LEAVENWORTH BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

MONDAY, July 17, 2017 - 7:00 P.M. COMMISSION ROOM, CITY HALL LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER:

- A. Roll Call/Establish Quorum
- B. Approval of Minutes: June 19, 2017 Action: Motion

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

A. 2017-14 BZA – 4700 Lakeview Drive

Hold a public hearing for Case No. 2017-14 BZA, wherein the petitioner seeks a variance from section 4.04 of the adopted Development Regulations to allow an agricultural accessory building larger than 1,500 sqft on a parcel over two acres in size.

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CITY of LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS

Board of Zoning Appeals Agenda Item Variance Request 2017-14-BZA 4700 Lakeview Drive

JULY 17, 2017

Prepared By

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Paul Kramer City Manager

SUMMARY:

Julie Hurley

City Planner

The applicant is requesting a variance from section 4.04 of the adopted Development Regulations to allow an agricultural accessory building larger than 1,500 sqft on a parcel over two acres in size.

DISCUSSION:

The subject property is a single family home located at 4700 Lakeview Drive. The property is 13.66 acres in size and is currently zoned R1-9, Medium Density Single Family Residential district. The applicant is proposing to construct a 2,208 square foot pole barn (46' x 48') on the property to be used for a "hobby shop" and to store small yard and farm implements needed to care for the property.

Section 4.04 of the Development Regulations allows for agricultural accessory buildings not exceeding 1,500 sqft on parcels two acres or larger. The size of the proposed structure exceeds the allowed 1,500 square feet, thereby requiring a variance to be granted by the Board of Zoning Appeals. The proposed structure would meet all other applicable requirements.

STAFF ANALYSIS:

The proposed structure would be located on a large parcel, much larger than most residential parcels found in the R1-9 zoning district. The property is surrounded by other large lots, many of which have existing accessory structures of a similar size and nature. The proposed structure will be situated in such a way as to be unobtrusive to adjoining property owners and will not be visible from the road. The structure is designed in a manner to reflect a residential appearance, and will match the existing home on the lot in color. Given these factors, staff concludes that the proposed structure is appropriate for the subject site.

BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS AUTHORITY:

The Board's authority in this matter is contained in Article XV (Board of Zoning Appeals), Section 15.05.B (Powers and Jurisdictions – Variances)

- B. Variances: To authorize in specific cases a variance from the specific terms of these Development Regulations which will not be contrary to the public interest and where, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of the provisions of these Development Regulations will, in an individual case, result in unnecessary hardship, provided the spirit of these Development Regulations shall be observed, public safety and welfare secured, and substantial justice done. Such variance shall not permit any use not permitted by the Development Regulations of the City of Leavenworth, Kansas in such district. Rather, variances shall only be granted for the detailed requirements of the district such as area, bulk, yard, parking or screening requirements.
 - The applicant must show that his property was acquired in good faith and where by reason of exceptional narrowness, shallowness or shape of this specific piece of property at the time of the effective date of the Zoning Ordinance, or where by reason of exceptional topographical conditions or other extra-ordinary or exceptional circumstances that the strict application of the terms of the Development Regulations of the City of Leavenworth, Kansas actually prohibits the use of his property in the manner similar to that of other property in the zoning district where it is located.
 - 2. A request for a variance may be granted, upon a finding of the Board that all of the following conditions have been met:
 - a) The Board shall make a determination on each condition, and the finding shall be entered in the record.
 - b) That the variance requested arises from such condition which is unique to the property in question and is not ordinarily found in the same zone or district; and is not created by an action or actions of the property owner or the applicant.
 - *c)* That the granting of the permit for the variance will not adversely affect the rights of adjacent property owners or residents.
 - d) That the strict application of the provisions of the Development Regulations from which the variance is requested will constitute unnecessary hardship upon the property owner represented in the application.
 - e) That the variance desired will not adversely affect the public health, safety, morals, order, convenience, prosperity, or general welfare;
 - *f)* That granting of the variance desired will not be opposed to the general spirit and intent of the Development Regulations.
 - 3. In granting a variance, the Board may impose such conditions, safeguards, and restrictions upon the premises benefited by the variance as may be necessary to reduce or minimize any potentially injurious effect of such variance upon other property in the neighborhood, and to carry out the general purpose and intent of these Development Regulations.

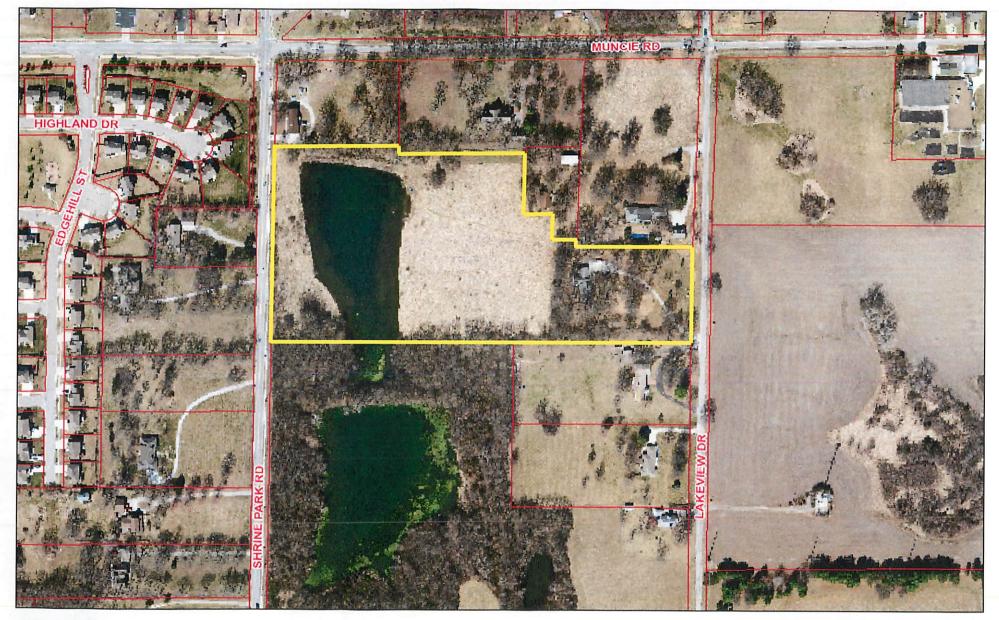
ACTION:

Approve or deny the request for a variance from section 4.04 of the Development Regulations to allow construction of an agricultural accessory building as proposed.

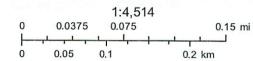
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CITY OF LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS Fee (non-refundable) \$350.00
Property Zoning RI-9 Filing Date Fie Paid 5/3/17
PETITION
Petitioner <u>Stephen A. FLANAGAN</u> Telephone <u>913 240 6634</u> (name typed or printed)
(name typed or printed)
Address 405 N BROGDWHY LEAVENWORTH KANSAS 66048
Location of Property Involved: 4700 LAKENIEW DR. LEANERWORTH KANSAS 66048 Email Address: FLANAGAN 66048 & GMAIL, COM
Legal Description: (Attach full legal description provided by the REGISTER OF DEEDS OFFICE or a TITLE COMPANY)
Petitioner's Interest in Property Owner
Purpose of Petition: Build Pole Building Holby Shop over 1200 sq.ft. in frontyped (approx 2200 sq.ft.).
Appeal of Administration Decision Date of Decision Section 11.03.A
Variance:
Section 11.03.B
Exception:
Section 11.03.C Description of Action to be decided upon: <u>4.03(E)(1) and 4.04(B)(3)(g)</u>
Site Plan or drawing attached: Yes No I, the undersigned, certify that I am the legal owner of the property described above and that if this request is granted, I will proceed with the actual construction in accordance with the plans submitted within four (4) months from the date of filing or request in writing an extension of time for the Board's consideration
Signature: Syland ASI Date: 25 May 2017
State of
County of
This instrument was acknowledged before me on <u>5/31/17</u>
by Lee Burlison
My commission expires: My Appt. Expires 7-25-2019 Notary Public Notary Public
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: Date of Publication (2/22/2017 Date of Hearing: 7/17/17
Supporting documentation: Site plan, plot plan, a drawing and any other pertinent data
Current list of names and addresses of the owners and the tax identification number of all properties within 200
A filing fee of Three Hundred- fifty dollars (\$350)

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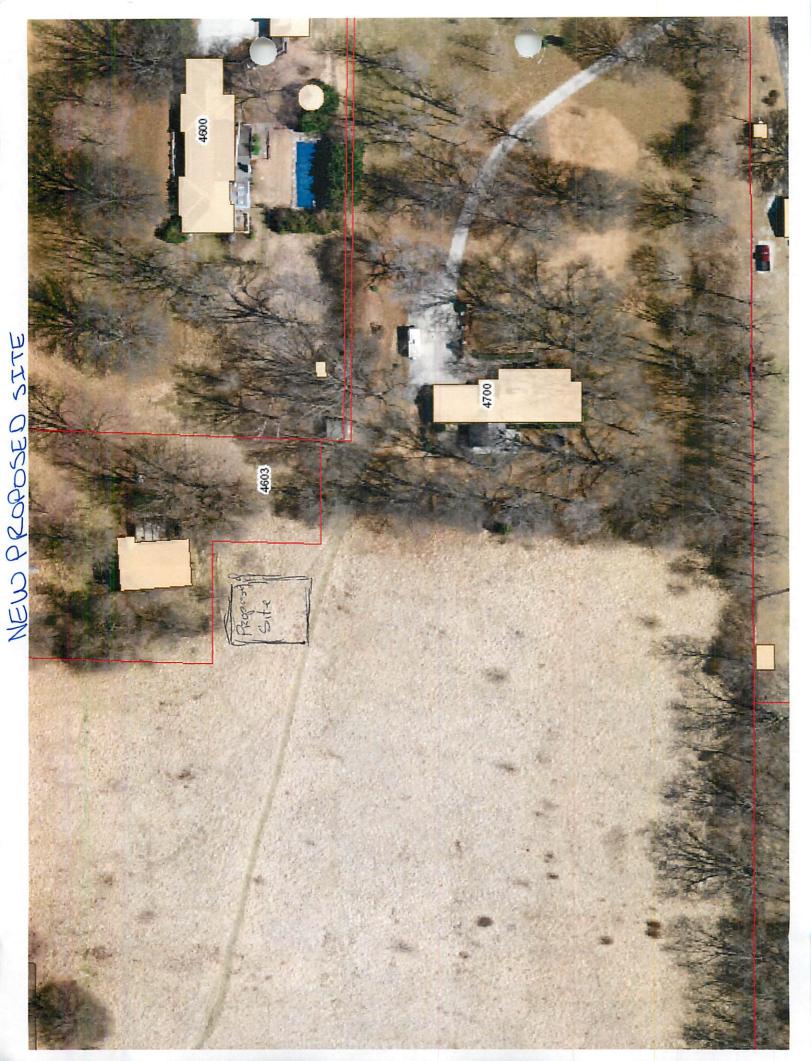
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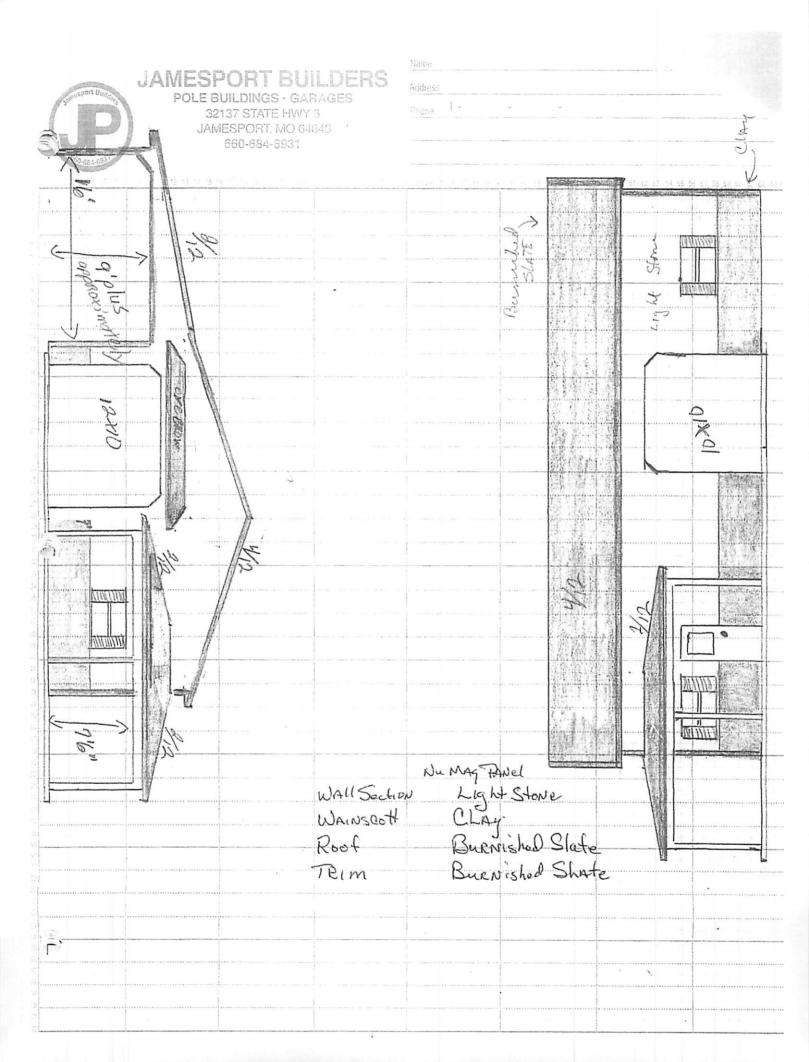


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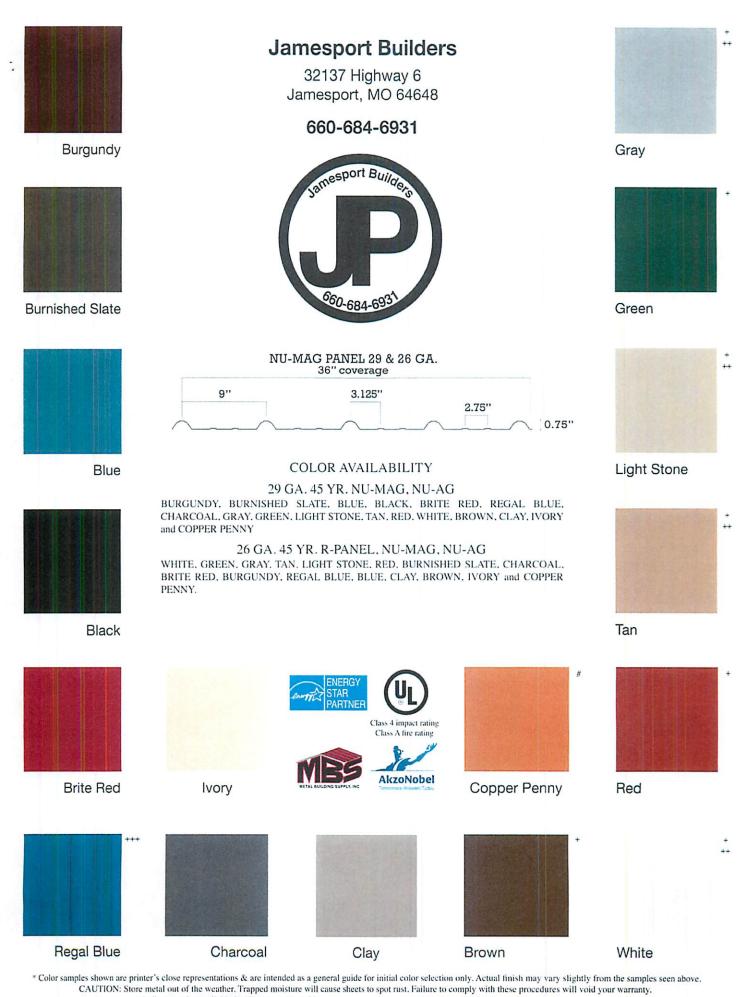
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