

## **STAFF REPORT**

TO: BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT PREPARED BY: MIKE STEVENS

FILE NO.: BA2022-102 DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

MEETING DATE: MAY 19, 2022

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

APPLICANT: KELLEN AND MINDY STROMBERG

REQUEST: VARIANCE TO RMC 23.18.040 TO ALLOW THE CONSTRUCTION OF

A GARAGE ADDITION TO WITHIN APPROXIMATELY 17.30' OF THE

FRONT PROPERTY LINE.

LOCATION: 201 CENTER BLVD.

ZONING: R-1-10 (LOW-DENSITY RESIDENTIAL)

LEGAL

DESCRIPTION: LOT 5, PLAT OF WILLOWBROOK NO. 2, PHASE 1

ADJACENT USES: ADJACENT LOTS ALL CONTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENCES.

#### **REASON FOR REQUEST**

The applicant is requesting a variance from RMC 23.18.040 (Site requirements for residential use districts) to authorize the construction of a garage addition to within approximately 17.30' of the front property line. The minimum front yard setback in the R-1-10 zone is 20-feet (RMC 23.18.040).

Specifically, the proposal consists of extending the front of the garage out towards the front property line between 3' and 5'.

#### RICHLAND MUNICIPAL CODE PROVISIONS

RMC 23.18.040 (Site requirements for residential use districts) applies a twenty--foot minimum front yard setback to primary structures. For convenience, the pertinent setback requirement is highlighted below.

Standard	R-1-12	R-1-10	R-2	R-2S	R-3
Minimum Lot Area Requirement – One-Family Detached Dwelling	10,000 feet <sup>1</sup>	8,000 feet	6,000 feet	4,000 feet	4,000 feet
Minimum Lot Area Requirement – Two-Family Detached Dwelling	N/A	N/A	10,000 feet	7,000 feet	7,000 feet
Minimum Lot Area Requirement – One-Family Attached Dwellings	N/A	N/A	N/A	3,000 feet	3,000 feet

Standard	R-1-12	R-1-10	R-2	R-2S	R-3
Maximum Density – Multifamily Dwellings (Units/Square Foot)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1:3,000
Minimum Lot Width – One-Family Detached Dwelling	90 feet	70 feet	50 feet	42 feet	42 feet
Minimum Lot Width – Two-Family Detached Dwelling	N/A	N/A	70 feet	64 feet	64 feet
Minimum Lot Width – One-Family Attached Dwellings	N/A	N/A	N/A	30 feet	30 feet
Average Lot Size Requirement <sup>2</sup>	12,000	10,000	None	None	None
Minimum Front Yard Setback <sup>3</sup>	20 feet	20 feet	20 feet	15 feet/18 feet <sup>4</sup>	20 feet <sup>6,10</sup>
Minimum Side Yard Setback	10 feet	10 feet	6 feet	6 feet <sup>5</sup>	6,10
Minimum Alley/Private Access Easement Setback	6 feet	6 feet	6 feet	6 feet	6 feet
Minimum Rear Yard Setback	25 feet	25 feet	25 feet	20 feet/3 feet <sup>7</sup>	25 feet <sup>6,10</sup>
Maximum Lot Coverage <sup>8</sup>	40%	40%	40%	50%	33%/45% <sup>9,10</sup>
Maximum Building Height – Main Building	30 feet	30 feet	30 feet	30 feet	40 feet <sup>10</sup>
Maximum Building Height – Detached Accessory Buildings <sup>11</sup>	16 feet	16 feet	16 feet	16 feet	16 feet

#### SITE DESCRIPTION

201 Center Blvd. is located at the corner of Center Blvd. and Piper St. The lot is 12,011 square-feet in size and contains an approximately 3,800 square-foot single-family home (including 3-car garage area). Other parcels in the neighborhood are similarly sized and contain similarly sized homes. According to the applicant, the special condition of the subject site relates to the width of the Center Blvd right-of-way, which extends approximately 16' from the back of the sidewalk onto the front yard area of the Stromberg's property. As a result, the front of the home at its closest point is approximately 36' from the back of the sidewalk.

#### **ANALYSIS**

The site plan illustrates the profile of the proposed garage addition to be approximately 17.30' from the front property line. However, the site plan does not include the additional 16' of area that consists of driveway and grass that is located within the Center Blvd. right-of-way.

The Center Blvd. right-of-way is 80' in width throughout this neighborhood. Typical road right-of-way widths in residential neighborhoods are 54'; however, when originally platted, Center Blvd. was provided with an 80' right-of-way width because it was thought to be a future collector road that would handle a larger volume of traffic than what ultimately resulted.

The controlling code section, in matrix form, is provided above for the Board's convenience.

The merits of this application are discussed below in terms of the applicable variance review criteria.

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Application Date:	April 11, 2022
Notice of Application & Hearing Mailed:	April 26, 2022
Notice of Application & Hearing Posted:	April 29, 2022
Public Hearing:	May 19, 2022

A combined Notice of Application & Hearing was provided through posting of the property, mailing of notice to property owners within 300 feet of the site, publication in the *Tri-City Herald* and posting on the City's website.

#### **COMMENTS**

At the time this report was prepared, the City received no comments of concern from public agencies; However, one letter in opposition was received from the neighbor who lives directly across the street at 204 Center Blvd. A copy of the public comment is provided within Exhibit 6

#### **STAFF FINDINGS**

The following are Staff's findings relative to the requirement for the granting of a variance as set forth in Richland Municipal Code (RMC) Sections 23.70.110, Applications and 23.70.140, Findings.

1. Special conditions and circumstances exist which are peculiar to the subject property and not applicable to other properties in the same zoning district.

According to the applicant, the special condition that exists is the fact that the front yard of their property appears to be larger than what it is because of the 80' width of the Center Blvd. right-of-way.

The 80' width of the Center Blvd. right-of-way is not isolated to the applicant's property. This portion of Center Blvd. extends approximately 1,350 lineal feet and 26 other properties have the same, or similar, circumstance of that of the applicants.

2. Literal interpretation of the ordinance would deny the applicant rights commonly enjoyed by other properties in the district.

According to the applicants their front property line starts significantly further up the driveway than the large majority of homes in their neighborhood. They would like to be able to park their truck and boat in their garage as other neighbors do.

Literal interpretation of RMC 23.18.040 imposes a 20' front yard setback for primary structures such as what is being proposed. The 20' setback requirement currently precludes the applicants of adding on to the front of their garage.

**3.** The special conditions and circumstances do not result from actions of the applicant. The applicant indicates that the special condition/circumstance that exists is the fact that the Center Blvd. right-of-way is 80' in width, which is considerably greater than most other right-of-way widths in the Willowbrook neighborhood.

As indicated previously, Center Blvd. was originally intended to be a collector street that was to accommodate a larger number of vehicles than what ultimately occurred. This condition was in no way the responsibility of the applicants. It should be noted that while the right-of-way width is not the responsibility of the applicants, the fact that they now have large vehicles that they want to have parked inside could be considered as a direct action of the applicants.

4. The requested variance will not confer a special privilege to the applicant that is denied others in the same use district.

According to the applicants, the granting of the requested variance will allow them the ability to park their personal vehicles in their garage, as is the same with their neighbors. They believe that this doesn't give them any special privilege, but rather allows them to utilize their home and driveway as to others in their neighborhood.

The requested variance is difficult to review in that there does not appear to be many other options for the applicants when it comes to constructing more covered parking for their vehicles. However, there are no requirements that they park their vehicles inside. It appears that the real reason for the variance request is that the applicants have purchased vehicles that are unable to be parked within their existing garage without it needing to be enlarged. Technically, as noted previously, this could be seen as a direct action of the applicants.

#### 5. Justification for granting the variance.

The justification for the granting of the variance from the applicant's perspective is the width of the Center Blvd. right-of-way. While the right-of-way width in this area is larger than in other areas, the real reason behind the variance request appears to be the need to park vehicles that are larger than what the existing garage bays will accommodate.

- **6.** The variance is the minimum necessary to make reasonable use of the property. The requested variance appears to be the minimum necessary to provide relief. However, the main issue before the Board is whether or not a variance is necessary based upon the fact that the applicants have purchased vehicles that are larger than would fit within their garage.
- 7. The variance would be consistent with the general purpose and intent of the Code and would not be injurious to the surrounding neighborhood or detrimental to the public welfare.

The requested variance appears to be consistent with the general purpose and intent of the Code; however, it could be considered to be detrimental to the public welfare due to the fact that the next door neighbor would likely have reduced vision when backing out onto Center Blvd. due to the existence of a large tree that sits between the sidewalk and the front of the garage. This existing tree appears to limit the vision of the applicant and the neighbor when backing out onto Center Blvd. Further reducing the setback between the garage and front property line may exacerbate the vision clearance issue for the subject property and the neighbor.

#### SUGGESTED CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- The Board of Adjustment has jurisdiction to hold a public hearing and issue a decision for the proposed Zoning Variance.
- 2. The Board of Adjustment is unable to grant the proposed Variance request as the requested Variance is not the minimum necessary to make reasonable use of the property and is not consistent with the general purpose and intent of the Code.
- Literal interpretation of the ordinance would not deny the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties in the district as the site currently contains an existing singlefamily residence with 3 bay-garage.

#### **SUGGESTED FINDINGS OF FACT:**

- 1. Kellen and Mindy Stromberg have applied for a Variance authorizing the construction of a garage addition to within approximately 17.30' of the front property line.
- 2. The subject property is located at 201 Center Blvd.
- 3. The subject site is bordered on each side by other single-family homes.
- 5. The subject site is approximately 9,600 square feet in size (80' x 120').
- 6. The subject site contains a single-family home.
- 7. Richland Municipal Code Section 23.18.040 imposes twenty (20) foot minimum front yard setbacks for homes in the R-1-10 zoning district.
- 8. Pursuant to RMC 19.20.040, Joint public hearings, the City has determined that the Board of Adjustment is the authorized review body for Variance review proceedings.
- 9. The site is zoned Single-Family Residential by the City's official zoning map and is designated as Low-Density Residential by the City's Comprehensive Plan.
- 10. The site is not located within the jurisdiction of the City's Shoreline Master Program nor does it contain any critical areas regulated by RMC 22.10.
- 11. All public notification requirements have been fulfilled.
- 12. No comments of concern from public agencies were received.
- 13. One public comment was received and is included as part of Exhibit 6.
- 14. Requirements for granting variances are set forth in Richland Municipal Code (RMC) Sections 23.70.110, Applications and 23.70.140, Findings.
- 15. The requested variance is not the minimum necessary to make reasonable use of the property.
- 16. Literal interpretation of the ordinance does not deny the applicant rights commonly enjoyed by other properties in the district.

#### **RECOMMENDED MOTION:**

I move that the Board of Adjustment concur with the Findings and Conclusions set forth in the staff report and **DENY** the variance to RMC 23.18.040 authorizing construction of a garage addition to within approximately 17.30' from the front property line.

#### **EXHIBIT LIST:**

Exhibit 1 – Variance application

Exhibit 2 – Site plans

Exhibit 3 – Vicinity map

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Exhibit 4 – Site Map Exhibit 5 – Site photo Exhibit 6 – Public notice & affidavits

# Richland Washington

### Exhibit 1

Note: A Pre-Application Meeting is required prior to submittal of an application.

## City of Richland Development Services

625 Swift Blvd. MS-35 Richland, WA 99352 (509) 942-7794

**(509)** 942-7764

#### **VARIANCE APPLICATION**

PROPERTY OWNER INFORMATION	Contact Person			
Owner:Kellen and Mindy Stromberg				
Address: 201 Center Blvd.				
Phone: 801-898-1467	Email:mindystromberg@gmail.com			
APPLICANT/CONTRACTOR INFORMATION (if different)	☐ Contact Person			
Company: Advanter Home Solutions LLC	UBI#:			
Contact: Eli				
Address:				
Phone: 509-380-1416	Email: advanterhs@gmail.com			
DESCRIPTION OF REQUESTED VARIANCE				
We would like to extend our main two-car garage by 3 feet toward the street. The single car garage will be extended 5 feet, as it currently sits back 2 feet from the double garage, so that the front of all 3 garages will be equal and flush. Extending these garages will allow us to be able to park our personal vehicles in our garage. The location of our HVAC system in the garage shortens the length available to park in the garage.				
PROPERTY INFORMATION				
Parcel #: 101882020000005				
Legal Description: Section 1 Township 8 Range 28 Quarter N	W: Plat WILLOWBROOK NO.2 Phase No.1, Lot 5, AF#2005			
Current Zoning: R-2	Current Land Use Designation: Medium Density Residential			

#### **APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE**

- 1. Completed application and filing fee
- 2. Floor Plan (if necessary)
- 3. Site Plan
- 4. Title Report showing ownership, easements, restrictions and accurate legal description of the property involved
- 5. Other information as determined by the Administrator

#### **VARIANCE** – Answer the following as thoroughly as possible.

Describe the extraordinary conditions or unusual circumstances which exist on your property that would justify deviation from the standard (such as topographic features, parcel size and slope, drainage etc.):

During construction of the Willowbrook development, it may have been proposed to carry Center Boulevard to Broadmoor, but Center does not extend across the subdivision. There is a larger Right-of-Way on Center Blvd than any other road in our neighborhood. This right of way requires us to have our home set back further from the street than most of the other homes in our neighborhood. This also means we have a far longer driveway than the majority of homes in our neighborhood. Currently, our property line begins approximately one third up the driveway due to the 80-foot right of way for Center Boulevard. Center Boulevard is not a through street, thus the 80-foot right of way does not appear appropriate for this road.

We are a corner lot, which does not affect the proposed addition.

Were the special conditions and/or circumstances caused directly by you (the applicant)?:

Describe how the literal interpretation of the provisions of this title would deprive you of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties in the same district under the terms of this title:

Due to the right of way, our property line starts significantly further up our driveway than the large majority of homes in our neighborhood. We would like to be able to park our truck and our boat in our garage, as many of our neighbors are able to do. There is another neighbor in our development that recently extended their garage toward the street by 10 feet, we are only planning to extend our garage by 3 feet from the current double-car garage location (5 feet from the smaller, single garage).

Explain why granting the variance will not confer on you (the applicant) any special privilege that is otherwise denied by this title to other lands, structures or buildings in the same district:

Granting this variance simply allows us the ability to be able to park our personal vehicles in our garage, as is the same with our neighbors. This doesn't allow any special privilege for us, but rather allows us to utilize our home and driveway like the majority of our neighbors in the Willowbrook Development.

Provide any other information you would like to add that supports your request:

Mindy has already spoken with Mike Stevens on several occasions regarding this variance. He has already seen and reviewed the Survey information, which has been emailed previously. Mindy has also spoken with Carlos from Public Works Department, in December 2021, to discuss the right of way and utility easement. He states that bringing the garage closer to the utility easement and right of way should not pose any problem for his department. The finished plans from the home designer are also attached.

I authorize employees and officials of the City of Richland the right to enter and remain on the property in question to determine whether a permit should be issued and whether special conditions should be placed on any issued permit. I have the legal authority to grant such access to the property in question.

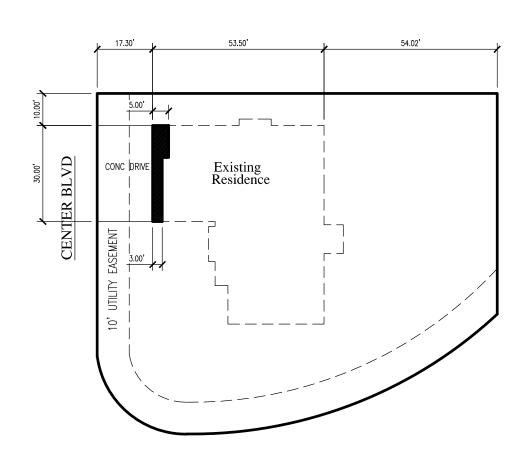
I also acknowledge that if a permit is issued for land development activities, no terms of the permit can be violated without further approval by the permitting entity. I understand that the granting of a permit does not authorize anyone to violate in any way any federal, state, or local law/regulation pertaining to development activities associated with a permit.

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the following is true and correct:

- 1. I have read and examined this permit application and have documented all applicable requirements on the site plan.
- 2. The information provided in this application contains no misstatement of fact.
- 3. I am the owner(s), the authorized agent(s) of the owner(s) of the above referenced property, or I am currently a licensed contractor or specialty contractor under Chapter 18.27 RCW or I am exempt from the requirements of Chapter 18.27 RCW
- 4. I understand this permit is subject to all other local, state, and federal regulations.

Note: This application will not be processed unless the above certification is endorsed by an authorized agent of the owner(s) of the property in question and/or the owner(s) themselves. If the City of Richland has reason to believe that erroneous information has been supplied by an authorized agent of the owner(s) of the property in question and/or by the owner(s) themselves, processing of the application may be suspended.

Applicant Printed Nar	Mindy Stromberg		
	eSigned via SeamlessDocs.com		
Applicant Signature:	Mindy Sue Stromberg  Key: aaf90ce915416a84b07c15254ebe375c	Date	04/10/2022





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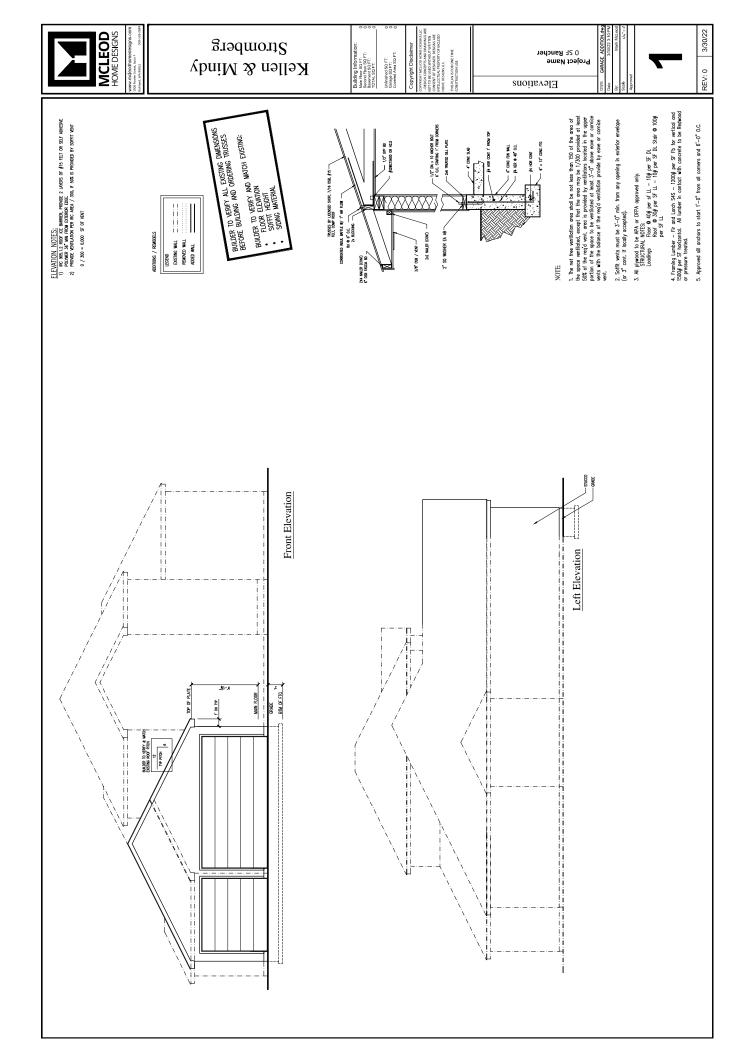
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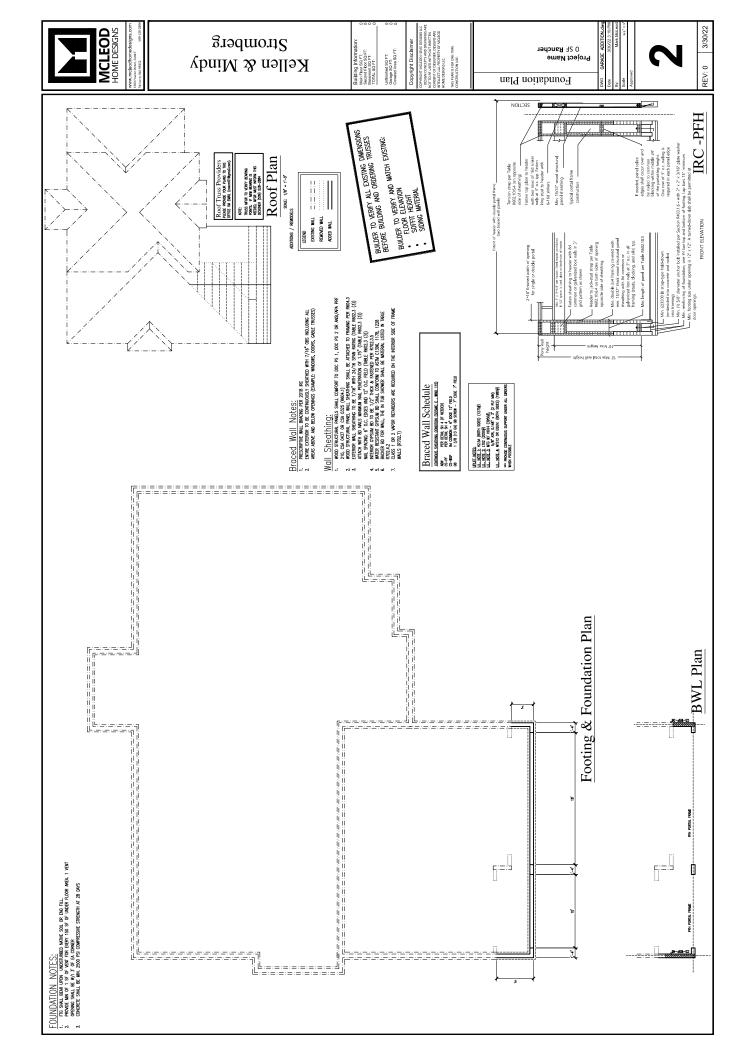
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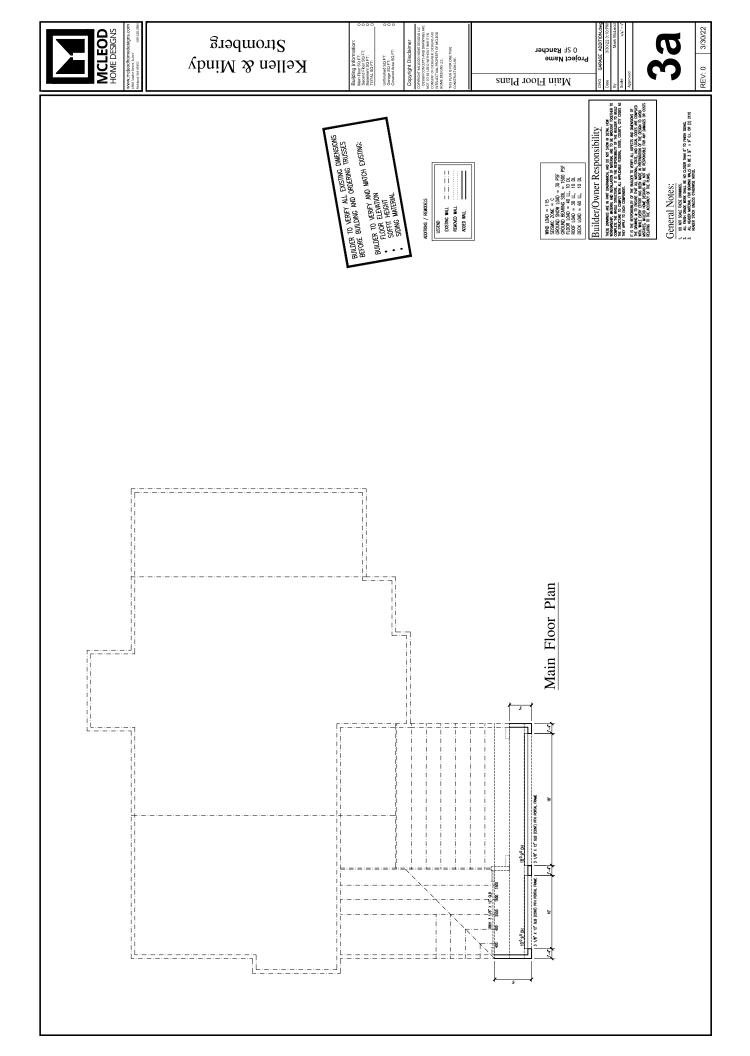
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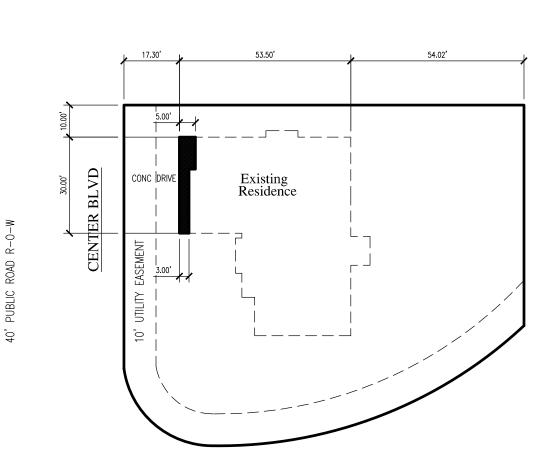
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**PASSED** 

March 30, 2022 14:48:45

Job name: Single

Address:

City, State, Zip:

Customer: PR-L313 Code reports:

File name: stromberg

Specifier: Designer:

Mark McLeod

Company: McLeod Home Designs

Member Summary

Description Design Results **Product Plies Control** Design RB01 3rd bay beam Passed 3-1/8" x 12" BOISE GLULAM® 24F-V4/DF Live Load Deflection 93.0%

#### **Disclosure**

Use of the Boise Cascade Software is subject to the terms of the End User License Agreement (EULA). Completeness and accuracy of input must be reviewed and verified by a qualified engineer or other appropriate expert to assure its adequacy, prior to anyone relying on such output as evidence of suitability for a particular application. The output here is based on building code-accepted design properties and analysis methods. Installation of Boise Cascade engineered wood products must be in accordance with current Installation Guide and applicable building codes. To obtain Installation Guide or ask questions, please call (800)232-0788 before installation.

BC CALC®, BC FRAMER® , AJS™, ALLJOIST® , BC RIM BOARD™, BCI® , BOISE GLULAM™, BC FloorValue® , VERSA-LAM®, VERSA-RIM PLUS® , VERSA-RIM®, VERSA-STRAND®, VERSA-STUD® are trademarks of Boise Cascade Wood Products L.L.C.



Description:

## Single 3-1/8" x 12" BOISE GLULAM® 24F-V4/DF

RB01 (Roof Beam)

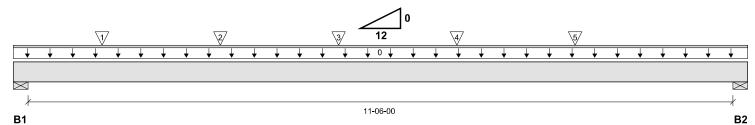
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**BC CALC® Member Report** 

3rd bay beam

March 30, 2022 14:48:45

This report has a cover page. See the cover page(s) for project data and important information regarding this analysis and product installation.



#### Total Horizontal Product Length = 12-05-00

#### Reaction Summary (Down / Uplift) (lbs)

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Bearing	Live	Dead	Snow	Wind	Roof Live			
B1, 5-1/2"	2966 / 0	57 / 0						
D2 5 1/2"	2224 / 0	57 / 0						

Loa	ad Summary						Live	Dead	Snow	Wind	Roof Live	Tributary
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2	j2	Conc. Pt. (lbs)	L	03-06-00	03-06-00	Top	400					n\a
3	grider	Conc. Pt. (lbs)	L	05-06-00	05-06-00	Top	2500					n\a
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Controls Summary	Value	% Allowable	Duration	Case	Location
Pos. Moment	12894 ft-lbs	86.0%	100%	1	05-06-00
End Shear	3377 lbs	51.0%	100%	1	10-11-08
Total Load Deflection	L/382 (0.365")	62.8%	n∖a	1	06-02-12
Live Load Deflection	L/387 (0.36")	93.0%	n∖a	5	06-02-12
Max Defl.	0.365"	36.5%	n∖a	1	06-02-12
Span / Depth	11.6				

				% Allow	% Allow		
Beari	ing Supports	Dim. (LxW)	Value	Support	Member	Material	
B1	Wall/Plate	5-1/2" x 3-1/8"	3023 lbs	28.1%	27.1%	Douglas Fir	
B2	Wall/Plate	5-1/2" x 3-1/8"	3391 lbs	31.6%	30.3%	Douglas Fir	

#### **Cautions**

For roof members with slope (1/4)/12 or less final design must ensure that ponding instability will not occur.

For roof members with slope (1/2)/12 or less final design must account for Rain-on-Snow surcharge load.

#### **Notes**

Design meets User specified (L/240) Total load deflection criteria.

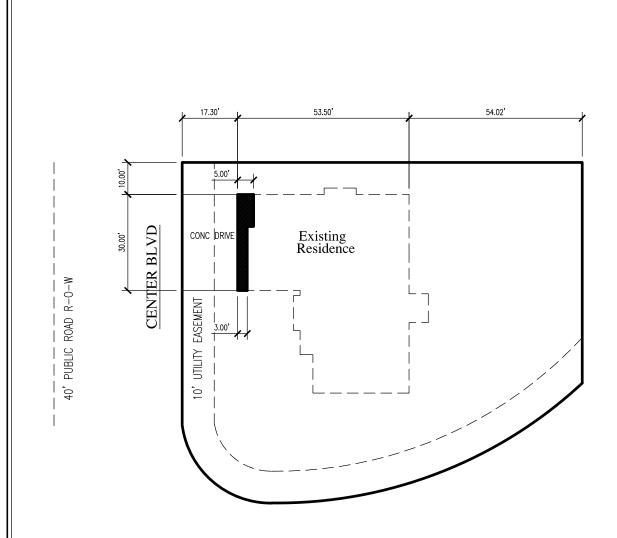
Design meets User specified (L/360) Live load deflection criteria.

Design meets arbitrary (1") Maximum Total load deflection criteria.

BC CALC® analysis is based on IBC 2009.

Design based on Dry Service Condition.

Calculations assume member is fully braced.





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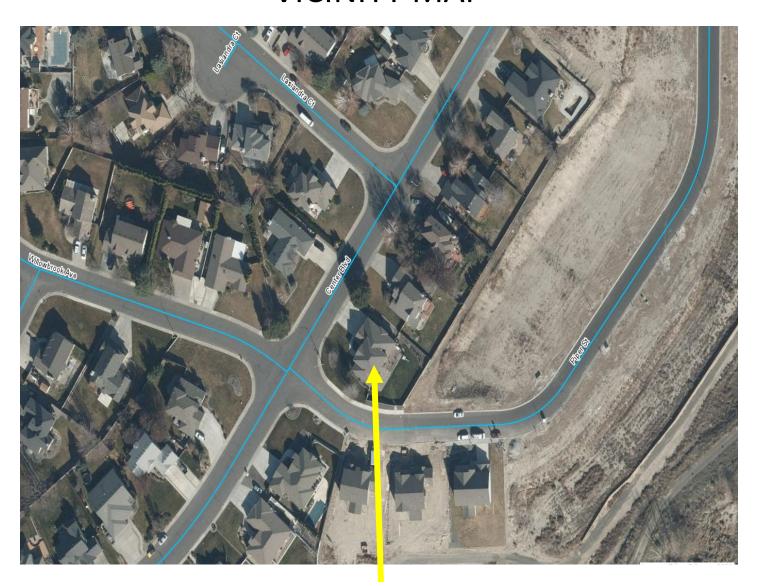
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## Exhibit 3

# BA2022-102 201 Center Blvd.

## **VICINITY MAP**



SITE

WILCOBK1

27604P1.DWG REV: 12/21/04 25-029



## Exhibit 6



# CITY OF RICHLAND NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PUBLIC HEARING (BA2022-102)

Notice is hereby given that Advanter Home Solutions, LLC has filed a variance application on behalf of Kellen & Mindy Stromberg requesting relief from the front yard setback requirement of the R-2 residential zoning district to allow construction of a garage addition to within approximately 17.30' from the front (north) property line. The subject site, addressed as 201 Center Blvd., is indicated in the map below.

The Richland Board of Adjustment will conduct a public hearing and review of the application at 6:00 p.m., Thursday, May 19, 2022. All interested parties are invited to attend in-person and present testimony at the public hearing or by visiting the City of Richland website (<a href="www.ci.richland.wa.us">www.ci.richland.wa.us</a>) and joining via Zoom.

Any person desiring to express their views or to be notified of any decisions pertaining to this application should notify Mike Stevens, Planning Manager, 625 Swift Boulevard, MS #35, Richland, WA 99352. Comments may also be emailed to <a href="matter:mstevens@ci.richland.wa.us">mstevens@ci.richland.wa.us</a>. Written comments should be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 12, 2022 to be incorporated into the staff report. Comments received after that date will be entered into the record during the hearing.



#### AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

STATE OF WASHINGTON	)
	) ss
COUNTY OF BENTON	)

COMES NOW, Kevin Damrell, who, being first duly sworn upon oath deposes and says:

- 1. I am an employee in the Planning Division of the Development Services Department for the City of Richland.
- 2. On the 26th day of April, 2022, I mailed a copy of the attached NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND PUBLIC HEARING (BA2022-102) to the attached list of individuals via regular USPS on the date indicated above. The Richland Board of Adjustment will conduct a virtual public hearing and review of the application on Thursday, May 19, 2022.

Signed: Kevin Damrell

SIGNED AND SWORN to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022 by Kevin Damrell.

THER SCHULL STATE OF WASHINGTON

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington,

Print Name

Residing at U25 8W1 Kt Blud, Kichle

My appointment expires:  $\sqrt{-25-23}$ 

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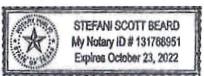
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Carol B. Groce 204 Center Blvd. Richland, WA 99532 cbondg@msn.com

May 3, 2022

City of Richland Mike Stevens, Planning Manager 625 Swift Blvd, MS #35 Richland, WA 99352

RE: BA2022-102

Dear Mr. Stevens,

I am Carol Groce, and I live directly across the street from the house at 201 Center Blvd., Richland; which is requesting relief from the front yard setback requirement of the R-2 residential zoning district to allow construction of a garage addition to within 17.3' from the north property line. The intent of this letter is to state my strong opposition to the granting of their request.

Even without seeing a photo, or a diagram, of the building plans; I highly object to the house being altered in any way from how it currently looks. We live in a neighborhood with a HOA that has set high standards of covenants, conditions and restrictions. Has our HOA been notified of this request? Changing the look of the house will not only affect the property value around it, but in our neighborhood as a whole. Won't this garage addition shorten their driveway to where no car can park on the driveway without it overlapping onto the sidewalk? Won't the extended garage make it more visually difficult for neighbors backing out of their driveways onto the street?

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Thank you for your time, and please do not support this zoning exception. I anticipate the neighbor's request to fail and hope to hear back from the city with their decision.

Sincerely,

Carol Groce

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