## LAND USE HEARING OFFICER VARIANCE REPORT

## APPLICATION NUMBER: VAR 22-1121

LUHO HEARING DATE: November 21, 2022
CASE REVIEWER: Isis Brown

REQUEST: The applicant is requesting variances for an accessory structure on a corner lot zoned AS-1 (Agricultural, Single-Family-1).

## VARIANCE(S):

1) Per LDC Section 6.11.04.C.1, accessory structures shall be permitted in front yards at twice the depth of the required front yard, or 50 feet, whichever is less. Per LDC Section 6.06.01, a minimum front yard setback of 50 feet is required in the AS-1 district. The subject parcel is a corner lot with required front yards on the east and south sides. The applicant requests a 12 -foot reduction to the required front yard setback to allow a 38 -foot setback from the east property line along Old Mulberry Road.
2) Per LDC Section 6.11.04.B, accessory structures shall not exceed 15 feet in height except where they meet primary structure setbacks of the zoning district. The subject accessory structure does not meet the required 50 -foot front yard setback required by the property's zoning. The applicant requests a 3 foot increase in the permitted structure height to allow a height of 18 feet.


## FINDINGS:

- The applicant wishes to convert an existing pole barn into an enclosed storage building and workshop. She has applied for a building permit (HC-BLD-22-0034258).


## DISCLAIMER:

The variance(s) listed above are based on the information provided in the application by the applicant.
Additional variances may be needed after the site has applied for development permits. The granting of these variances does not obviate the applicant or property owner from attaining all additional required approvals including but not limited to: subdivision or site development approvals and building permit approvals.

| ADMINISTRATOR'S SIGN-OFF |
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| Attachments: Application |
| Site Plan |
| Petitioner's Written Statement |
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## VARIANCE REQUEST

1. Project Narrative: In the space below describe the variance including any history and/or related facts that may be helpful in understanding the request. This explanation shall also specifically identify what is being requested (eeg. Variance of 10 feet from the required rear yard setback of 25 feet resulting in a rear yard of 15 feet). If additional space is needed, please attach extra pages to this application.
1 am requesting a Variance to enclose an existing pole barn into an enclosed storage/workshop. live been trying since February and have done all that has been asked of me. My husband (late) hired a company to erect the pole barn in 2018. He had just retired from a long career in law enforcement and it was originally built to store a toy hauler and we were planning on traveling and riding around the country as we had been doing for the previous 10 years. I know he did everything by the book and 1 assumed, and lin quite certain that he did, too, that the company hired had pulled permits to build it. Billy went to the doctor for what he thought was a Sinus infection and was told he had a rare cancer. He started chemo in Nov 2018, followed by radiation for 7 weeks in June $2019 . \rightarrow$
2. A Variance is requested from the following Sections) of the Hillsborough County Land Development Code: Section 6.11.04.C.I.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. Have you been cited by Hillsborough County Code Enforcement? No
 Yes $\qquad$ If yes, you must submit a copy of the Citation with this Application.
2. Do you have any other applications filed with Hillsborough County that are related to the subject property? No Yes X If yes, please indicate the nature of the application and the case numbers assigned to the application(s):Requests for permitting - HC-BLD-22-0034258
3. Is this a request for a wetland setback variance? No
 Yes If yes, you must complete the Wetland Setback Memorandum and all required information must be included with this Application Packet (Attachment A).
4. Please indicate the existing or proposed utilities for the subject property:

Public Water $\qquad$ Public Wastewater $\qquad$ Private Well $\qquad$ Septic Tank X
5. Is the variance to allow a third lot on well and/or septic or non-residential development with an intensity of three ERC's? No X Yes $\qquad$ If yes, you must submit a final determ ination of the "Water, Wastewater, and/or Reclaimed Water - Service Application Conditional Approval - Reservation of Capacity" prior to your public hearing (form may be obtained from $19^{\text {th }}$ floor County Center).
the radiation destroyed his ability to make platelets and rettaied August 17, 2022 following months were spent going to the cancer center Dfolpopment Services blood and platelets. We were eventually told that there was nothing more that they could do. We spent his last time here looking for a clinical trial but the 15 I spoke to would not take him because of the low platelet and inability to regenerate them. Billy passed on Nov. 4, 2019, less than a year of his first chemo treatment. I look at that pole barn and it reminds me of an erased future. I want him to be proud of me and make it something else that makes me feel happy, strong and not sad when 1 see it. It's solid and strong and 1 thought at first, a nice little guesthouse. ave changed my plans 4 times now at a cost of over $\$ 5000 \circ$. Its just going to be enclosed and have my gym equipment, my crafting table, a small bathroom and a sink (for when in lucky enough to paint with my granddaughter) l've jumped through every hoop required of me, live compromised on What I had imagined I could build on my property, and I was Just informed that the "Christian" contractor that my late husband hired, did not pull permits. It's disheartening. But 1 doit want to quit. I was advised to ask for a variance because the site is only 38 ft off the road (Old Mulberry) and it should be 50 ft 静 live in a rural area, have just 2 neighbors and there are tons of homes in the area that are much closer to the road than 38 ft . The many little farmers houses that the strawberry growers use to house form families are about 10 ft off the road. Please consider allowing me to enclose this existing structure into an enclosed "she shed/Workshop" and turn my view from an erased future to a beautiful little space.

Thank You for reading - Laurie Brantley

* The building is $18^{\prime}$ tall and I need a variance for $3^{\prime}$ of height, as well.


## VARIANCE CRITERIA RESPONSE

You must provide a response to each of the following questions. If additional space is needed, please attach extra pages to this application.

1. Explain how the alleged hardships or practical difficulties are unique and sing uar to the subject property and are not those suffered in common with other property similarly located?
The structure was built where the driveway ended and There are many homes in the rural area that have outbuildings. I think enclosing it will look beautiful and add value to my space.
2. Describe how the literal requirem ens of the Land Development Code (LDC) would deprive you of rights commonly enjoyed by other properties in the same district and area under the terms of the LDC.
The requirements are it should be 50 ft from the road -
It is 38 ft . If you drive through the area, yoill see
many homes that have built out buildings and many
3. Explain how the variance, if allowed, will not substantially interfere with or injure the rights of others whose property y would be affected by allowance of the variance.
It would not interfere in any way with any property
owners near me. I only have a neighbor across the owners near me. I only have a ne aghbor across the street and he owns the entire block. Ht is mothers house is still there along with his sons. The neighbor to my right is pretty for away and I have none to the lett.
4. Explain how the variance is in harmon $y$ with and serves the general intent and purpose of the LDC and the Comprehensive Plan (refer to Section 1.02.02 and 1.02.03 of the LDC for description of intent/purpose).
Because of the open rural area, 1 think it would not effect or be any issue to anyone else who lives near or drives by. I know it will be beautiful. like my home.
5. Explain how the situation sought to be relieved by the variance does not result from an illegal act or result from the
actions of the applicant, resulting in a self-imposed hardship. actions of the applicant, resulting in a self-imposed hardship.
I honestly know that my late husband would have never done anything that was not legal. I believe the company that built that pole barn for him was dishonest by not pulling a permit. But it's there. And Tearing it down urould beg impossible and a waste of money.
6. Explain how allowing the variance will result in substantial 1 justice being done, consider ing both the public benefit s intended to be secured by the LDC and the individual hardships that will be suffered by a failure to grant a variance. If the variance is allowed, it wish allow me to go ahead with a dream of enclosing it and making a beantifol Space out of a sod reminder. If Will not effect anyone around me and actually, they will most likely be happy to see me accomplish this project.
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Prepared by and return to:
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Consideration: $\$ 10.00$
Parcel Number: 092034-000

## Lu W WARRANTY DEED

 OctoberThis indenture made the 26 day of 我葴, 2018 between Billy Brantley, Jr. a/k/a Billy E. Brantley, Jr., a married man, whose post office address is 3509 Old Mulberry Road, Plant City, FL 33566, Grantor, to Billy E. Brantley, Jr. and Laurie J. Brantley, husband and wife, whose post office address is 3509 Old Mulberry Road, Plant City, FL 33566, Grantee:

Witnesseth, that said Grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN DOLLARS (U.S. $\$ 10.00$ ) 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 Hillsborough County, Florida, to-wit:

Begin at the Southeast corner of the East $1 / 2$ of the SE $1 / 4$ of the SE $1 / 4$ of the SW $1 / 4$ of Section 12, Township 29 South, Range 22 East and run thence North $\mathbf{3 2 0 . 1 2}$ feet; thence West 286.25 feet; thence South 150.35 feet; thence South $6^{\circ} 12^{\prime} 13^{\prime \prime}$ West; 46.27 feet; thence South $111^{\circ} 48^{\prime} 32^{\prime \prime}$ West, 49.11 feet; thence South 76.0 feet; thence East 301.88 feet to the Point of Beginning. Less right of way for Trapnell Road on the South side thereof and Less right of way for Wiggins Road on the East side thereof, of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida.

Parcel Number: 092034-000
Grantor warrants that at the time of this conveyance, the subject property is the Grantor's homestead within the meaning set forth in the constitution of the State of Florida.

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

Subject to taxes for 2018 and subsequent years, not yet due and payable; covenants, restrictions, easements, reservations and limitations of record, if any.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same in fee simple forever.
And Grantor hereby covenants with the Grantee that the Grantor is lawfully seized of said land in fee simple, that Grantor has good right and lawful authority to sell and convey said land and that the Grantor hereby fully warrants the title to said land and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

Legal Description furnished by parties and not verified by drafter. This document prepared without the benefit of a title search or ititle opinion and is based solely on facts provided by the parties hereto.

In Witness Whereof, Grantor has hereunto set Grantor's hand and seal the day and year first above written.
Signed, sealed and delivered in our presence:

Lemicelos
Witness Name: Jessica Waters


Siena voters
Witness Name: sierra Waters

## STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF PolK


The foregoing instrument was acknowledged hefreme this 26 day of why, 2018 , by Billy Bentley, Ir, a/k/a Billy E. Brantley, Jr., who is personally known to me or who produced hisudiluiflicense as identification.


Signature of Notary Public Name of Notary Katherine M. Workman



VARIANCE APPLICATION
IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL APPLICANTS:
You must schedule an appointment to submit this application by calling 813-272-5600.
All requirements listed on the submittal checklist must be met. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.
Property Information
Address: 3509 old Mulberry Rd City/State/Zip: Plant City Fl 33566 twn-RN-SEC: 295-22E-12
Folios): $092034-0000 \quad$ Zoning: AS.1_Future Land Use: $99 \mathrm{FB} \quad$ Property Size: 2.15 acres
Property Owner Information
Nam: Laurie Brantley Daytime Phone: 407.506 .9543
Address: 3509 Old Mulberry Rd City/State/Zip: Plant City FL 33566
Email: Laurie.toddcouples@yahoo.com FAX Number: $\qquad$
Name: Laurie Brantley Applicant Information

Address: 3509 old Mulberry Rd City/State/Zip: Plant City Fl 33566
Email: Laurie. todd couples © yahoo. com FAX Number: $\qquad$ none

Applicant's Representative (if different than above)
Name: $\qquad$ $n / a$ Daytime Phone: $\qquad$ na
Address: $\qquad$ $n / a$ City / State/Zip: $\qquad$ $n / a$
Email: $\qquad$ Na FAX Number: $\quad \mathrm{N} / \mathrm{a}$

I HEREBY S WEAR OR AFFIRM THAT AL L THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THIS APP LICATION PACKET IS RU E AND ACCURATE, TO THE BEST OF M Y KNOWLEDGE, AND AUTHORIZE THE REPRESENTATIVE LISTED ABOVE TO ACT ON MY BEHALF FOR THIS APPLICATION.
Laurie Brant ley
Signature of Applicant
$\frac{\text { Laurie Brantley }}{\text { Type or Print Name }}$ Daytime Phone: $407.506 \cdot 9543$
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I HEREBY AUTHORIZE THE PROCESSING OF THIS APPLICATION AND RECOGNIZE THAT THE FINAL ACTION ON THIS PETITION SHALL BE BI NDING TO THE PROPERTY AS WELL AS TO CURRENT AND ANY FUTURE OWNERS.
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Laurie Brantleal
Signature of Property Owner
$\frac{\text { Laurie Brantley }}{\text { Type or Print Name }}$
$\qquad$ Clare Odell Intake Date: $\qquad$ 27222
Intake Staff Signature: $\qquad$
Case Number: $\qquad$ 221121 Public Hearing Date: $\qquad$ 22222
Receipt Number: 174127

PARCEL INFORMATION HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY FLORIDA

| Jurisdiction | Unincorporated County |
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| Zoning Category | Agricultural |
| Zoning | AS-1 |
| Description | Agricultural - Single-Family |
| Overlay | null |
| Restr | null |
| Flood Zone:A |  |
| Flood Zone:X | AREA OF MINIMAL FLOOD <br> HAZARD |
| FIRM Panel | 0430H |
| FIRM Panel | $12057 C 0430 H$ |
| Suffix | H |
| Effective Date | Thu Aug 28 2008 |
| Pre 2008 Flood Zone | X |
| Pre 2008 Firm Panel | $1201120450 B$ |
| County Wide Planning Area | East Rural |
| Census Data | Tract: 013002 <br> Block: 2014 |
| Future Landuse | R-1 |
| Mobility Assessment <br> District | Rural |
| Mobility Benefit District | 3 |
| Fire Impact Fee | Central |
| Parks/Schools Impact Fee | NORTHEAST |
| ROW/Transportation <br> Impact Fee | ZONE 5 |
| Wind Borne Debris Area | Outside 140 MPH Area |
| Competitive Sites | NO |
| Redevelopment Area | NO |
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3509 OLD MULBERRY RD
PLANT CITY, FL 33566-4594
Site Address:
3509 OLD MULBERRY RD
PLANT CITY, FI 33566
SEC-TWN-RNG: 12-29-22
Acreage: 1.84256995
Market Value: \$306,592.00
Landuse Code: 0100 SINGLE FAMILY

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