

# Marion County Board of Adjustment Meeting Agenda

Monday, August 4, 2025

2:00 PM

**Growth Services Building - Training Room** 

Call to Order and Roll Call

**Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance** 

**Explanation of Procedure for Hearing Variance Requests** 

- 1. Acknowledgment of Proof of Publication, Mailing and Posting of Notice
- 2. Consider the following Variance Requests
  - 2.1. 250801V Tony Hassman and Kimberle Glaser, Request a Variance to Reduce the Front (West Side) Setback from 25' to 7.9' to Allow for an Existing Carport, in a Single-Family Dwelling (R-1) Zone, 0.46 Acre Parce, Parcel Account Number 3578-023-027, Site Address 10185 SW 41st Avenue, Ocala, FL 34476
  - 2.2. 250802V Sandra Kursingh Rojas, Requests a Variance to Reduce the Front (North Side) Setback from 25' to 23' to Allow for Mobile Home, in a Mixed Residential (R-4) Zone, 0.30 Acre Parcel, Parcel Account Number 4014-006-003, Site Address 18894 SE 55th Place, Ocklawaha, FL 32179
  - 2.3. 250803V U-HAUL CO. of Florida, Requests a Variance to Increase the Permitted Signage by One (1) Additional Wall Sign and Increase of Overall Signage Square Footage (SF) by 129SF from 384SF to 513SF, in a Community Business (B-2) Zone, 13.38 Acre Parcel, on Parcel Account Number 35485-001-04, Site Addresses 6615 and 6621 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34476
- 3. Other Business
- 4. Consider the Minutes of Previous Meeting
  - **4.1.** May 5, 2025

Adjourn



### **Marion County**

### **Board of Adjustment**

### Agenda Item

File No.: 2025-19849 Agenda Date: 8/4/2025 Agenda No.: 2.1.

#### SUBJECT:

250801V - Tony Hassman and Kimberle Glaser, Request a Variance to Reduce the Front (West Side) Setback from 25' to 7.9' to Allow for an Existing Carport, in a Single-Family Dwelling (R-1) Zone, 0.46 Acre Parce, Parcel Account Number 3578-023-027, Site Address 10185 SW 41<sup>st</sup> Avenue, Ocala, FL 34476

### **DESCRIPTION/BACKGROUND:**

This is a variance request filed by the applicant Tony Hassman, from the Land Development Code (LDC) Section 4.2.10 E, attached structures to the home are required to meet the Single-Family Residential (SFR) setbacks. The Land Development Code states that in R-1 zoning, the SFR setbacks are 25' from the front property line, 25' from the rear property line, and 8' from both side property lines. The applicant is requesting to have a front setback reduction from the required 25' to 7.9' for a 22' X 23' existing not attached carport. The carport was built with a permit that was cancelled, a permit was applied for in October of 2024 and rejected by zoning because it did not meet the front setback requirements. Since the carport is not attached, it qualifies as an accessory structure. Accessory structures must be to the side or rear of the primary structure (house) and may not extend beyond the front of the primary structure.



### Marion County Board of County Commissioners

### **Growth Services**

2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 Phone: 352-438-2600 Fax: 352-438-2601

### ZONING SECTION STAFF REPORT August 4, 2025 BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT PUBLIC HEARING

Case Number	250801V
CDP-AR	131775
Type of Case	<b>Variance</b> to reduce front setback from 25' to 7.9' for a 22'x23' existing not attached carport. The permit was cancelled by contractor.
Owner	Tony Hassman & Kimberle Glaser
Applicant	Tony Hassman
Street Address	10185 SW 41 <sup>st</sup> Ave, Ocala
Parcel Number	3578-023-027
Property Size	.46 acres
Future Land Use	Medium Density Residential
Zoning Classification	Single Family Dwelling (R-1)
Overlay Zone/Scenic Area	Secondary Springs Protection Overlay Zone (SPOZ), Urban Growth Boundary
Project Planner	Cristina Franco, Zoning Technician I
Related Case(s)	Open Code Case 98372- Accessory structure built in front setback without the applicable permits.

### I. ITEM SUMMARY

This is a variance request filed by the applicant Tony Hassman, from the Land Development Code (LDC) Section 4.2.10 E, attached structures to the home are required to meet the Single-Family Residential (SFR) setbacks. The Land Development Code states that in R-1 zoning, the SFR setbacks are 25' from the front property line, 25' from the rear property line, and 8' from both side property lines. The applicant is requesting to have a front setback reduction from the required 25' to 7.9' for a 22' X 23' existing not attached carport. The carport was built with a permit that was cancelled, a permit was applied for in October of 2024 and rejected by zoning because it did not meet the front setback requirements. Since the carport is not attached, it qualifies as an accessory structure. Accessory structures must be to the side or rear of the primary structure (house) and may not extend beyond the front of the primary structure.



FIGURE 1
GENERAL LOCATION MAP

### II. PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of public hearing was mailed to (18) property owners within 300 feet of the subject property on July 18, 2025. A public notice sign was posted on the subject property on June 23, 2025 (Figure 2) and the notice of the public hearing was published in the Star-Banner on July 15, 2025. Evidence of the public notice requirements is on file with the Department and is incorporated herein by reference.

### III. PROPERTY CHARACTERISTICS

The subject .46-acre lot is located within the recorded subdivision, Ocala Waterway Estates. The property has a Medium Residential Future Land Use Map Series (FLUMS) designation with an R-1 Zoning Classification. LDC Section 4.2.10.E provides the determined setbacks to be a minimum 25' front setback, minimum 25' rear setback, and minimum 8' sides setback.

The .46-acre subject property is displayed as Lot 27, Block 23, Plat Book K Page 052 in Ocala waterway estates. The property has 200' depth with 100' width.

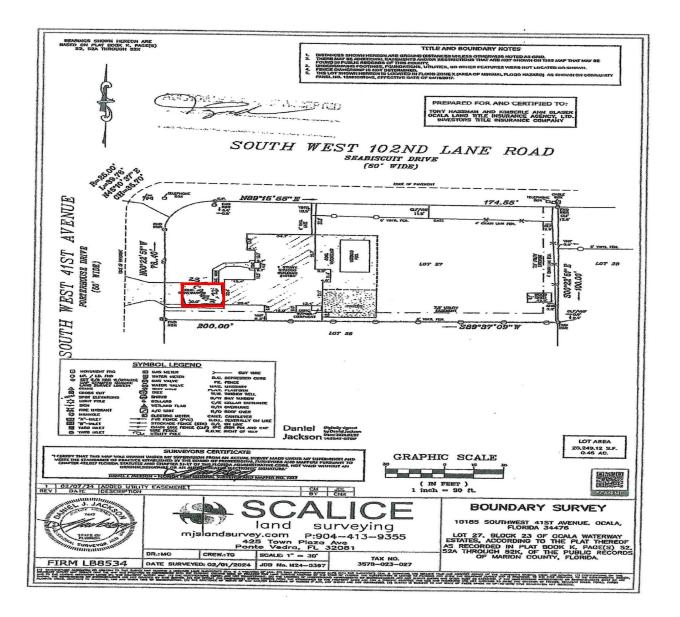




### IV. REQUEST STATEMENT

This application requests a variance from LDC Section 4.2.10.E. for the front setback from the required 25' to 7.9' for an existing 23'x22' attached carport. Consistent with LDC Section 2.9.3.B., on June 23, 2025, a site visit was conducted by Growth Services Department staff, and measurements and photographs were taken.

# Figure 4 Site Plan



### **ANALYSIS**

LDC Section 2.9.4.E provides the Board of Adjustment shall not grant a variance unless the petition demonstrates compliance with six (6) criteria. The six (6) criteria and the staff's analysis of compliance with those criteria are provided below.

1. Special conditions and circumstances exist which are peculiar to the land, structure, or building involved and which do not apply to other lands, structures, or buildings with the same zoning classification and land use area.

**Analysis**: Applicant states they are requesting a reduction to the front 25' setback to 7.9' for an existing 23' x 22' not-attached carport.

**Staff** inspected the property to measure the front setback request and concur with the above 7.9' setback request of the applicant. The site plan provided with the original Building permit 20240102255 currently rejected by zoning, shows a 7' setback.

2. The special conditions and circumstances do not result from the actions of the applicant.

**Analysis**: The applicant states "Their vehicles do not fit in the garage thus they are exposed to the afternoon sun and heat all day. The sunshade/carport keep the direct sun off the paint, rubber and leather, thus extending the life of the vehicle. The heat in the garage from midday to late evening has proven to heat our garage and master suite extensively. To reduce the heat, we have insulated the garage, added a room air conditioner. Additionally, the carport had reduced the heat by an additional 5-10 degrees.

**Staff** finds that if he would have pulled the applicable permits it would not have been approved by zoning, it is not attached and does not meet the setback requirements and is also an accessory in front of the home. And if the carport was attached to the home, it would not meet the front setback requirement of 25' from the property line.

3. Literal interpretation of the provisions of applicable regulations would deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties with the same zoning classification and land use area under the terms of said regulations and would work unnecessary and undue hardship on the applicant.

**Analysis**: As per the applicant there are 4 permitted properties within blocks of my property that have the same installation typical in size and layout, each of these were approved inside of code section 4.2.9. Permit numbers and addresses:

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2015031486 – 10247 SW 41<sup>st</sup> Ave, (Structure to street 20') 2014010818 – 4074 SW 103<sup>rd</sup> Ln, (Structure to street 20') 2014100136 – 10114 SW 42<sup>nd</sup> Ave, (Structure to street 20') 2010110636 – 4861 SW 106<sup>th</sup> PI. (Structure to street 20')
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**Staff** permit 2015031486 site plan shows a 25' setback and was approved.

Permit 2014010818 Site plan shows the carport in the rear of the property meeting the rear and side setback of 8' and that is what zoning approved.

Permit 2014100136 has a site plan showing 25' setback and was approved.

Permit 2010110636 is for a Cat III eclosed sunroom.

Staff finds that if the applicable permit were pulled it would not have been approved by zoning, it is not attached and does not meet the setback requirements and is also an accessory in front of the home.

4. The variance, if granted, is the minimum variance that will allow the reasonable use of the land, building, or structure.

**Analysis**: Planning of this structure and installation, is the final step on our best efforts for the protection and welfare of the real property and inhabitants. A structure placed in any other part of the property would not serve the same purpose or provide the same results in the design and layout.

**Staff** confirms the applicants' request is the minimum variance to allow reasonable use of the land for the detached carport in this location.

5. Granting the variance requested will not confer on the applicant any special privilege that is denied by these regulations to other lands, buildings, or structures in the same zoning classification and land use area.

**Analysis**: Applicant states this is true.

**Staff** finds that granting any variance is a privilege, the structure if permitted would not have met the setbacks for an accessory building in front of the home in the R-1 zoning and would not have been approved. No other homeowners in the area are allowed to encroach into the front setback.

6. The granting of the variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare.

**Analysis**: Planning this structure every dimension was planned based on need and without impacting line of sight, right of way, or visual interference with neighboring homes. There are similar structures on the same street.

**Staff** finds that if variance is granted, it would not be injurious to the neighborhood as long as the applicant pulls the correct permits and gets them approved.

### V. LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

- A. Application
- B. Site Plan
- C. Marion County Property Appraiser Property Record Card
- D. Warranty Deed

#### Attachment A



Marion County Board of County Commissioners

Growth Services \* Zoning

2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocalz, FL 34470 Phone 352-438-2675 Fan: 352-438-2676

FOR COUNTY USE ONLY

OFFICE USE ONLY

Received By: ( Ga,~

Date Received: 5 16-25

VARIANCE APPLICATION

Application #: \_

3578-023-027/10185 Sw 41st Ave Ocale Fl. 34476

Parcel Account Number of Subject Property

THE UNDERSIGNED REQUESTS A VARIANCE AS REFERENCED IN SECTION 2.9 OF THE MARION COUNTY LAND DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF:

Installation of a sunshade/carport in front of our garage, typical of several within the neighborhood. The foundation of the garage is 53ft. from the street the structure is 26ft. from the street. Original permit number 2024102255

Added survey page with dimensions, I am requesting variance from 25ft to 7-9" from Pt.

Section of Code requesting variance from: 4.2.9

Legal Description (Please attach a copy of deed). Total Acreage of subject property: |.46

+/- acres

Directions to subject property:

Property is in Ocala waterway, sitting at the intersection of 102nd lane road and 41st avenue the area

Please Note: Property owner must sign this application: Otherwise he/she must attach to this application

written authorization naming an agent to act in his/her behalf.

(Print/Signature) Property Owner

10185 Sw 41st ave

Address

Ocala

City, State, Zip Code

FL 34476

Contact Info: Phone, cell, e-mail address

City, State, Zip Code 719-640-5250

(Print) Applicant or Agent

Address

CONTROL HIO: FHORE, CEIT, E-HIAH BULLESS

AGAIN 9550 O CON 653-167

THE FILING FEE IS \$ 550 NON-REFUNDABLE. WE RECOMMEND THAT THE OWNER, APPLICANT OR AGENT BE PRESENT AT THE HEARING. IF NO REPRESENTATIVE IS PRESENT AND THE BOARD REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, THEY MAY DECIDE TO POSTPONE OR DENY THE REQUEST. NOTICE OF SAID HEARING WILL BE MAILED TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS. ALL INFORMATION GIVEN MUST BE CORRECT AND LEGIBLE TO BE PROCESSED. PLEASE NOTE THAT A WRITTEN PETITION (REFER TO PAGE 2 & 3) MUST BE PROVIDED WITH THIS APPLICATION, ALONG WITH A SITE PLAN IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED COMPLETE. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT THE MARION COUNTY GROWTH SERVICES.

Received 5/19/25

AR 32859

CC 983672

"Meeting Needs by Exceeding Expectations"

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### WRITTEN PETITION FOR VARIANCE

WRITE YOUR ANSWERS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED AFTER EACH STATEMENT. PLEASE COMPLETE ALL REPLIES USING A SENTENCE FORM. A VARIANCE FROM THE TERMS OF THESE REGULATIONS SHALL NOT BE GRANTED BY THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT UNLESS A WRITTEN PETITION FOR A VARIANCE IS SUBMITTED JUSTIFYING THE FOLLOWING:

A. Special conditions and circumstances exist which are peculiar to the land, structure or building involved and which are not applicable to other lands, structures or buildings with the same zoning classification and land use area.

### Applicant's justification:

Requesting a waiver from the 25ft setback from property line, in lieu dimensions would be from the street as found on other properties with similar structures. By allowing this we will maintain the 25ft from the street. Due to the orientation of the property and home there is no available options to protect vehicles and reduce suns impact and heat to the garage and master suite.

Added survey page with dimensions, I am requesting a variance from 25ft to 7'-9" from PL

B. The special conditions and circumstances do not result from the actions of the applicant.

#### Applicant's justification:

We moved to FL in February of 2024. The property we selected faces due west; our garage faces due west. Our vehicles will not fit in the garage thus they are exposed to the afternoon sun and heat all day. The sunshade/carport keep this direct sun off the paint rubber and leather, thus extending the life of the vehicles. Additionally, my wife works at home, we have several dogs that spend the day in our garage, we have a dog door that allows access to the fully fenced back yard. The heat to the garage from midday to late evening has proven to heat our garage and master suite extensively. To reduce the heat, we have insulated the garage. In addition, we have added a room air conditioner for extreme heat day. I researched the sunshade/carport prior to selecting a contractor, there are five sunshade/carports in the neighborhood that are similar. Adding the sunshade/carport had reduced the heat by an additional 5-10 degrees.

C. Literal interpretation of the provisions of applicable regulations would deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties with the same zoning classification and land use are under the terms of said regulations and would work unnecessary and undue hardship on the applicant.

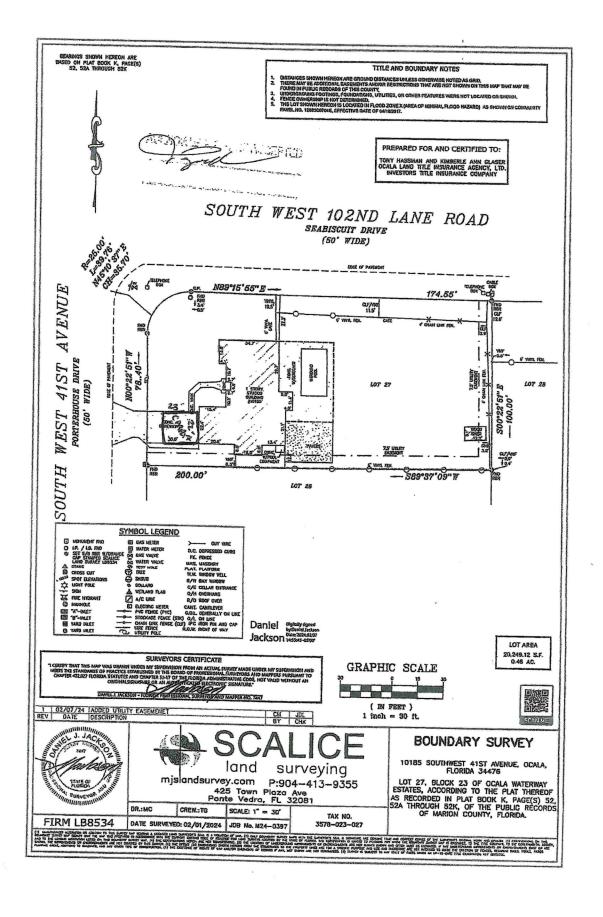
#### Applicant's justification:

There are four permitted properties within blocks of my property that have the same installation typical in size and layout, each of these was permitted and approved insight of code section 4.2.9 permit numbers addresses and actual dimensions from street:

2015031486 10247 Sw 41st Ave 34476 [street to garage 56' street to str. 36' structure is 20']
-2014010818 4074 Sw 103rd Ln. 34476 [street to garage 53' street to str. 33' structure is 20']
2014100136 10114 Sw 42nd Ave 34476 [street to garage 51' street to str. 31' structure is 20']
2010110636 4861 Sw 106th Pl. 34476 [street to garage 50' street to str. 29' structure is 20']
My structure original permit # 2024102255 [street to garage 50' street to structure 26' structure is 24'] The length of my structure is based on the length of my truck 19' 6" plus 3' 6' from the garage door to allow for the mower.

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D. The Variance, if granted, is the minimum Variance that will allow the reasonable use of the land, building or structure.
Applicant's justification:
Planning of this structure and installation, is the final step in our best efforts for the protection and welfare of the real property and inhabitants. A structure placed in any other part of the property would not serve the same purpose or provide the same results of this design and layout
E. Granting the Variance requested will not confer on the applicant any special privilege that is denied by these regulations to other lands, buildings or structures in the same zoning classification and land use area.  Applicant's justification:  This is true, [as noted above] there are several properties in the area that have already been granted permits and installation of the same type of structure, that by definition do not comply with
F. The granting of the Variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare.
Applicant's justification:
Planning this structure every dimension was planned based on need and without impacting line of sight, right of way, or visual interference with neighboring homes, there are similar structures on the same street.



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Jimmy H. Cowan, Jr., CFA

# Marion County Property Appraiser

501 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471 Telephone: (352) 368-8300 Fax: (352) 368-8336



### 2025 Property Record Card

### Real Estate

3578-023-027

GOOGLE Street View

Prime Key: 896578

MAP IT+

Current as of 5/16/2025

**Property Information** 

HASSMAN TONY GLASER KIMBERLE ANN 10185 SW 41ST AVE OCALA FL 34476-9518

Taxes / Assessments:

Map ID: 150

Millage: 9002 - UNINCORPORATED

M.S.T.U. PC: 01

Acres: .46

Situs: 10185 SW 41ST AVE OCALA

### 2024 Certified Value

Land Just Value	\$42,500
Buildings	\$303,642
Miscellaneous	\$8,209
Total Just Value	\$354,351
Total Assessed Value	\$354,351
Exemptions	. 00

Ex Codes: 01 38

Total Assessed Value\$354,351Exemptions\$0Total Taxable\$354,351

### History of Assessed Values

Year	Land Just	Building	Misc Value	Mkt/Just	Assessed Val	Exemptions	Taxable Val
2024	\$42,500	\$303,642	\$8,209	\$354,351	\$354,351	\$0	\$354,351
2023	\$42,500	\$280,187	\$8,471	\$331,158	\$164,416	\$153,474	\$10,942
2022	\$28,700	\$279,685	\$9,423	\$317,808	\$159,627	\$149,164	\$10,463

### Property Transfer History

1						
Book/Page	Date	Instrument	Code	Q/U	V/I	Price
8250/1698	02/2024	07 WARRANTY	4 V-APPRAISERS OPINION	Q	I	\$380,000
<u>6341/0769</u>	01/2016	07 WARRANTY	0	Ù	I	\$100
5570/1914	09/2011	07 WARRANTY	2 V-SALES VERIFICATION	U	I	\$150,000
5338/0092	10/2009	07 WARRANTY	0	U	I	\$100
<u>3953/1238</u>	02/2005	07 WARRANTY	2 V-SALES VERIFICATION	O	V	\$36,900
3616/1216	12/2003	07 WARRANTY	8 ALLOCATED	Ù	V	\$220,000
3616/1213	09/2003	07 WARRANTY	2 V-SALES VERIFICATION	0	V	\$13,500
1089/1743	11/1981	07 WARRANTY	0	ũ	V	\$3,211
1041/0745	02/1972	07 WARRANTY	0	Q	V	\$3,300

Property Description

SEC 27 TWP 16 RGE 21 PLAT BOOK K PAGE 052 OCALA WATERWAY ESTATES BLK 23 LOT 27

### Land Data - Warning: Verify Zoning

Use CUse Front Depth Zoning Units Type Rate Loc Shp Phy Class Value Just Value 0100 100.0 200.0 R1 1.00 LT

Neighborhood 8048 - OCALA WATERWAY ESTATES

Mkt: 9 70

### **Traverse**

### Building 1 of 1

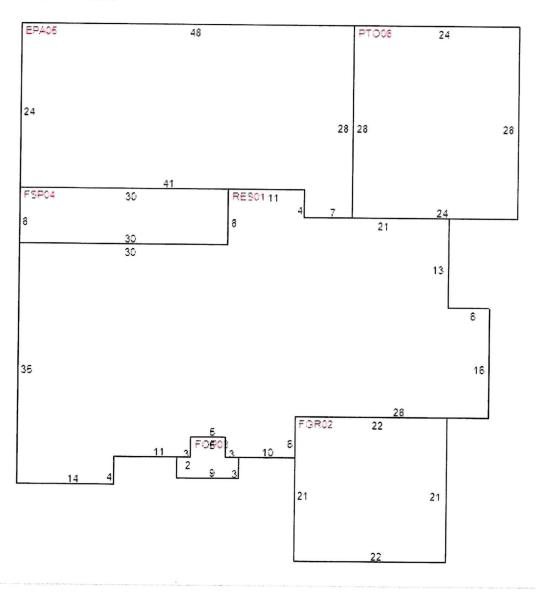
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FOP03=U3L5D3L2D3R9U3L2.L30U39

FSP04=R30D8L30U8.

EPA05=U24R48D28L7U4L41.R48D4

PTO06=U28R24D28L24.



Building Characteristics Improvement 1F - SFR- 01 FAMILY RESID Year Built 2005 Effective Age Physical Deterioration 0% 2 - 05-09 YRS Condition Obsolescence: Functional 0% 0 Quality Grade Obsolescence: Locational 0% 700 - GOOD Inspected on Architecture 0 - STANDARD SFR 1/28/2022 by 229 **Base Perimeter 228** Type IDExterior Walls Stories Year Built Finished Attic Bsmt Area Bsmt Finish Ground Floor Area Total Flr Area RES 0132 - CONC BLK-STUCO 1.00 2005 N 0% 0% 2.099 2.099 FGR 0232 - CONC BLK-STUCO 1.00 2005 N 0% 0% 462 462 FOP 0301 - NO EXTERIOR 1.00 2005 N 0% 0% 42 42 FSP 0401 - NO EXTERIOR 1.00 2005 N 0 % 0 % 240 240 EPA 0501 - NO EXTERIOR 1.00 2005 N 0 % 0% 1,180 1.180 PTO 0601 - NO EXTERIOR 1.00 2016 N 0 % 0% 672 672 Section: 1 Roof Style: 12 HIP Blt-In Kitchen: Y Floor Finish: 24 CARPET Roof Cover: 08 FBRGLASS SHNGL Bedrooms: 3 Dishwasher: Y Wall Finish: 16 DRYWALL-PAINT 4 Fixture Baths: 1 Heat Meth 1: 20 HEAT PUMP Garbage Disposal: Y Heat Fuel 1: 10 ELECTRIC Heat Meth 2: 00 3 Fixture Baths: 1 Garbage Compactor: Y Heat Fuel 2: 00 Foundation: 6 MONOLITC SLAB 2 Fixture Baths: 0 Intercom: N Fireplaces: 0 A/C: Y Extra Fixtures: 4 Vacuum: Y Miscellaneous Improvements Type Nbr Units Type Life Year In Grade Length Width 159 PAV CONCRETE 909.00 SF 20 2005 3 0.0 0.0 190 SEPTIC 1-5 BTH 1.00 UT 99 2005 2 0.0 0.0 226 RES SWIM POOL 392.00 SF 20 2005 5 28.0 14.0 099 DECK 788.00 SF 50 2005 2 0.0 0.0 116 FENCE VINYL 85.00 LF 99 2013 4 0.0 0.0 105 FENCE CHAIN LK 150.00 LF 20 2013 1 0.0 0.0 159 PAV CONCRETE 198.00 SF 20 2021 3 0.0 0.0 Appraiser Notes 12X8 SHED N/A

### EST BACK

### Planning and Building \*\* Permit Search \*\*

Permit Number	<b>Date Issued</b>	Date Completed	Description
2023012833	2/2/2022	2/17/2022	CIUNION TO

2023012833	2/2/2023	2/17/2023	SHINGLE TEAR-OFF SHINGLE RE-ROOF SFR FL16305.1 FL16226.1
M091384	9/1/2005	9/1/2005	POOL ENCLOSURE
M080078	8/1/2005	11/1/2005	POOL
M030536	3/1/2005	10/1/2005	SFR
2021033069	-	5/4/2021	INSTALL 6X34 DRIVEWAY ADDITION W/ 4; T 3000 PSI WIRE MESH R
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Prepared by:
Christine Albright
Ocala Land Title Insurance Agency, Ltd.
503 East Silver Springs Boulevard
Ocala, Florida 34470
File Number: OL2401022T

### General Warranty Deed

Made this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of February, 2024 A.D. By James Wittenauer and Marian F. Wittenauer, husband and wife, Individually and as Trustee(s) of the Wittenauer Family Revocable Trust under Agreement dated January 28, 2016 hereinafter called the grantor, to Tony Hassman and Kimberle Ann Glaser, husband and wife, whose post office address is: 10185 SW 41st Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34476, hereinafter called the grantee:

(Whenever used herein the term "grantor" and "grantee" include all the parties to this instrument and the heirs, legal representatives and assigns of individuals, and the successors and assigns of corporations)

Witnesseth, that the grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars, (\$10.00) and other valuable considerations, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hereby grants, bargains, sells, aliens, remises, releases, conveys and confirms unto the grantee, all that certain land situate in Marion County, Florida, viz:

Lot 27, Block 23 of OCALA WATERWAY ESTATES, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book K, Page(s) 52, 52A through 52K, of the Public Records of Marion County, Florida.

Parcel ID Number: 3578-023-027

Subject to covenants, restrictions, easements, limitations and reservations of record (if any) and taxes for the current year.

Together with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

To Have and to Hold, the same in fee simple forever.

And the grantor hereby covenants with said grantee that the grantor is lawfully seized of said land in fee simple; that the grantor has good right and lawful authority to sell and convey said land; that the grantor hereby fully warrants the title to said land and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever; and that said land is free of all encumbrances except taxes accruing subsequent to December 31, 2024.

Prepared by:
Christine Albright
Ocala Land Title Insurance Agency, Ltd.
503 East Silver Springs Boulevard
Ocala, Florida 34470
File Number: OL2401022T

In Witness Whereof, the said grantor has signed a	nd sealed these presents the day and year first above written.
Signed, sealed and delivered in our presence:	
Mond & Fand Witness #1 Signature	1 Emme to the
Vitness #1 Printed Name	January 28, 2016  (Seal)
Witness #1 Address Line 1	
Beilaurile Il 62220 Witness #1 Address Line 2	
Witness #2 Signature	Maun J. Willen
Witness #2 Name Printed	Marian F. Wittenauer, Individually and as Trustee of the Wittenauer Family Revocable Trust under Agreement dated January 28, 2016
215 5 144 MOIS St Witness #2 Address Line 1	Address as to both: 320 Lake Forest Drive, Belleville, Illinois 62220
Relieville L 12770 Witness #2 Address Line 2	
State of Illinois County of St. Clair	
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of February, 2024, by James Wittenauer and Marian F. Wittenauer Wittenauer Family Revocable Trust under Agreement dated James Wittenauer Family Revocable Trust under Agreement dated Wittenauer Family Revocable Trust under Agreement dated Wittenauer Family Revocable Trust under Revocable Trust Under Revocable Wittenauer Revocable Trust Under Revocabl	f physical presence or online notarization, this day of, husband and wife, Individually and as Trustee(s) of the nuary 28, 2016
Signature Notary Public Notary Public Printed Names Jacqueline Portyles  My Commission Expires: 3.21.2026  Personally Known OR Produced Identification X	JACQUELINE BROYLES OFFICIAL SEAL Notary Public, State of Illinois My Commission Expires March 21, 2026
Type of Identification Produced DiversLicense	(SEAL)



### **Marion County**

### **Board of Adjustment**

### Agenda Item

File No.: 2025-19909 Agenda Date: 8/4/2025 Agenda No.: 2.2.

#### SUBJECT:

250802V - Sandra Kursingh Rojas, Requests a Variance to Reduce the Front (North Side) Setback from 25' to 23' to Allow for Mobile Home, in a Mixed Residential (R-4) Zone, 0.30 Acre Parcel, Parcel Account Number 4014-006-003, Site Address 18894 SE 55<sup>th</sup> Place, Ocklawaha, FL 32179

#### DESCRIPTION/BACKGROUND:

This is a request filed by applicant Lauren Kirkman, for owner Sandra Kursingh-Rojas, for a variance from Land Development Code (LDC) Section 2.9, a reduction of the east (front) setback from 25' to 23' for installation of a used mobile home, in a Mixed Residential (R-4) zone. R-4 zoning has setbacks for single-family residences of 25' from the front and rear property lines and 8' from the side property lines. The proposed structure can meet the rear and side setbacks of 25' and 8',but is unable to meet the front setback of 25' from the front property line due to being incorrectly placed by the mobile home company in 2022.



### Marion County Board of County Commissioners

Growth Services

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### ZONING SECTION STAFF REPORT August 4, 2025 BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT PUBLIC HEARING

Case Number	250802V		
Type of Case	<b>Variance:</b> The applicant requests a variance from Section 2.9 of the Marion County Land Development Code, a reduction of the (front) setback from 25' to 23' for installation of a used mobile home, in a Mixed Residential (R-4) zone.		
Owner	Sandra Kursingh Rojas		
Applicant	Lauren Kirkman		
Street Address	18894 SE 55 <sup>th</sup> Place, Ocklawaha		
Parcel Number	4014-006-003		
Property Size	±.30 acres		
Future Land Use	Rural Land Use		
Zoning Classification	Mixed residential (R-4)		
Overlay Zone/Scenic Area	Environmentally Sensitive Overlay Zone (ESOZ), and Secondary Springs Protection Zone (SSPZ).		
Project Planner	Lynda Smith, Zoning Technician I		
Permit	Permit 2024112521 is in apply status		
Code Case	914449		

### I. ITEM SUMMARY

This is a request filed by applicant Lauren Kirkman, for owner Sandra Kursingh-Rojas, for a variance from Land Development Code (LDC) Section 2.9, a reduction of the east (front) setback from 25' to 23' for installation of a used mobile home, in a Mixed Residential (R-4) zone. R-4 zoning has setbacks for single-family residences of 25' from the front and rear property lines and 8' from the side property lines. The proposed structure can meet the rear and side setbacks of 25' and 8',but is unable to meet the front setback of 25' from the front property line due to being incorrectly placed by the mobile home company in 2022.

### Timeline:

- This subdivision was platted on May 25, 1972
- November 2022, permit 2022112331 applied for installation of used mobile home
- 1982 Mobile Home incorrectly place on this parcel in 2022.
- ESOZ and Zoning regulations went into effect in 1992 with the adoption of the Marion County Land Development Code
- This parcel is not located on the water so is not affected by an ordinary high-water line



FIGURE 1
GENERAL LOCATION MAP

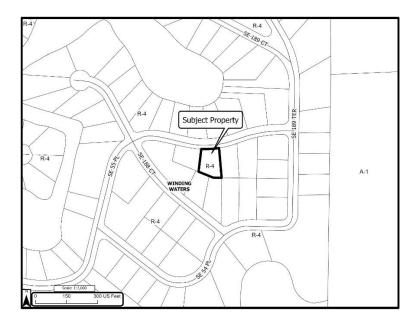
### II. PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of the public hearing was mailed to 22 property owners within 300-feet of the subject property on July 18, 2025. A public notice sign was posted on the subject property on June 26, 2025, and notice of the public hearing was published in the Star Banner on July 21, 2025. Evidence of the public notice requirements are on file with the Department and are incorporated herein by reference.

Figure 2
Sign Placement



Figure 3
300ft Notification Zone



### III. PROPERTY CHARACTERISTICS

This parcel is ±.30-acres with Rural land use (RL) and Mixed Residential (R-4) zoning classification. This parcel also lies in an Environmentally Sensitive Overlay Zone (ESOZ) but is not on a body of water and therefore not affected by the Ordinary High-Water Line regulation, only the ESOZ density regulation applies to this parcel.

FIGURE 4
AERIAL



FIGURE 5
ZONING MAP

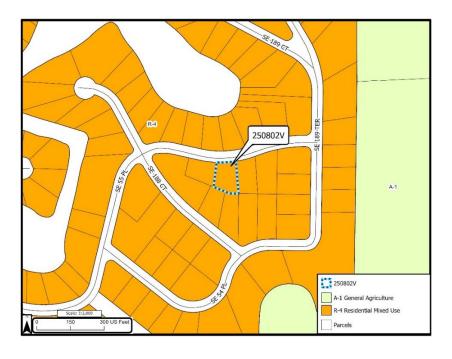


FIGURE 6
ESOZ AND FLOODPLAIN MAP

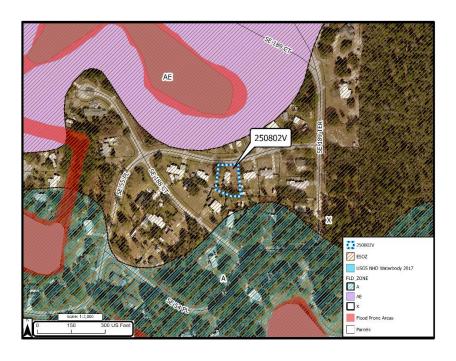


Figure 7 Land Use Map



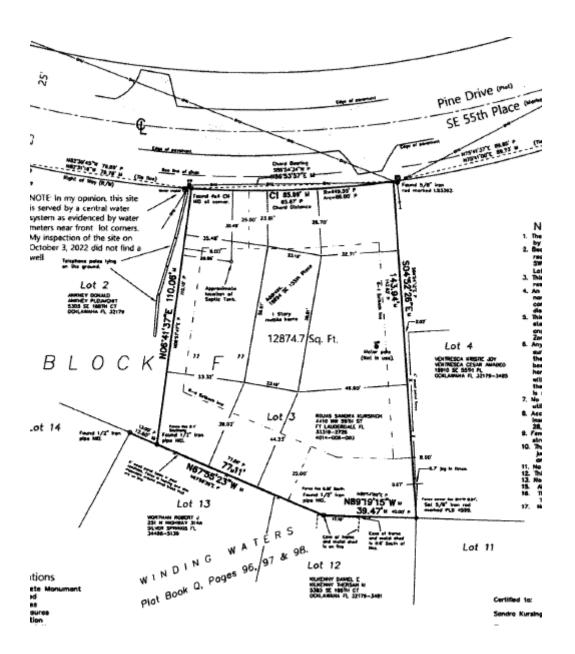


Figure 8
Surrounding Variances Map

### IV. REQUEST STATEMENT

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### V. ANALYSIS

LDC Section 2.9.2.E provides the Board of Adjustment shall not grant a variance unless the petition demonstrates compliance with the six (6) criteria. The six (6) criteria and staff's analysis of compliance with those criteria are provided below.

1. Special conditions and circumstances exist which are peculiar to the land, structure or building involved and which are not applicable to other lands, structures or buildings with the same zoning classification and land use area.

**Analysis**: Requesting a reduction of 25' to 23' for a front setback in an R-4 Zoning classification for placement of a used mobile home. Stumps prevented placement anywhere else.

**Staff:** Finds that Special conditions and circumstances do not exist which are peculiar to the land, structure or building involved and which are not applicable to other lands, structures or buildings with the same zoning classification and land use area. Stumps can be removed from the site. This subdivision was created May 25, 1972, Mobile Home was place in 2022, approximately 3 years ago.

2. The special conditions and circumstances do not result from the actions of the applicant.

**Analysis:** Trees and the stumps were existing on the property prior to considering placement of the mobile home.

**Staff:** Finds that special conditions and circumstances are a result of the actions of the owner/ applicant. This mobile home was not correctly placed by company hired by owner when placed on the property in 2022.

3. Literal interpretation of the provisions of applicable regulations would deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties with the same zoning classification and land use area under the terms of said regulations and would work unnecessary and undue hardship on the applicant.

**Analysis**: Granting of this variance would not adversely affect any property owners. It is not irregular to the area.

**Staff:** Finds that this parcel does have a unique shape that would not hamper the placement of a home and would meet today's standards/ setbacks. Denying the variance would not deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties with the same zoning classification and land use area under the terms of said regulations and does not cause unnecessary or undue hardship on the applicant/owner.

4. The variance, if granted, is the minimum variance that will allow the reasonable use of the land, building or structure.

**Analysis**: Applicant states a reduction 25' to 23' from the front of the property is the minimum needed in order to develop.

**Staff:** A reduction of the setback from 25' to 23' is not the minimum variance that will allow the use of the land. Due to the placement of the home in 2022, however, the home could be moved to meet the required setback.

5. Granting the variance requested will not confer on the applicant any special privilege that is denied by these regulations to other lands, buildings or structures in the same zoning classification and land use area.

**Analysis**: Owner states that this is true. This request will not confer on the applicant any special privilege that is denied by these regulations to other lands, buildings or structures in the same zoning classification and land use area.

**Staff:** Finds that granting of the request will confer on the applicant special privilege. Many parcels in these have been able to meet the zoning setbacks when placed on these parcels with few to no variances requested. When the home was placed on the property, the home could have been placed in a manner that meets the required setbacks.

6. The granting of the variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare.

**Analysis**: Owner states that this is true. Granting of the variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare

**Staff:** Finds that if the variance is granted, it would not be injurious to the neighborhood as long as the applicant pulls the correct permits and gets them approved.

### VI. LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

- A. Application
- B. Marion County Property Appraiser Property Record Card, 2024 Certified Assessment Roll
- C. Site Plan
- D. Deed
- E. 300' Mailing Map
- F. Survey
- G. Photos
- H. Code Violation Notification
- I. Power of Attorney



### Marion County Board of County Commissioners

Growth Services

2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, Fl. 34470 Phone: 352-438-2675 Fax: 352-438-2676

OFFICE	E USE ONLY
Received By:_	EM

Date Received:

**VARIANCE APPLICATION** 

VARIANCE AFFLIC	ALIUN
Application #:	4014 - 000 - 003  Parcel Account Number of Subject Property
THE UNDERSIGNED REQUESTS A VARIANCE AS REFER COUNTY LAND DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF:	ENCED IN SECTION 2.9 OF THE MARION
Requesting a reduction of 25' an R4 zoning classification for place	to 23' for a setback in sement of anthobite home.
Section of Code requesting variance from: Sec. 4, 2.12	D
Legal Description (Please attach a copy of deed). Total Acreag	ge of subject property: 0 = 30 +/- acres
Directions to subject property:	
SR 40 West to levy Hammock Turn left. Follow road straight to	Rd. South to SESSPI, the property.
Please Note: Property owner must sign this application: Other written authorization naming an agent to act in his/her behalf.	erwise he/she must attach to this application
Hamphilm Sandra Kursingn Rojas	Lauren Kirkman
(Print/Signature) Property Owner	(Print) Applicant or Agent
9410 NW 59 St	18931 SE 54 PI
Address	Address
Ft. Landerdale, FL 33319	Ocklawana, FL, 32179
City, State, Zip Code	City, State, Zip Code
954793 1222	9542009456 Kirkboy & gnail. com
Contact Info: Phone, cell, e-mail address	Contact Info: Phone, cell, e-mail address
THE FILING FEE IS \$ 550 NON-REFUNDABLE. WE RECOMMEND PRESENT AT THE HEARING. IF NO REPRESENTATIVE IS PRESE	

THE FILING FEE IS \$ 550 NON-REFUNDABLE. WE RECOMMEND THAT THE OWNER, APPLICANT OR AGENT BE PRESENT AT THE HEARING. IF NO REPRESENTATIVE IS PRESENT AND THE BOARD REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, THEY MAY DECIDE TO POSTPONE OR DENY THE REQUEST. NOTICE OF SAID HEARING WILL BE MAILED TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS. ALL INFORMATION GIVEN MUST BE CORRECT AND LEGIBLE TO BE PROCESSED. PLEASE NOTE THAT A WRITTEN PETITION (REFER TO PAGE 2 & 3) MUST BE PROVIDED WITH THIS APPLICATION, ALONG WITH A SITE PLAN IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED COMPLETE. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT THE MARION COUNTY GROWTH SERVICES.

AR. 32899

BOA 8/4/2025

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### WRITTEN PETITION FOR VARIANCE

WRITE YOUR ANSWERS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED AFTER EACH STATEMENT. PLEASE COMPLETE ALL REPLIES USING A SENTENCE FORM. A VARIANCE FROM THE TERMS OF THESE REGULATIONS SHALL NOT BE GRANTED BY THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT UNLESS A WRITTEN PETITION FOR A VARIANCE IS SUBMITTED JUSTIFYING THE FOLLOWING:

A. Special conditions and circumstances exist which are peculiar to the land, structure or building involved and which are not applicable to other lands, structures or buildings with the same zoning classification and land use area.

Applicant's justification:

Requesting a reduction of 25' to 23' for a front semant in an R-4 zoning classification for placement of a used mobile nome. Stumps prevented placement anywhere else.

B. The special conditions and circumstances do not result from the actions of the applicant.

Applicant's justification:

Trees and the stomps were existing on the property. Prior to considering placement of the mobile home.

C. Literal interpretation of the provisions of applicable regulations would deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties with the same zoning classification and land use are under the terms of said regulations and would work unnecessary and undue hardship on the applicant.

Applicant's justification:

Granting of this variance would not adversaly affect any property owners. It is not irregular to the area.

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**D.** The Variance, if granted, is the minimum Variance that will allow the reasonable use of the land, building or structure.

Applicant's justification:

A reduction of 25' to 23' from the front of the property is the minimum needed in order to develop at the desired location.

E. Granting the Variance requested will not confer on the applicant any special privilege that is denied by these regulations to other lands, buildings or structures in the same zoning classification and land use area.

Applicant's justification:

True

**F.** The granting of the Variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare.

Applicant's justification:

True

Empowering Marion for Success

Jimmy H. Cowan, Jr., CFA

## Marion County Property Appraiser

501 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471 Telephone: (352) 368-8300 Fax: (352) 368-8336



# 2025 Property Record Card Real Estate

4014-006-003

GOOGLE Street View Prime Key: 2254904

MAP IT+

Current as of 5/27/2025

M.S.T.U.

Property Information

ROJAS SANDRA KURSINGH 4410 NW 59TH ST Taxes / Assessments: Map ID: 348 <u>PC:</u> 02 Acres: .30

FT LAUDERDALE FL 33319-2726

Millage: 9001 - UNINCORPORATED

Situs: 18894 SE 55TH PL OCKLAWAHA

2024 Certified Value

 Land Just Value
 \$9,900

 Buildings
 \$0

 Miscellaneous
 \$0

 Total Just Value
 \$9,900

 Total Assessed Value
 \$9,900

 Exemptions
 \$0

 Total Taxable
 \$9,900

Ex Codes:

History of Assessed Values

Year	<b>Land Just</b>	Building	Misc Value	Mkt/Just	Assessed Val	Exemptions	Taxable Val
2024	\$9,900	\$0	\$0	\$9,900	\$9,900	\$0	\$9,900
2023	\$9,900	\$0	\$0	\$9,900	\$9,350	\$0	\$9,350
2022	\$8,500	\$0	\$0	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$0	\$8,500

### Property Transfer History

Book/Page	Date	Instrument	Code	Q/U	V/I	Price
7386/0019	02/2021	07 WARRANTY	9 UNVERIFIED	Q	V	\$9,800
<u>5580/0839</u>	10/2011	07 WARRANTY	0	Ü	V	\$100
<u>6480/0574</u>	06/2010	71 DTH CER	0	U	V	\$100
<u>5408/1558</u>	06/2010	74 PROBATE	0	U	V	\$100
<u> 2643/1040</u>	04/1999	61 FJDGMNT	0	U	V	\$100
<u>2538/1473</u>	08/1998	34 TAX	0	U	V	\$1,400
<u> 1672/1336</u>	07/1990	07 WARRANTY	4 V-APPRAISERS OPINION	Q	V	\$4,300
1487/0714	03/1988	07 WARRANTY	0	Ũ	V	\$100

Property Description

SEC 06 TWP 16 RGE 25 PLAT BOOK Q PAGE 096 WINDING WATERS BLK F LOT 3

### Land Data - Warning: Verify Zoning

Use CUse Front Depth Zoning Units Type Rate Loc Shp Phy Class Value Just Value 0200 102.0 127.0 R4 1.00 LT

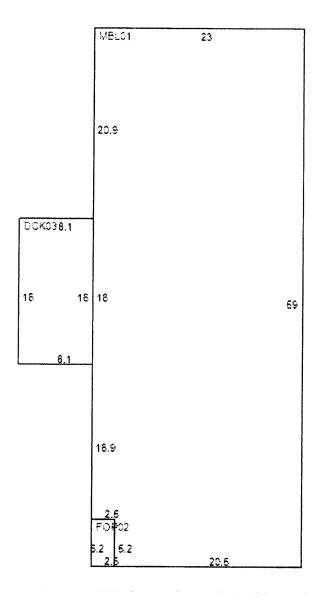
Neighborhood 8940A - WINDING WATERS&1ST ADD QG400<

Mkt: 10 70

Traverse

#### Building 1 of 1

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**Building Characteristics** 

Improvement

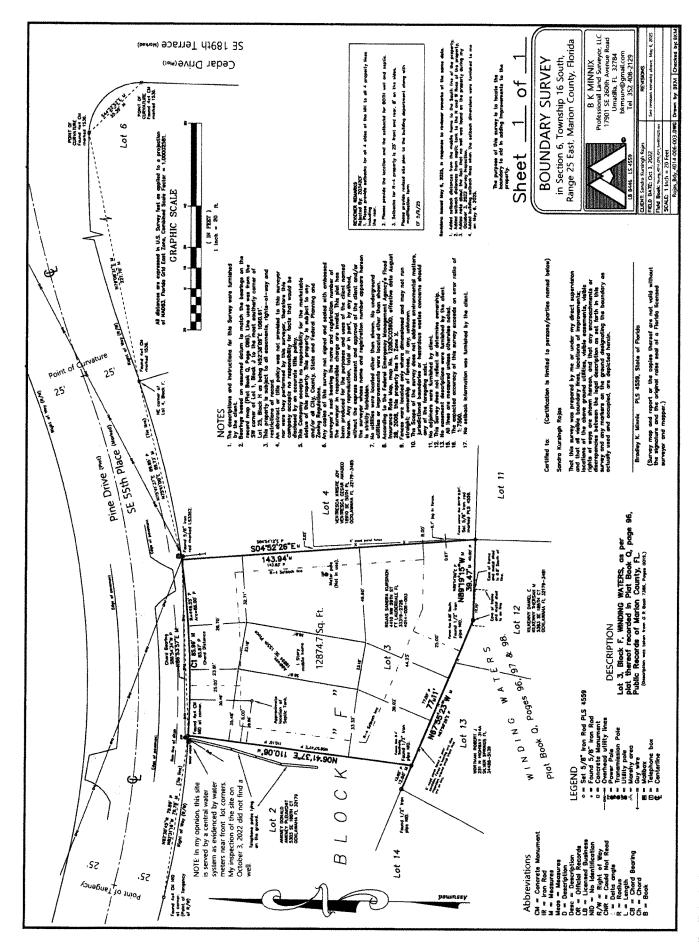
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Effective Age

9 - 40-99 YRS

Year Built 1982 Physical Deterioration 0% Obsolescence: Functional 0%

5/27/25, 2:04 PM MCPA Property Record Card Condition Obsolescence: Locational 0% Quality Grade 400 - FAIR Architecture 2 - MBL HOME Inspected on 9/12/2024 by 187 Base Perimeter 164 Type IDExterior Walls Stories Year Built Finished Attic Bsmt Area Bsmt Finish Ground Floor Area Total Flr Area MBL 0128 - SF ALUM SIDING 1.00 1982 N 0% 0 % 1.344 1,344 FOP 0201 - NO EXTERIOR 1.00 1982 N 0 % 0% 13 13 DCK 0301 - NO EXTERIOR 1.00 2024 N 0 % 0 % 130 130 Section: 1 Roof Style: 00 Blt-In Kitchen: N Floor Finish: 00 Bedrooms: 0 Roof Cover: 00 Dishwasher: N Wall Finish: 00 Heat Meth 1:00 4 Fixture Baths: 0 Garbage Disposal: N Heat Fuel 1: 00 3 Fixture Baths: 0 Heat Meth 2: 00 Garbage Compactor: N Heat Fuel 2: 00 2 Fixture Baths: 0 Foundation: 0 Intercom: N Fireplaces: 0 Extra Fixtures: 0 A/C: N Vacuum: N Miscellaneous Improvements Type Nbr Units Type Life Year In Grade Length Width 190 SEPTIC 1-5 BTH 1.00 UT 99 1999 2 0.0 0.0 Appraiser Notes 2024 NEW MBL FOUND PERMIT HAS EXPIRED AND ITS FOR SALE AS RP PER MLS SIGN Planning and Building \*\* Permit Search \*\* Permit Number **Date Issued Date Completed** Description 0060185 6/1/1999 7/1/1999 MOBILE HOME



and Projects 2021\Young\_4014\_006\_023\_SecO6162S\dmg\Rojan\_8dy\_4814-006-00}\_RevA.dwg\_5/6/2023\_259-56 PM



THIS INSTRUMENT WAS PREPARED BY: JOHN C. TRENTELMAN, Attorney

328 NE 1st Ave. Ste. 100 Ocala, Florida 34470 Parcel # 4014-006-003 consideration: \$9,800.00

### WARRANTY DEED

THIS INDENTURE, made the 16 day of Fel \_\_, 2021, between MARY M. JACUPKE, single, Individually and as Trustee of the Mary M. Jacupke Revocable Trust, under trust dated August 19, 2010, whose mailing address is: 4245 SE 17th Lane, Ocala, FL 34471, hereinafter called the grantor\*, and SANDRA KURSINGH ROJAS, whose mailing address is: 4410 NW 59th St., Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33319, hereinafter called the grantee\*.

### WITNESSETH:

that said grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of ten dollars, and other good and valuable considerations to said grantor in hand paid by said grantee, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained and sold to the said grantee, and grantee's heirs and assigns forever, the following described land, situate, lying and being in Marion County, Florida, to-wit:

Lot 3, Block F, Winding Waters, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book Q, page 96, Public Records of

and said grantor does hereby warrant the title to said land, and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever, except taxes for 2021 and after. \*"Grantor" and "grantee" are used for singular

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, grantor has hereunto set grantor's hand and seal the day and year first above

Signed, sealed and delivered in out presence

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARION

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of physical presence or online notarization in the State and County aforesaid this day of , 2021 by Mary M. Jacupke, single, individually and as trustee of the Mary M. Jacupke Revocable Trust utd Aug. 19, 2010, who is/are personally known to me or who produced \_\_\_\_\_, as identification and who did not take an oath.

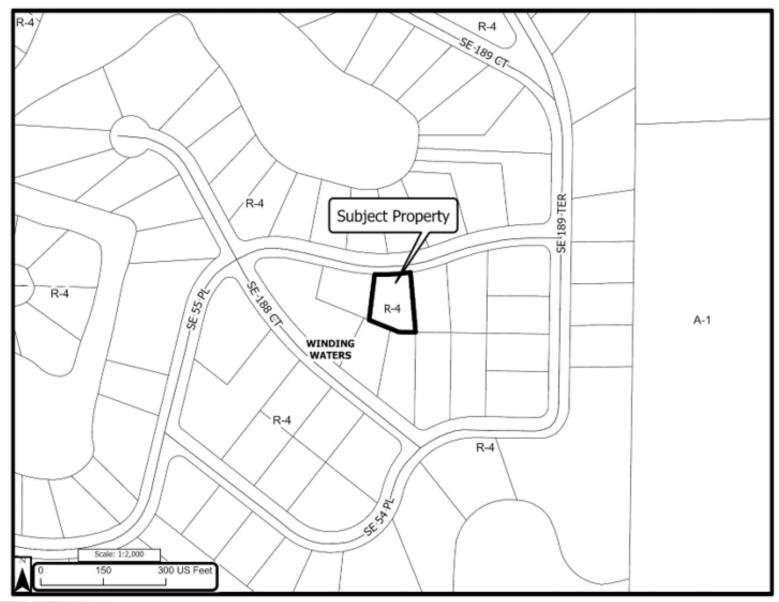
MIRANDA FALES Commission # GG 306194 Expires June 8, 2023 Youded Thru Troy Fals Insurance 800-365-7019 

Notary Public

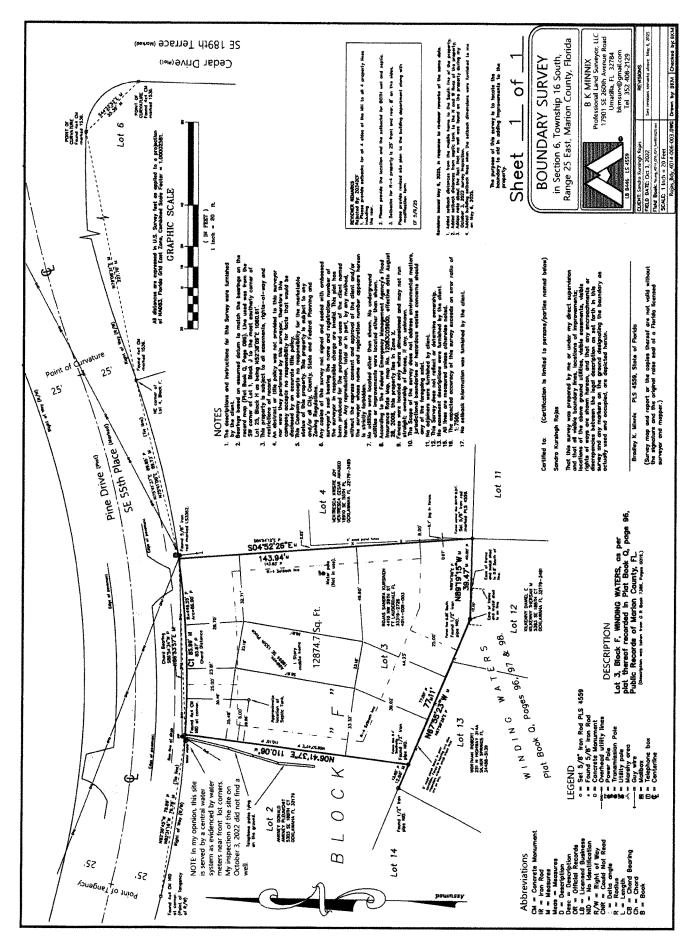
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:

### Public Notification for: VARIANCE Marion County Growth Services Planning & Zoning (352) 438-2675

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Sign posting front of parcel



Front of parcel



North side at property line



Measured from front property line to front corner of home



North side of home at property line



West side (rear) of home at corner of mobile home



South side (side) of property from side of mobile home



West looking east (rear looking front) on south side



West looking east (rear looking front) on north side



North side looking west towards rear of property



### Marion County Board of County Commissioners

Growth Services . Code Enforcement

2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 Phone: 352-671-8900 Fax: 352-671-8903

Case No.: 976187-ML

June 11, 2025

RUPNARAIN PROPERTIES LLC PO BOX 1010 OCKLAWAHA, FL 32183

OCCUPANT(S) 5235 SE 30TH CT OCALA, FL 34480

PARCEL #: 3582-144-003

#### **NOTICE OF VIOLATION**

On June 10, 2025, at 11:04 a.m., an inspection was made of your property located at 5235, 5275 SE 30TH CT FLORIDA ORANGE GROVE CORP OCALA, in Marion County. This inspection revealed a violation of **the Marion County Code of Ordinances**. Specifically noted: Furniture in the front yard.

- Marion County Code, Chapter 16, Article III, Section 16-92, Accumulation of junk; unserviceable vehicles. Please remove all junk from the property. "Junk" means any litter, debris, waste materials of any kind, dead or decaying vegetation or vegetative refuse, dead animals, used or unserviceable automobile and machinery parts, used and nonfunctional furniture and appliances, and used and nonfunctional tools, equipment, and implements, but shall not include compost piles for personal, noncommercial use.
- Marion County Code, Chapter 2, Article V, Section 2-205 (b), Recurrence of case # 930832 dated 8/22/2023. NOTICE: This case may be presented to the Code Enforcement Board even if the violation has been corrected prior to the Code Enforcement Board Hearing Marion County Code, Article V, Section 2-205(b).

This property will be re-inspected after June 24, 2025, and hopefully, this matter will be cleared at that time. Please contact me to discuss the matter and/or to request a re-inspection. Failure to clear a violation <u>will</u> result in the issuance of a citation or a notice to appear before the Marion County Code Enforcement Board, which could result in a lien against any real or personal property owned by you. In the event a fine is levied against you by the Code Enforcement Board, a collection agency fee and administrative costs will also be added to the total payoff amount and the lien will be reported to credit bureaus.

Respectfully,

Marianne Lopez

Code Enforcement Officer **352-671-8917** Marianne.Lopez@MarionFL.org

# POWER OF ATTORNEY

# **DESIGNATION OF AGENT(S)**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that I, Sandra Kursingh Rojas, residing at 4410 NW 59 ST, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33319, do hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint the following agent(s) ("Agent"):

Agent Name: Lauren Kirkman

Address: 18931 Se 54 Pl, Ocklawaha, Florida 32179

Phone Number: 9542009456

### GRANT OF GENERAL AUTHORITY

My Agent shall have the following authority to act for me in my name, place, and stead with respect to any and all of the following matters:

Claims and Litigation. To ask, demand, sue for, recover, collect, and receive all sums of money, debts, dues, accounts, legacies, bequests, interest, dividends, annuities, and demands whatsoever as are now or shall hereafter become due, owing, payable, or belonging to me and have, use, and take all lawful ways and means in my name or otherwise for the recovery thereof, by attachments, arrests, distress, or otherwise, and to compromise and agree to the same and give acquittances or other sufficient discharges for the same.

Real and Personal Property Transactions. To make, seal, and deliver, bargain, contract, agree for, purchase, receive, and take lands, tenements, and hereditaments, and accept the possession of all lands, and all deeds and other assurances, in the law therefor, and to lease, let, demise, bargain, sell, remise, release, convey, mortgage, and hypothecate lands, tenements, and hereditaments upon such terms and conditions and under such covenants as they shall think fit.

To bargain and agree to buy, sell, mortgage, hypothecate, and in any and every way and manner deal in and with goods, wares, and merchandise, choses in action, and other property in possession or in action, and to make, do, and transact all and every kind of business of whatsoever nature and kind.

To sign, seal, execute, deliver, and acknowledge such deeds, leases, mortgages, hypothecations, bills of lading, bills, bonds, notes, receipts, evidence of debt, releases and satisfaction of mortgage, judgments and other debts, and such other instruments in writing of whatsoever kind and nature as may be necessary or proper in the premises.

Generally to do all acts with reference to my property, real or personal, and the care, management, investment, or reinvestment thereof, that my Agent may deem proper, intending to grant unto my Agent the power to act for me in all matters as fully and effectually as I might do if I were personally present, hereby ratifying, allowing, and holding firm and valid all and whatsoever acts

my Agent shall lawfully do or cause to be done as authorized by this document.

**Banking Transactions.** To open bank accounts in my name and to sign and endorse checks, notes, and drafts for deposit therein or in any other bank where I may have money on deposit, including Social Security checks and other checks drawn on the Treasury of the United States, and to sign checks covering withdrawals therefrom.

To transfer funds by wire or otherwise.

**Stock, Bond, and Commodity Transactions.** To sell, redeem, and transfer, by wire or otherwise, stocks, bonds, mutual fund shares, notes, bills, and any United States Treasury or agency securities, including savings bonds standing in my name or in which I now or hereafter may have any interest, and to receive the proceeds of such sale.

To purchase United States Treasury bonds redeemable at par value for the payment of federal estate taxes, and to purchase any other security or securities.

To borrow money for my account with or without pledge of securities belonging to me as collateral for any such loan.

To execute dividend orders, proxies, and subscriptions to new stock agreements for exchange of securities held by me in any reorganization or otherwise.

Insurance and Annuity Transactions. To contribute to, terminate, withdraw from, or make any elections, waivers, or consents under any qualified or non-qualified pension, profit sharing, employee stock ownership, or other employee benefit plan or arrangement (including, but not limited to, life and health insurance plans; disability plans; retirement plans, including individual retirement accounts and 401(k) plans; annuities, including qualified joint and survivor annuity plans; and stock option plans).

To apply for, seek reimbursement from, or in any other way to handle all medical insurance and reimbursement plans.

**Safety Deposit Box.** To have access to and withdraw the contents of any safe-deposit box registered in my name and to have access to and the ability to withdraw any property of mine held in storage in any bank or other depository.

Tax Matters. To execute and file any and all tax lists, tax returns of any kind for any and all taxable years, including federal gift tax returns and declarations of estimated taxes, that may be due from me to any government, whether foreign, federal, state, county, or municipal, and to pay any taxes that may be assessed including without limitation any taxes that may be assessed in the nature of an income tax, special assessment, levy, gift tax, real or personal property tax, or otherwise.

To apply for abatement or refund of any such taxes and to sue to recover the same, hereby authorizing all tax officials to disclose to my Agent any information given on any return, list, or

statement filed by my Agent on my behalf, or heretofore given or filed by me.

Trust Transactions. To add property to or to withdraw property from any trust of which I am the grantor or a beneficiary.

Health Care Transactions. In any matter involving my health care, to cooperate with and to assist any person lawfully appointed by me to make health care decisions on my behalf in the event of my incapacity to do so, and in connection with the foregoing, my Agent shall be exempt from any liability to any person for such cooperation and assistance.

**Digital Assets.** Subject to any limitations imposed under federal law and contract terms applicable to a Digital Asset, my Agent shall have the power to take such reasonable actions as are necessary and prudent to locate, access, administer, and transfer any property, information, or both, held in, controlled by, or governed by a Digital Asset (including a Digital Account, hereinafter defined) which I may own or to which I otherwise possess rights.

The power to administer includes the power to open and close accounts, to access and change passwords and security questions, to transfer information and property, and to delete information. The powers herein include without limitation the power to hire computer and other technical experts to assist the Agent to do whatever is necessary to gain control over a Digital Account and the property and information held in a Digital Account.

For the purposes of this Power of Attorney, "Digital Account" shall broadly mean (1) any account or record of mine stored in electronic or digital form that is governed by a terms-of-service agreement (including any such accounts associated with my Apple ID); (2) any data storage device or account of mine; (3) any user accounts of mine; (4) all of my information stored on my computers and hand-held devices; and (5) any domain names I own.

I authorize and hold harmless any person or entity who controls a Digital Account, whether public or private, to divulge to my Agent all Digital Accounts, including without limitation, (1) any and all of my electronically stored information; (2) the contents of any and all of my electronic communication (unless this Power of Attorney expressly excludes such authority); and (3) any and all of my information, including without limitation, passwords pertaining to the Digital Asset. This authorization is intended and should be construed as my consent pursuant to the Electronic Communications Privacy Act of 1986, as amended; the Computer Fraud and Abuse Act of 1986, as amended; and any other federal or state privacy or criminal law. This authorization shall be immediately effective and unless revoked by me in writing is intended to continue to be effective during any period of my incapacity or disability.

For all purposes hereunder, the term "Digital Asset(s)" means an electronic record in which I have either a right or interest. The term does not include an underlying asset or liability. Digital Assets can be stored on computers (or other hardware or devices), in the cloud, or in online accounts. No matter the location, Digital Assets include, but are not limited to, online accounts (financial or otherwise), social media accounts, email, photographs and video, personal blogs, documents, computer and account passwords and other digital files that may require a username and password

(or other identity verification methods) to access and manage. Digital Assets also includes any and all digital assets and devices encompassed by any Apple ID associated with my name; as I was the lawful owner and user of all devices and accounts associated with said Apple ID. For purposes of this definition, "electronic" means relating to technology having electrical, digital, magnetic, wireless, optical, electromagnetic, or similar capabilities, and "record" means information that is inscribed on a tangible medium or that is stored in an electronic or other medium and is retrievable in perceivable form. For any communication related records or data, Digital Assets means both catalogue data and the content of the communications, unless this Power of Attorney expressly excludes such authority.

#### **GRANT OF SPECIFIC AUTHORITY**

Gifting. To make gifts in any amount of any of my property to any individuals or to organizations described in Sections 170(c) and 2522(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C. § 2522, or corresponding future provisions of federal tax law, or both, in accordance with my personal histor of making or joining in the making of lifetime gifts. [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [ [
To make gifts in the amount per donee per calendar year of the annual federal gift tax exclusion amount under 26 U.S.C. 2503(b), as amended, of any of my property to any individuals or to organizations described in Sections 170(c) and 2522(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C. § 2522, or corresponding future provisions of federal tax law, or both, in accordance with my personal history of making or joining in the making of lifetime gifts. [
Trust Transactions. To create an inter vivos trust. [
With respect to a trust created by me or on my behalf, to amend, modify, revoke, or terminate the trust, but only if the trust instrument explicitly provides for amendment, modification, revocation, or termination by my Agent. [] (Initial Here).
Beneficiary Transactions.
To change or create rights of survivorship. [
To change or create a beneficiary designation. [54] (Initial Here).
To waive my right to be a beneficiary of a joint and survivor annuity, including a survivor benefit under a retirement plan. [ SX ] (Initial Here).
Power to Disclaim. To disclaim property and powers of appointment.  [

#### **SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS**

Compensation to Agent. I do not grant to my Agent the power to pay a reasonable fee from my

estate to my Agent as compensation for services rendered under this Power of Attorney. My Agent shall not be entitled to reimbursement for actual expenses advanced on my behalf and for reasonable expenses incurred in connection with the performance of my Agent's duties.

Medical Records. My Agent may have access to my health care and medical records and statements regarding billing, insurance, and payments.

Accounts. With respect to any and all of my accounts at any bank, trust company, savings and loan association, credit union, thrift company, brokerage firm, or other financial institution, my Agent is authorized to: (1) continue, modify, and terminate an account made by or on behalf of me; (2) establish, modify, and terminate an account or other banking arrangement with any financial institution selected by the Agent; (3) rent a safe deposit box or space in a vault; (4) withdraw, by check, order, electronic funds transfer, or otherwise, money or property deposited with or left in the custody of the financial institution; (5) receive statements of account, vouchers, notices, and similar documents from the financial institution and act with respect to them; (6) enter a safe deposit box or vault and withdraw or add to the contents; (7) borrow money and pledge as security my personal property necessary to borrow money or pay, renew, or extend the time of payment of a debt of mine or a debt guaranteed by me; (8) make, assign, draw, endorse, discount, guarantee, and negotiate promissory notes, checks, drafts, and other negotiable or nonnegotiable paper held by or payable to me or my order, transfer money, receive the cash or other proceeds of those transactions, and accept a draft drawn by a person upon me and pay it when due; (9) receive for me and act upon a sight draft, warehouse receipt, or other document of title whether tangible or electronic, or other negotiable or nonnegotiable instrument; (10) apply for, receive, and use letters of credit, credit and debit cards, electronic transaction authorizations, and traveler's checks from a financial institution and give an indemnity or other agreement in connection with letters of credit; (11) consent to an extension of the time of payment with respect to commercial paper or a financial transaction with a financial institution; and (12) modify the account ownership to that of a joint ownership with another person, solely to another person, and change the transfer on death designation to another person all such actions to include my Agent.

**Obligations.** Provide for the support and protection of myself, my spouse, or any minor child I have a duty to support or have established a pattern of prior support, including, without limitation, provision for food, lodging, housing, medical services, recreation, and travel.

**Severability.** If any part of any provision of this instrument shall be invalid or unenforceable under applicable law, such part shall be ineffective to the extent of such invalidity only, without in any way affecting the remaining parts of such provision or the remaining provisions of this instrument.

# NOMINATION OF CONSERVATOR/GUARDIAN

If it becomes necessary for a court to appoint a conservator of my estate or a guardian of my person, I nominate my agent acting under this Power of Attorney to be the conservator and/or guardian to serve without bond or other security.

### EFFECTIVE DATE AND TERMINATION

Effective Date. This durable This durable Power of Attorney becomes effective immediately. This Power of Attorney shall terminate on My death.

This durable Power of Attorney is not terminated by my subsequent incapacity, except as provided in Chapter 709 of the Florida Statutes. This durable Power of Attorney shall be construed and interpreted as provided for in the Florida Power of Attorney Act, Chapter 709 of the Florida Statutes. This durable Power of Attorney is executed and delivered in the State of Florida, and the laws of the State of Florida shall govern all questions as to the validity of this durable Power of Attorney and construction of its provisions. However, it is my intention that this durable Power of Attorney shall be exercisable in any other State or jurisdiction where I have property or any interest in property.

# SIGNATURE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name this December 23, 2024.

Par
Sandra Kursingh Rojas
Signature acknowledged in the presence of:
Musle
(Signature of Witness)
Vanna hursingh Witness's Name
Address: 4410 NW 59th St
Phone: 954-995-8074
Email: Vanna 12 Kursingh eng mail. com
(Signature of Witness)
Vinny Kursingh Witness's Name
Address: 18981 SE SU PI, OCKIAWANA, FL 32179
Phone: 954 927 21-01

Acknowledgment

State of Florida County of Broward

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of  $\Box$  physical presence or  $\Box$ online notarization this 23 day of December, 10H year), by Sandra Kursingh Rojas who is personally known to me or has produced \_\_\_\_ as identification.

Notary Public, State of Florida

(Print, Type, or Stamp Commissioned Name of Notary Public)

(NOTARIAL SEAL)

My Commission Expires: 5 | 28 | 2027

My Commission Number is: HH 387712



# Marion County

## **Board of Adjustment**

### Agenda Item

File No.: 2025-19910 Agenda Date: 8/4/2025 Agenda No.: 2.3.

#### SUBJECT:

250803V - U-HAUL CO. of Florida, Requests a Variance to Increase the Permitted Signage by One (1) Additional Wall Sign and Increase of Overall Signage Square Footage (SF) by 129SF from 384SF to 513SF, in a Community Business (B-2) Zone, 13.38 Acre Parcel, on Parcel Account Number 35485-001-04, Site Addresses 6615 and 6621 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34476

#### **DESCRIPTION/BACKGROUND:**

This is a variance request filed by the applicant Shaw Lee on behalf of U-HAUL CO / Brady Rome, from the Land Development Code (LDC) Section 4.4.4 F, Signs Permitted in Commercial and Office Zoning Classifications, to increase the commercial structures allowable sign usage. The Land Development Code states that (3) three wall signs are allowed with a maximum of 96 square feet in the aggregated sign area. The applicant is requesting to have (7) wall signs on Bldg. A, which has a wall square footage of 24,244 square feet on the four sides with a maximum of 320 square feet of signage, and (3) on Bldg. B, that has a wall square footage of 8,816 square feet with a maximum of 193 square feet of signage. The applicants have worked with Growth Services staff in order to minimize the additional signage area requested from the over 800 square feet that was previously requested. The applicant is now requesting an additional 129 square feet of wall signage in order to between buildings A & B.



### Marion County Board of County Commissioners

#### **Growth Services**

2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 Phone: 352-438-2600 Fax: 352-438-2601

### ZONING SECTION STAFF REPORT August 4, 2025 BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT PUBLIC HEARING

Case Number	250803V
CDP-AR	32514
Type of Case	Variance in accordance to Section 2.9 of the Marion County Land Development Code to have (7) wall signs on Bldg. A and also (3) wall signs on Bldg. B, in a Community Business (B-2) zone. (Total signage area allowed is 394 sq.ft. – 192 sq.ft. for each building)
Owner	U-HAUL CO / Brady Rome
Applicant	Shaw Lee
Street Address	6615, 6621 SW HWY 200, Ocala
Parcel Number	35485-001-04
Property Size	13.38 acres
Future Land Use	Commercial
Zoning Classification	Community Business (B-2)
Overlay Zone/Scenic Area	Secondary Springs Protection Overlay Zone (SPOZ)
Project Planner	Kenneth Odom, Senior Planner/Transportation Planner
Related Case(s)	None

#### I. ITEM SUMMARY

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FIGURE 1
GENERAL LOCATION MAP

#### II. PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of public hearing was mailed to 11 property owners within 300 feet of the subject property on April 17, 2025. A public notice sign was posted on the subject property on April 1, 2025, and notice of the public hearing was published in the Star-Banner on April 21, 2025. Evidence of the public notice requirements is on file with the Department and is incorporated herein by reference.

#### III. PROPERTY CHARACTERISTICS

The subject 13.38-acre property is located within the Commercial (COM) Future Land Use Map Series (FLUMS) designation and the Community Business (B-2) Zoning Classification. LDC Section 4.4.4.F provides the determined three wall signs for a single occupancy commercial structure with a combined total of 96 square feet.

The 13.38-acre subject property storefronts face SW Hwy 200. Building A is 24,244 square feet and Building B is 8816 sq. feet. Consistent with LDC Section 2.9.3. B., on April 1, 2025, a site visit was conducted by Growth Services Department staff, and photographs were taken.

#### IV. REQUEST STATEMENT

This application requests a variance from LDC Section 4.4.4.F, Signs Permitted in Commercial and Office Zoning Classifications, to increase the commercial structure's allowable sign usage. Land Development Code states that (3) three wall signs are allowed with a maximum of 96 square feet in the aggregated sign area. The applicant is requesting to have (10) ten wall signs with a maximum of 842.9 square feet between both buildings aggregated sign area.

#### V. ANALYSIS

LDC Section 2.9.4.E provides that the Board of Adjustment shall not grant a variance unless the petition demonstrates compliance with six (6) criteria. The six (6) criteria and the staff's analysis of compliance with those criteria are provided below.

 Special conditions and circumstances exist which are peculiar to the land, structure, or building involved and which do not apply to other lands, structures, or buildings with the same zoning classification and land use area.

**Analysis**: Applicant states that this business is a storage center that has a lot of vehicular traffic, which is present with people coming and going to storage units, as well as loading and unloading. Larger signs are needed to make sure the customers are going to the correct building and entrance to the building for the safety of the customers. On such large buildings, the normal sign criteria do not allow for that.

Staff finds that the rear building is set back over 500' feet from SR 200. This is a physical characteristic of the facility that could be perceived as a hardship in that there are multiple operations on site now, and more planned in the future. In this particular case, with the number of proposed uses and some distance

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consideration, this could be considered a hardship as opposed to most smaller commercial properties.

2. The special conditions and circumstances do not result from the actions of the applicant.

**Analysis**: The conditions set forth in the sign code are not a result of the applicant and are what is hindering this project from moving forward.

3. Literal interpretation of the provisions of applicable regulations would deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties with the same zoning classification and land use area under the terms of said regulations and would work unnecessary and undue hardship on the applicant.

**Analysis**: The applicant states other properties in the same zoning category and area do not have the same type of traffic that they need to advertise and direct to multiple buildings on the same property, nor do they have the same brand standards that they need to uphold to keep all their locations looking the same for brand continuity. Other businesses do not have comparable-sized buildings.

Staff agrees that this is a high traffic frequency area and signage is important. However, branding, building appearance and size should be not be major consideration. These factors should work in favor of the applicant's location, not against them.

4. The variance, if granted, is the minimum variance that will allow the reasonable use of the land, building, or structure.

**Analysis**: The applicant states they are only asking for the variance to allow up to the normal brand standard for UHAUL's standard sign package to be installed. This is so that all of their locations look the same.

Staff realizes the size of the new buildings which is 24,244 for building A. and 8, 816 square feet for building B along with the placement of the structure on the property and being on a state highway, it is reasonable to have the signs along with the square footage due to the size of the commercial retail building and its location.

The sizes of both buildings and setback of the rear building would typically demand larger signs for enhanced visibility. It is not an uncommon request locally from larger facilities such as big box retail stores and even some larger logistical facilities to exceed typical signage limitations per the current Marion County Land Development Code.

5. Granting the variance requested will not confer on the applicant any special privilege that is denied by these regulations to other lands, buildings, or structures in the same zoning classification and land use area.

**Analysis**: No, it will not grant any special privilege.

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Per question 4, staff finds that there have been examples in the past with larger facilities requesting, and being granted additional square footage for on-site signage.

6. The granting of the variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare.

**Analysis**: The applicant states it will not be detrimental to the public welfare of the neighborhoods. The signs will not look oversized or disproportionate due to the size of the building on which they are being mounted.

Staff finds that it will not be detrimental or injurious.

#### **LIST OF ATTACHMENTS**

- A. Variance application
- B. Marion County Property Appraiser Property Record Card
- C. Sign Plans
- D. Site photographs
- E. Sunbiz
- F. Warranty Deed
- G. Site Plan

# RECEIVED



Marion County Board of County Commissioners

Orowth Services 2710 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 Phone: 352-438-2675 Fax: 352-438-2676

OFFICE USE 2025	T
Received By:	
Marion County	
Date Receive wth Service	

### VARIANCE APPLICATION

Application #:			35485-001-04			
FOR COU	NTY USE ONLY		Parcel Account Number of Subject Property			
THE UNDERSIGNED RI			ENCED IN SECTION 2.9 OF THE MARION			
Requesting 129 square fectotal square footage of the for a total of (11) signs on	sign area. we ar	allowable square footage also requesting to ha	e of 384 square feet for both buildings, for the ve (1) additional sign over the (10) sign max			
Section of Code requesting	g variance from:		Sec. 4.4.4. F (1) C.			
Legal Description (Please	attach a copy o	f deed). Total Acreage	e of subject property: 13.38 +/- acres			
Directions to subject prope	erty:					
Please Note: Property ow written authorization nami	ner gat sign th	nis application: Other	wise he/she must attach to this application			
Uhaul Co. of Florida	Brady	Rome	Dowling Signs of NCF /Shaw Lee			
(Print/Signature) Prope	rty Owner	•	(Print) Applicant or Agent			
PO BOX 290	46		18038 nw 246th street			
Address			Address			
PHOENIX AZ 850	38-9046	,	High Springs FI 32643			
City, State, Zip	Code	,	City, State, Zip Code			
352-354-0029 shaw@dov	lingsigns.com		352-354-0029 shaw@dowlingsigns.com			
Contact Info: Phone, cell,	e-mail address		Contact Info: Phone, cell, e-mail address			

THE FILING FEE IS \$ 550 NON-REFUNDABLE. WE RECOMMEND THAT THE OWNER, APPLICANT OR AGENT BE PRESENT AT THE HEARING. IF NO REPRESENTATIVE IS PRESENT AND THE BOARD REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, THEY MAY DECIDE TO POSTPONE OR DENY THE REQUEST NOTICE OF SAID HEARING WILL BE MAILED TO THE ABOVE ADDRESS. ALL INFORMATION GIVEN MUST BE CORRECT AND LEGIBLE TO BE PROCESSED. PLEASE NOTE THAT A WRITTEN PETITION (REFER TO PAGE 2 & 3) MUST BE PROVIDED WITH THIS APPLICATION, ALONG WITH A SITE PLAN IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED COMPLETE. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT THE MARION COUNTY GROWTH SERVICES.

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#### WRITTEN PETITION FOR VARIANCE

WRITE YOUR ANSWERS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED AFTER EACH STATEMENT. PLEASE COMPLETE ALL REPLIES USING A SENTENCE FORM. A VARIANCE FROM THE TERMS OF THESE REGULATIONS SHALL NOT BE GRANTED BY THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT UNLESS A WRITTEN PETITION FOR A VARIANCE IS SUBMITTED JUSTIFYING THE FOLLOWING:

A. Special conditions and circumstances exist which are peculiar to the land, structure or building involved and which are not applicable to other lands, structures or buildings with the same zoning

The applicants buildings a mph, that traffic commonly cause more time to identify	exceeds 60mph on, whi	ich effects the visibil	lane highway with a speed limit of ity of viewing the signs, effectively property.
3. The special conditions	s and circumstances of	do not result from t	he actions of the applicant.
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applicant.

#### Applicant's justification:

Other businesses in this area, do not have the same size, building height, or set back off of the roadway as this location does, which in turn gives them better visibility to traffic to identify their building. There are several other storage/ moving companies within a mile of this business that are located right on highway 200, which gives them a clear advantage to advertising their location over the applicants, effectively putting a hardship on the advertising and building recognition of the applicant.

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**D.** The Variance, if granted, is the minimum Variance that will allow the reasonable use of the land. building or structure. Applicant's justification: This variance if granted will only allow the applicant to have signs that are just as visable to the travelling public as other business closer to the roadway E. Granting the Variance requested will not confer on the applicant any special privilege that is denied by these regulations to other lands, buildings or structures in the same zoning classification and land use area. Applicant's justification: No, it will not grant any special privilege, as any other business could apply for the same variance to the sign ordinance, if the needed or wanted to. **F.** The granting of the Variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or otherwise detrimental to the public welfare. Applicant's justification: No, there is nothing that will be detrimental to public welfare or the neighborhoods. The signs will not look oversized or disproportional due to the size of the building that they are being mounted on.

**Empowering Marion for Success** 

Jimmy H. Cowan, Jr., CFA

# Marion County Property Appraiser



501 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471 Telephone: (352) 368-8300 Fax: (352) 368-8336

## 2025 Property Record Card

# Real Estate

35485-001-04

GOOGLE Street View

Prime Key: 3867289

MAPIT+

Current as of 2/19/2025

**Property Information** 

M.S.T.U. PC: 48

U-HAUL CO OF FLORIDA

PO BOX 29046

Total Taxable

School Taxable

PHOENIX AZ 85038-9046

Taxes / Assessments: Map ID: 130

Millage: 9002 - UNINCORPORATED

More Situs

(\$812,866)

Acres: 13.38

Situs: Situs: 6615 SW HWY 200 OCALA

Impact

Ex Codes:

2024 Certified Value

 Land Just Value
 \$2,864,629

 Buildings
 \$0

 Miscellaneous
 \$1,900

 Total Just Value
 \$2,866,529

 Total Assessed Value
 \$2,053,663

 Exemptions
 \$0

\$0

\$2,053,663 \$2,866,529

History of Assessed Values

Land Just	Building	Misc Value	Mkt/Just	Assessed Val	Exemptions	Taxable Val
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#### Property Transfer History

Book/Page	Date	Instrument	Code	O/U	V/I	Price
6785/0055	06/2018	09 EASEMNT	0	Q/U	1/1	
6785/0053	06/2018	O7 WADD ANDEN		U	٧	\$100
070370033	00/2018	07 WARRANTY	4 V-APPRAISERS OPINION	Q	V	\$2,185,400

#### Property Description

SEC 08 TWP 16 RGE 21 COM AT SW COR OF SEC 8 TH N 25 FT TO POINT ON N ROW LINE OF SW 80TH ST(50 FT WIDE) TH S 89-37-50 E 844.83 FT TO POB; TH N 41-48-57 E 1160.82 FT TH S 48-38-01 E 673.19 FT TO NWLY ROW LINE OF ST RD 200 TH SWLY ALONG NWLY ROW LINE 3 COURSES TH S 41-48-08 W 368.87 FT TH N 48-11-52 W 2 FT TH S 41-48-08 W 204.43 FT TO INTERSECTION WITH N ROW LINE OF SW 80TH ST TH N 89-37-50 W ALONG N ROW LINE 895.58 FT TO POB Parent Parcel: 35485-001-01

Land Data - Warning: Verify Zoning

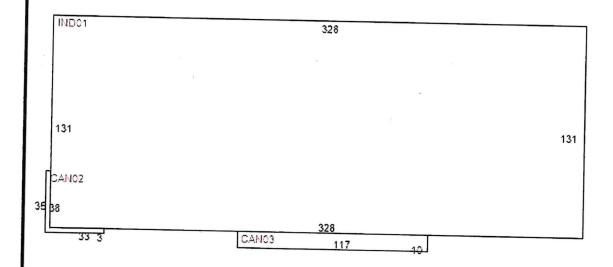
Use GCSF GDRA	<b>CUse</b> 4860 1000	<b>Front</b> 577.0 .0	<b>Depth</b> 827.0	Zoning B2 B2	477,418.00 SF	Rate Loc Shp Phy	Class Value	Just Value
Neighbor	hood 9933	- COMM SI	R 200-I-7	5/ HWY 484				1

Mkt: 2 70

**Traverse** 

Building 1 of 2

IND01=R328U131L328D131. CAN02=R33D3L36U38R3D35.R115 CAN03=D10R117U10L117.



#### MCPA Property Record Card

### **Building Characteristics**

Structure	1 - WH STL FR
Effective Age	1 - 00-04 YRS
Condition	4
Quality Grade	500 - FAIR
Inspected on	7/29/2024 by 117

Year Built 2024
Physical Deterioration 0%
Obsolescence: Functional 0%
Obsolescence: Locational 0%
Base Perimeter 918

Exterior	Wall	40	PRECAST	PANEL	18	PREFINISHED MTL
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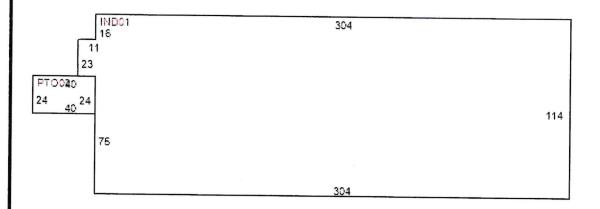
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					F48 WAREHOUSE/DISTRIBUTE	2 %	Y	Y
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	14.0	1.00	2024	0	1,170 CAN CANOPY-ATTACHD	100 %	N	N

Section: 1

#### **Traverse**

#### Building 2 of 2

IND01=D75R304U114L304D16L11D23R11. PTO02=D24L40U24R40.



#### **Building Characteristics**

Structure

1 - WH STL FR

Effective Age

1 - 00-04 YRS

Condition

**Quality Grade** 

500 - FAIR

Inspected on

7/29/2024 by 117

Year Built 2024

Physical Deterioration 0% Obsolescence: Functional 0%

Obsolescence: Locational 0%

**Base Perimeter 858** 

#### Exterior Wall 18 PREFINISHED MTL

#### Section Wall HeightStories Year Built Basement % Ground Flr Area Interior Finish 2024

Sprinkler A/C

1 46.5 1.00 2 1.0 1.00

0 0 34,909 F48 WAREHOUSE/DISTRIBUTE 100 % 960 PTO PATIO

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Section: 1

**Elevator Shafts: 0 Elevator Landings: 0** 

Aprtments: 0 Escalators: 0

2024

Kitchens: 0 Fireplaces: 0

4 Fixture Baths: 0 3 Fixture Baths: 0

2 Fixture Baths: 0

Extra Fixtures: 0

Miscellaneous Improvements

### MCPA Property Record Card

Type	Nbr Units	Type	Life	Year In	Grade	Length	Width
259 WELL 04-12IN	1.00	UT	99	1979	2	3	
144 PAVING ASPHALT	327,606,00	SF	5	2024	3	0.0	0.0
159 PAV CONCRETE	1,330.00	SF	20	2024	3	0.0	0.0
159 PAV CONCRETE	458.00	SF	20	2024	5	0.0	0.0
170 LOADING WELL	2,000.00	SF	20	2024	3	50.0	0.0 40.0
105 FENCE CHAIN LK	439.00	LF	20	2024	5	0.0	0.0
116 FENCE VINYL	950.00	LF	99	2024	4	0.0	0.0
190 SEPTIC 1-5 BTH	1.00	UT	99	2024	3	0.0	0.0
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#### Appraiser Notes

U-HAUL TRAILER RETAIL AND U-HAUL MINI STORAGE (2025) 1247 TOTAL STORAGE UNITS

### Planning and Building

\*\* Permit Search \*\*

# Permit Number Date Issued Date Completed Description

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# **Dowling Signs**

Of North Central Florida, LLC.

18038 nw 246th street High Springs Fl 32643 386-201-0819



DATE: 05/30/25

To who it may concern:

We are applying for this zoning variance on behalf of our customer Uhaul Co of Florida. They have built a new facility with (2) buildings with (2) different addresses on the same parcel, located oat 6615 SW HWY 200, and 6647 sw 80th street, in Ocala Florida. The current land development code states 444.F.1.C that they are allowed a max of 192 square feet of signage per building for a total of 384 sq feet. We are applying for the following:

Building A—proposed 320 sq feet

Building B- proposed 193 sq feet

Allowed-192 sq feet

Allowed- 192 sq feet

Overage - 128 sq feet

Overage- 1 sq foot

Our request is to be granted this additional 129 sq feet so that we can ensure these signs can be read safely from Hwy 200, which both buildings face. Highway 200 is currently a 55mph speed limit in front of this property and has traffic commonly flowing at speeds up to 60 mph, so it is imperative for the signs to be visible to traffic at a distance to allow them to have time to make their lane changes and safely enter the property. Attached is a chart that shows the maximum and best viewable distance that signs can be read from. There is also a site plan that so the distance from which they can be viewed. According to this chart the signs we are proposing are on the low end of readability, showing the client is applying for a minimal variance from the current sign code.

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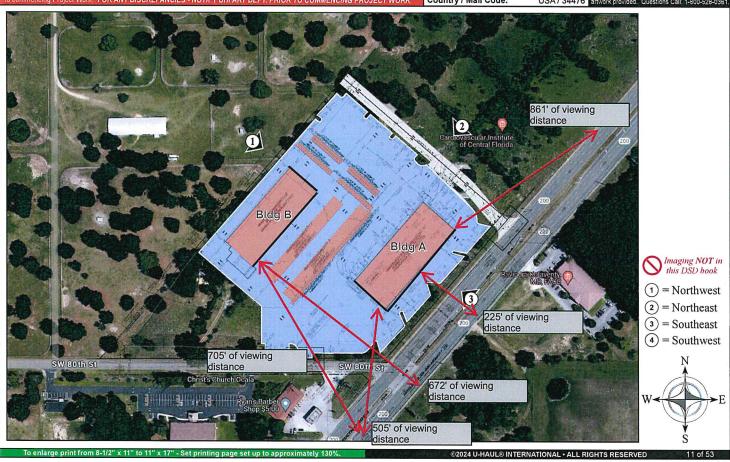
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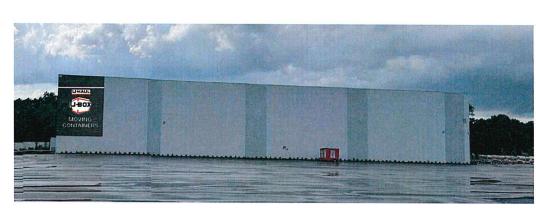
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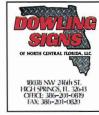




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#### **WARRANTY DEED**

THIS INDENTURE, made this 14th day of June, 2018, between NOVIA GROUP, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, whose address is 4534 W. Hwy 40, Ocala, FL 34482, herein referred to as Grantor and U-HAUL CO. OF FLORIDA, a Florida corporation, whose address is 2311 Angel Oliva Senior Street, Tampa, Florida 33605, hereinafter referred to as Grantee.

#### WITNESSETH

That Grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN AND NO/100 dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration to Grantor in hand paid by Grantee, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained and sold to the Grantee, and Grantee's successors and assigns forever, the following-described land situate, lying and being in Marion County, Florida, viz.

#### TRACT 1:

A PORTION OF THOSE LANDS AS DESCRIBED IN WARRANTY DEED RECORDED IN OFFICIAL RECORDS BOOK 5471, PAGE 422, PUBLIC RECORDS OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCEAT THE S.W. CORNER OF SECTION 8, TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 21 EAST, THENCE NORTH, ALONG THE WEST BOUNDARY OF SAID SECTION 8, A DISTANCE OF 25.00 FEET TO A POINT ON THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF S.W. 80TH STREET (50 FOOT WIDE), SAID LINE BEING 25 FEET NORTH OF AND PARALLEL WITHTHE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF SAID SECTION; THENCE S.89°37'50"E., ALONG SAID NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE, A DISTANCE OF 844.83 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. THENCE DEPARTING SAID NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE, N.41°48'57"E., A DISTANCE OF 1160.82 FEET; THENCE S.48'38'01"E., A DISTANCE OF 673.19 FEET TO A POINT ON THE NORTHWESTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF STATE ROAD 200 (WIDTH VARIES), SAID POINT BEING 78.00 FEET DISTANT FROM, AS MEASURED PERPENDICULAR TO, THE BASELINE OF SURVEY AS SHOWN ON FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION RIGHT OF WAY MAP (SECTION 36100-2522); THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY ALONG SAID NORTHWESTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE THE FOLLOWING THREE (3) COURSES: (1) THENCE S.41°48'08"W., PARALLEL WITH AND 78.00 FEET DISTANT FROM SAID BASELINE OF SURVEY, A DISTANCE OF 368.87 FEET; (2) THENCE N.48°11'52"W., A DISTANCE OF 2.00 FEET TO A POINT THAT IS 80.00 FEET DISTANT FROM, AS MEASURED PERPENDICULAR TO, SAID BASELINE OF SURVEY; (3) THENCE S.41°48'08"W., PARALLEL WITH AND 80.00 FEET DISTANT FROM SAID BASELINE OF SURVEY; (3) THENCE S.41°48'08"W., PARALLEL WITH AND 80.00 FEET DISTANT FROM SAID BASELINE OF SURVEY; (3) THENCE S.41°48'08"W., PARALLEL WITH AND 80.00 FEET DISTANT FROM SAID BASELINE OF SURVEY; (3) THENCE N.48°11'52"W., PARALLEL WITH AND 80.00 FEET DISTANT FROM SAID BASELINE OF SURVEY; (3) THENCE N.48°11'52"W., A DISTANCE OF 204.43 FEET TO AN INTERSECTION WITH THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF AFORESAID S.W. 80TH STREET; THENCE N.89°37'50"W., ALONG SAID NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE, A DISTANCE OF 895.58 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

#### Parcel ID#35485-001-01

TOGETHER with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same in fee simple forever.

AND Grantor hereby covenants with the said Grantee that the grantor is lawfully seized of said land in fee simple; that the Grantor has good right and lawful authority to sell and convey said land; that the Grantor hereby fully warrants the title to said land and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever; and that said land is free and clear of all encumbrances, except: Covenants, Restrictions, Easements of record and taxes for the current year.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Grantor has signed and sealed these presents the day and year first above written.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of:

Novia Group, LLC, a Florida limited liability company

By: Joseph R. Moreau, Manager

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARION

Subscribed, sworn to and acknowledged before me by Joseph R. Mereau, Manager of NOVIA GROUP, LLC, a Florida limited liability company, who is personally known to me or produced \_\_\_\_\_\_ as identification, this 14th day of June, 2018.

Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 8-18-2019

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# Marion County

# **Board of Adjustment**

# Agenda Item

**File No.:** 2025-19911 **Agenda Date:** 8/4/2025 **Agenda No.:** 4.1.

SUBJECT: May 5, 2025

**DESCRIPTION/BACKGROUND:** 

Minutes from the previous Board of Adjustment Meeting.

# **MINUTES**

# MARION COUNTY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT May 5, 2025

A public hearing of the Marion County Board of Adjustment was held on May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 2:00 pm in the Marion County Growth Services Training Room, 2710 E. Silver Springs Boulevard, Ocala, Florida.

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm. Members present creating a quorum were: Chairman Donald Barber; Members Ernest Hemschot, Thomas Phillips, Len Racioppi; and Alternates Samuel Hunt and Zilca Diaz. Staff members present were: County Attorney Linda Blackburn, Growth Services Director Chuck Varadin, Staff Assistant IV Kelly Hill, Planner Kathleen Brugnoli, along with Zoning Technicians Lynda Smith, Cristina Franco and Rachel Kruger

Ernest Hemschot led the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by the Invocation given by Douglas Sherwood.

Chairman Barber and Atty. Linda Blackburn explained the procedures for hearing variance requests and Atty. Blackburn administered the Oath en masse.

Kathleen Brugnoli proceeded by reading the provided Affidavit of Publication and the Proof of Required Mailing and Posting of Notice, and advised that the meeting was properly noticed.

2.1 **250501V** - Gary Kromer, requests a Variance, Section 2.9, of the Marion County Land Development Code, to reduce the setback from 75' to 32' for a proposed 10' x 24' screened porch, in a Residential Mixed (R-4) zone, on an approximate 0.24 Acre Parcel, on Parcel Account Number 11140-029-00, Site Address 21268 NE 150<sup>th</sup> Street, Salt Springs, FL 32134

Lynda Smith presented the case and read the report into the record.

There were **20** homeowners notified within 300' of the parcel, and no letters of opposition nor support received.

This subdivision was created January 26, 1971, prior to the ESOZ and Zoning regulations going into effect in 1992. ESOZ Ordinary High-Water Line regulations was changed in 2013 from 50' to 75'. This parcel currently has an SFR, built in 2023 with an approved variance 221101V for an SFR and 12'X25' shed and owners are wishing to build a screened front porch. 12'X25' Shed was never built and will not be built. Most of the lots in this area do/will require a variance to be able to build structures on the surrounding lots/parcels due to size and ESOZ requirements.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

There was no one in the audience to speak for, or against, the request and the chair closed the public portion of the hearing.

Samuel Hunt made a motion to **approve** the variance as requested and moved that, having heard competent substantial evidence, the Board finds that: 1. A special condition or circumstance exists on the property that does not exist on other properties within the same zoning and land use area; 2. The applicant did not cause the special condition or circumstance; 3. Literal enforcement of the regulations would create unnecessary and undue hardship and deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties within the same zoning and land use area; 4. The variance is the minimal variance that will allow reasonable use of the property; 5. The variance will not confer any special privilege on the applicant that is denied to other properties within the same zoning and land use area; and 6. The granting of the variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or detrimental to the public welfare; And that the Board grant the variance.

Len Racioppi made a motion to second.

# Motion to Approve - Passed 4 to 2 with Thomas Phillips and Ernest Hemschot dissenting.

2.2 **250502V** - U-HAUL CO. of Florida, requests a Variance, Section 2.9, of the Marion County Land Development Code, to have seven (7) wall signs on Building A, and also three (3) wall signs on Building B, in a Community Business (B-2) zone, on an approximate 13.38 Acre Parcel, on Parcel Account Number 35485-001-04, Site Addresses 6615 and 6621 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34476

Cristina Franco presented the case and read the report into the record.

There were 11 homeowners notified within 300' of the parcel, and no letters of opposition nor support received.

Applicant states that this business is a storage center that has a lot of vehicular traffic that is present with people coming and going to storage units, as well as loading and unloading. Larger signs are needed to make sure the customers are going to the correct building and entrance to the building for the safety of the customers. On such large buildings, the normal sign criteria does not allow for that.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT:

There was no one in the audience to speak for, or against, the request and the chair closed the public portion of the hearing.

Samuel Hunt made a motion to **approve** the variance as requested and moved that, having heard competent substantial evidence, the Board finds that: 1. A special condition or circumstance exists on the property that does not exist on other properties within the same zoning and land use area; 2. The applicant did not cause the special condition or circumstance; 3. Literal enforcement of the regulations would create unnecessary and undue hardship and deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties within the same zoning and land use area; 4. The variance is the minimal variance that will allow reasonable use of the property; 5. The variance will not confer any special privilege on the applicant that is denied to other properties within the same

zoning and land use area; and 6. The granting of the variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or detrimental to the public welfare; And that the Board grant the variance.

Zilca Diaz made a motion to second.

# Motion to Approve – Failed (3 to 3). Tie vote with Thomas Phillips, Ernest Hemschot and Len Racioppi dissenting.

Len Racioppi made a motion to **deny** the variance as requested and moved that, having heard competent substantial evidence, the Board finds that: 1. No special condition or circumstance exists on the property that does not exist on other properties within the same zoning and land use area; 2. The applicant caused the special condition or circumstance; 3. Literal enforcement of the regulations would not create unnecessary and undue hardship and deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties within the same zoning and land use area; 4. The variance is not the minimal variance that will allow reasonable use of the property; 5. The variance is not necessary for reasonable use of the property; 6. The variance will confer a special privilege on the applicant that is denied to other properties within the same zoning and land use area; and 7. The granting of the variance will be injurious to the neighborhood or detrimental to the public welfare; And that the Board denies the variance.

Thomas Phillips made a motion to second.

# Motion to Deny - Passed 4 to 2 with Donald Barber and Zilca Diaz dissenting.

2.3 **250503V** – Donna Ermscher, requests a Variance, Section 2.9, of the Marion County Land Development Code, to allow accessory structure 30' x 35' metal garage in the front yard, in a Residential Mixed (R-4) zone, on an approximate 0.49 Acre Parcel, on Parcel Account Number 3484-002-004, Site Address 18951 SW 109<sup>th</sup> Street, Dunnellon, FL 34432

Rachel Kruger presented the case and read the report into the record.

There were 22 homeowners notified within 300' of the parcel, and three letters of support were received. No letters of opposition received.

Applicant states they are requesting to put the 35'x30' garage structure in front of the existing mobile home as there is a 10' incline in grade from the front of the property to the rear of the property that prohibits the placement of the structure anywhere else on the property. Staff states if they were to bring fill onto existing grade they can meet the current code requirements. Applicant states if they were to bring in fill, the property would be too far built up and a retaining wall might then be required. They would also like to leave the woods in the front of the property.

### PUBLIC COMMENT:

There was no one in the audience to speak for, or against, the request and the chair closed the public portion of the hearing.

Samuel Hunt made a motion to **approve** the variance as requested and moved that, having heard competent substantial evidence, the Board finds that: 1. A special condition or circumstance exists on the property that does not exist on other properties within the same zoning and land use area; 2. The applicant did not cause the special condition or circumstance; 3. Literal enforcement of the regulations would create unnecessary and undue hardship and deprive the applicant of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties within the same zoning and land use area; 4. The variance is the minimal variance that will allow reasonable use of the property; 5. The variance will not confer any special privilege on the applicant that is denied to other properties within the same zoning and land use area; and 6. The granting of the variance will not be injurious to the neighborhood or detrimental to the public welfare; And that the Board grant the variance.

Len Racioppi made a motion to second.

	Motion to App	rove - Passed 5 to	1 with Thomas	Phillips dissenting.
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OTHER BUSINESS:

Next BOA hearing scheduled for August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

#### **MINUTES**:

The **February 3<sup>rd</sup>**, **2025 and April 7<sup>th</sup>**, **2025** Board of Adjustment Minutes were moved for Approval upon a motion by Thomas Phillips with a second by Samuel Hunt.

Motion for Approval - Passed 7 to 0.

ADJOURNED: The meeting adjourned at 3:12 PM.

Attest:		Donald M. Barber, Chairman	
Kelly A. Hill, Staff Assist	ant IV	-	

# **Board of Adjustment Attendance Report**

2025		January – No Meeting	February	March - No Meeting	April	May	June – No Meeting	July – No Meeting	August	September	October	November	December
Donald Barber	Board Member		Χ		Χ	Χ							
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Jackie Alsobrook	Board Member		Х										
Ernest Hemschot	Board Member		X			X							
Thomas Phillips	Board Member		Χ		Χ	Χ							
Len Racioppi	Board Member	-	-	-		Χ							
Nathanael Ramos	Board Member				Χ								
Samuel Hunt*	Alternate		Χ		Χ	Χ							
Zilca Diaz*	Alternate	-	-	-	-	X							

X Present

- N/A