or contact person(s) may be obtained from the City's website at <a href="http://www.richmondgov.com/PlanningAndDevelopmentReview/civicassociationgroupinformation.aspx">http://www.richmondgov.com/PlanningAndDevelopmentReview/civicassociationgroupinformation.aspx</a> Once on the page, you can search for your property using the interactive map. A dialogue box will provide you with the names of all civic groups within which your property may lie. Once you have those group names, scroll down the page to the appropriate group(s) to find the contact information for each.
- 4. Please be advised that if you fail to discuss your request with your neighbors and neighborhood association(s), you should anticipate that your case will be continued until the Board's next regularly scheduled meeting. It is highly recommended that you contact your neighborhood association as soon as possible to determine their meeting schedule in order to be sure you allow yourself enough time to talk to all concerned parties prior to the hearing before the Board. The Board's Rules of Procedure require payment of a \$150.00 continuance fee if the applicant must request a continuance for the reason that the applicant failed to discuss their case with their neighbor(s) or neighborhood association(s).
- 4. You are also strongly encouraged to discuss your pending case with the Secretary of the Board, Roy Benbow (804-240-2124) well before the hearing. The Secretary can be helpful by explaining the BZA public hearing process.
- 5. Utilizing photographs, plans, maps, diagrams and such other written or graphic evidence as needed to fully explain your request can be a great help to the Board in understanding your request and thereby improve your chances for success. Remember a picture is worth a thousand words.
- 6. Note that, although the Board is not authorized to grant a waiver from the zoning regulations based on financial circumstances alone, it may be a factor to be taken into consideration along with other facts in a case. If your case involves such a factor, please provide the Board with complete and relevant financial information for its review.
- 7. The Board's hearings are informal, although all testimony is taken under oath. You are not required to be represented by an attorney in presenting your case. However, if you choose, you may have legal representation and/or may utilize such technical experts or other persons to testify on your behalf as you feel are needed to adequately explain your request to the Board.

Acknowledgement of Receipt by Applicant or Authorized Agent:

(Revised: 4/28/16)

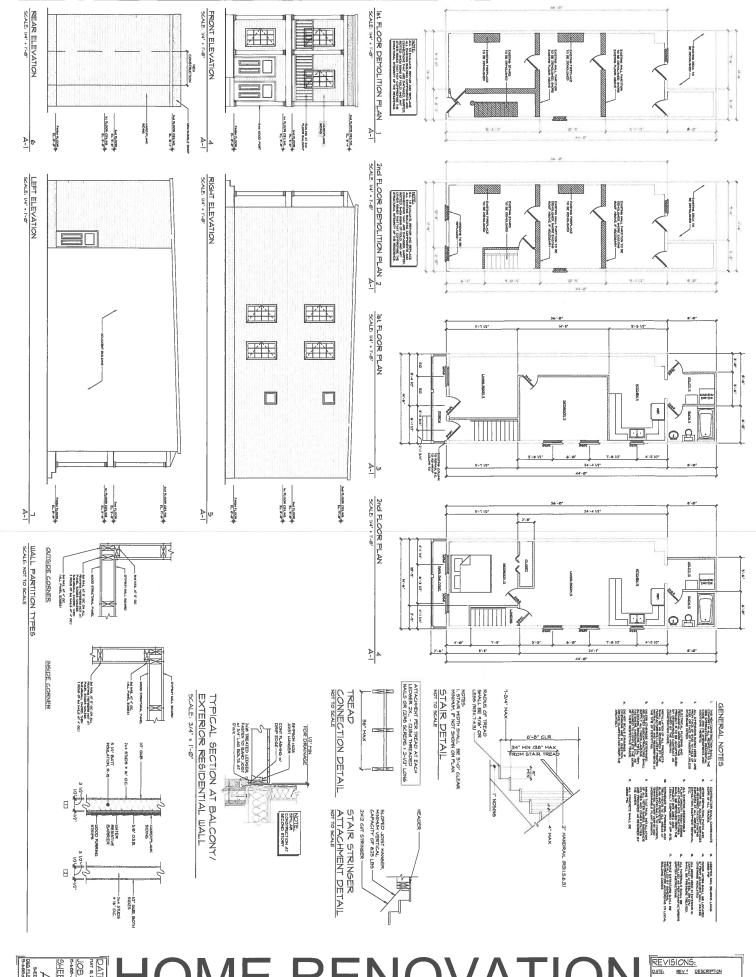






HOMERENOVATION 3000 1/2 Q STREET, RICHMOND, VA 23223





HOMEREN OVATIONS AND DETAILS



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Street View

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