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ZONING BOARD OF APP	EALS APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING (VARIANCES, SPECIAL	ī
EXCEPT	IONS, APPEALS OF ADMINISTRATIVE DECISIONS)	L

	Applicant and/or		
,	Applicant and/or Authorized Representative: Pedro Rodriguez		
١	Mailing Address: 1575 Tapestry Ridge SE		
(City/State/Zip Code: Lawrenceville, GA 30045		
E	Email: garpropsolutions@gmail.com		
7	elephone Home: 470-429-1641	Business: Pepe & Caarlo	s Construction Inc
		OF SUBJECT PROPERTY	
A	ddress (Mailing): 2993 Frazier Ct, Decatur, GA	30033	
E	mail: Krischatfield@bellsouth.net Teleph	one Home: 404-432-1999	Business:
	ADDRESS/LOCATION	OF SUBJECT PROPERTY	
Α	ddress: 2992 Frazier Ct	City: Decatur	State: GA Zip: 3003:
	District(s): 18 Land Lot(s): 146	Block:	Parcel:
	Zoning Classification: Col	mmission District & Super Distr	ict:
СН	ECK TYPE OF HEARING REQUESTED:		
X	VARIANCE (From Development Standards causi	ng undue hardship upon owner	's of property.)
_	SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS (To reduce or waive off-		
	OFFICIAL APPEAL OF ADMINISTRATIVE DECIS		,,

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Email plansustain@dekalbcountyga.gov with any questions.



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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS APPLICATION

AUTHORIZATION OF THE PROPERTY OWNER

I hereby authorize the staff and members of the Zoning Board of Appeals to inspect the premises of the Subject Property.

I hereby certify that the information provided in the application is true and correct.

I hereby certify that I am the owner of the property subject to the application.

DATE: 11/8/2025

Applicant Signature:

DATE: 11-8-2025

Applicant Signature:



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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS APPLICATION

AUTHORIZATION TO REPRESENT THE PROPERTY OWNER

	I hereby authorize the staff and members of the Zonir Subject Property.	ng Board of Appeals to inspect the pro	emises of the
	I hereby certify that the information provided in the applic	cation is true and correct.	
	I hereby certify that I am the owner of the property an hearing to the ZoningBoard of Appeals for the requests	d that I authorize the applicant/agent as shown in this application.	to apply for a
	DATE: 11 / 11 / 2025 Applicant/Agent _ Signature:	Pedro Rodriquez	
	TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:		
	(I)/ (WE): James and Kristina Chatfield (Name of Owners)		
CINT	CA E (owner/owners) of the property described below signed agentyapplicant.	or attached hereby delegate authority	to the above
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Variance Application Statement

The homeowner respectfully submits this application requesting two variances to Section 27-2.2.1:

- 1. To increase allowable lot coverage from 35% to 38%, and
- 2. To reduce the side yard setback from 7.5 feet to 5 feet.

Case Context

The Chatfields have resided at **2993 Frazier Court** since 1994, following years of relocation in service to the United States. Their four sons are now grown and beginning their own families. With only one bathroom available for multiple adults and grandchildren during visits, family gatherings have become increasingly difficult. This modest home expansion is intended to create sufficient space for family visits, allowing the Chatfields to continue hosting loved ones—especially as several family members remain in active service and may be stationed abroad for extended periods.

1. Extraordinary or Exceptional Physical Conditions

The property is zoned R-60, which typically allows up to 3,500 square feet of impervious surface. The proposed addition would add 199.84 square feet to the existing 3,279 square feet, totaling 3,478.84 square feet, which is within the standard limit for a full-size R-60 lot. However, this particular parcel is undersized for its zoning designation, at only 9,270 square feet, compared to the typical R-60 lot size. As a result, the same proportional addition that would be compliant on a standard R-60 lot results in a slight increase in lot coverage to 38%. Additionally, a side yard setback reduction from 7.5 feet to 5 feet is requested to maintain the existing alignment and architectural integrity of the home. This will ensure that the addition appears cohesive and consistent with the current structure rather than visually offset.

2. Minimum Necessary to Afford Relief

The requested variances represent the **minimum relief necessary** to allow the project to proceed. The proposed addition does not exceed what would typically be permitted on a standard R-60 lot, and the side yard reduction is strictly for maintaining the home's existing façade and roofline. The request does **not constitute a special privilege**, but rather a reasonable accommodation based on the lot's smaller size.

3. No Detriment to Public Welfare

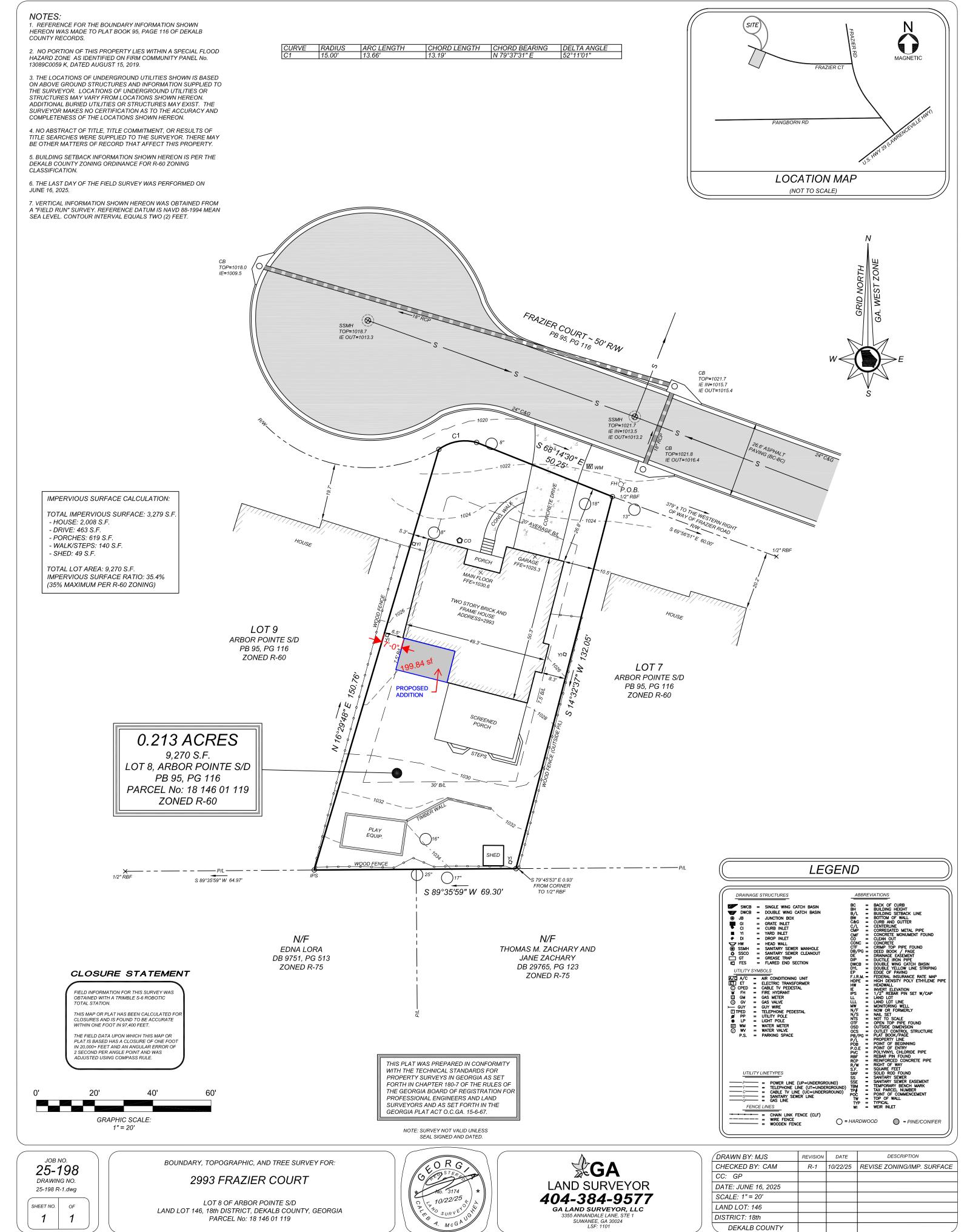
Approval of this variance will **not be detrimental to public welfare** or injurious to neighboring properties. The addition will be in keeping with the character of the surrounding neighborhood.

4. Undue Hardship from Strict Application

Strict enforcement of current zoning requirements would impose an **undue and unnecessary hardship** on the homeowner. Without the requested variances, the Chatfields would be unable to proceed with the modest expansion needed for family accommodation. In that event, they would likely need to relocate outside of DeKalb County to find a suitable home—resulting in the loss of long-term residents who have contributed to the community for over three decades.

5. Consistency with the Spirit and Purpose of the Ordinance

The requested variances are **consistent with the spirit and intent** of the zoning ordinance and the **DeKalb County Comprehensive Plan**. The proposal supports suburban land use character by modestly enhancing an existing residence while maintaining architectural harmony with the neighborhood. The improvement will modestly increase the county's housing stock and reinforce community stability by enabling long-term residents to remain in their home.









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Energy Checklist for Compliance with the: 2006 International Energy Conservation Code v Notice: This form shall be completed, signed and submitted to the Permits Sc copy must be available at the job site for the inspector's review. Installation	ection at the time building peri	mit is requested from DeKalb County and a		
Building Permit Number:	Date:			
Subdivision: Arbor Pointe	Lot:_ <u>8</u>	Block: <u>- LL 146</u>		
Job Address: 2993 Frazier Ct, 18th District, Dekalb County, GA	A Parcel No. 18 146 01 119			
General Contractor/Builder: P&C Construction, INC				
I do certify that the above permitted structure shall be built in International Energy Conservation Code with the Georgia Sta				
Ceilings: Access to Attic Area (Min R-3)		List D. Volus		
Flat Ceiling Insulation		List R-Value: <u>19</u> List R-Value: <u>N/a</u>		
Sloped Ceiling Insulation		List R-Value: N/a List R-Value: 19		
Walls:				
Cavity Insulation (Batt or Blown-in)		List R-Value: 13 Batt		
Insulated Sheathing (Leave blank for OSB, Plywood, Ect.)		List R-Value: N/a		
Attic Kneewall Insulation (Air Barrier on Attic Side, Minimum R-18)		List R-Value: N/a		
Fenestration:				
Window U-Factor (from Label)		List U-Factor: N/a		
Window SHGC (from Label, Max 0.40)		List U-Factor: N/a		
Skylight U-Factor (from Label)		List U-Factor: N/a		
Skylight SHGC (from Label, Max 0.40)		List U-Factor: N/a		
Door U-Factor)		List U-Factor: N/a		
Foundations:				
Floor Insulation		List R-Value: 19		
Basement Wall Insulation		List R-Value: N/a		
Mass Wall Insulation (Minimum R-5)		List R-Value: N/a		
Heating /Cooling Efficiency:				
Gas or Propane Furnace (Minimum 78% AFUE)		List AFUE: 96%		
Heat Pump (Minimum 7.7 HSPF)		List HSPF: N/a		
Air Conditioner (Minimum 13 SEER)		List SEER: 16.2		
Other System(s) (e.g. Fuel Oil)	т	List Type: Natural gas		
Duct Insulation	1	List Efficiency:		
Ducts Sealed with Mastic or Code Approved Tape		List Sealant Method: Tana & mastic		



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ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS FOR BUILDING PERMITS

The following environmental measures must be in place before permits will be issued.

- Erosion control measures shall be adequate to protect saved trees on site, state waters, intermediate
 regional floodplain, drainage systems, required buffers, and adjacent properties, including county or
 state right-of- ways. ALL EROSION CONTROL MEASURES ARE TO BE INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED AT
 ALL TIMES UNTIL FINAL LANDSCAPING.
- 2. All required buffers and floodplains shall be clearly demarcated using sediment barriers and/or tree protection fencing. All state waters, buffers, and floodplains shall have a double row of type "C" silt fence along entire limits.
- 3. Tree protection fencing will be installed prior to any land disturbing activities, and maintained until final landscaping. No parking, storage, or other construction activities to occur within tree protection areas. Removal or damaged trees designated as save will result in a court summons and will require recompense with 4 inch caliper trees (number to be determined per incident).
- 4. Tree protection fence will be installed in such a way to adequately protect the critical root zone of all saved trees. Critical root zone means an area of root space that is within a circle circumscribed around the trunk of a healthy tree using a radius of one (1) foot per once (1) of a DBH. Exceptions to strict adherence may be made with prior approval from Environmental Plans Review & Inspections.
- Prior issuance of the Certificate of Occupancy (CO), all disturbed areas will have a minimum of 90
 vegetative cover using sod or other approved landscape materials. Coverage will be determined by
 viewing any square yard on site.
- Site is to comply with the requirements of the tree ordinance. Cal (4047) 371-4913 for the Environmental Development Inspector at least 72 hours prior to requesting a Certificate of Occupancy.
- 7. No finished grade on the lot shall exceed 3:1 slope without prior approval.
- 8. No trash, building debris, or construction waste will be buried inadvertently on any building site.

I acknowledge that I have received and will comply with the requirements listed above, or a court summons and/or a stop work order can be issued.

SIGNATURE (FOTT SOLES)	DATE 11-21- 2025
PRINTED NAME Pedro Bodriguez	
SITE ADDRESS 2003 Frazier Ct Decatur GA 20033	



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TREE ORDINANCE EXEMPTION CERTIFICATION

Section 14-39(c)(1) as adopted 2-9-99 and amended 12-14-99

Building permit # 3/77/18
Address _2993 Frazier Ct, Decatur, GA 30033
Tax Parcel I.D18 146 01 119
This Tree Ordinance Exemption Certification applies only to owners of single family residences making additions to existing homes or adding accessory structures, or constructing a new house for the owner's personal residence.
l, Kristina Chatfield, the owner of the above property, hereby certify that the scope of construction as stated on this building permit will not require the removal of more than five (5) trees between the size of 8 inches in diameter at breast height (DBH) and 29 inches DBH.
I hereby certify that I have not removed more than five (5) trees between 8 inches DBH and 29 inches DBH in this calendar year. I fully understand that the removal of any trees pursuant to the above referenced building permit may require compliance with Section 14-39 of the Land Development Ordinance.
I fully understand that removal of any specimen overstory trees, 30" DBH and larger, or any specimen understory tree 10" DBH or greater is not permitted unless I have approval from the DeKalb County Arborist or the Zoning Board of Appeals, $Sec.\ 14-39(g)\ (8)\ f$
Owner's signature Owner's signature 11/20/2025



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Permit Application Signature Form

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PROJECT	Project Address 2993 Frazier Court	City D	ecatur	
	WRITE-IN NAMES EXACTLY AS SHOWN ON THE (INCLUDE IDENTIFICATION FOR EACH P	IE GOVERNMENT-ISSUED IDENTIFICATION	ATION	
Б	Name Kristina Chatfield	Company Name	N)	
ONTA	Address 2993 Frazier Court	_{City} Decatur	State GA	zip 30033
NEKC	krischatfield@bellsouth.net	Mobile (404) 432-1999	State O'A	Zip GGGGG
5	Additional Owner James Chatfield, Jr	Additional Owner's Mobile (4	04) 640-799	3
PROPERTY OWNER CONTACT	Additional Owner's Address SAME AS ABOVE	Additional Owner's Email jchatfie@bellsouth.net		
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APPENDIX RD MANDATORY COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE

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