# THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WELLINGTON NORTH MEETING AGENDA OF THE COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT – AUGUST 23, 2021 @ 7:00 P.M. VIA WEB CONFERENCING

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<b>THE LOCATION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY</b> is described as East Part Lot 34 Concession 1 and is municipally known as 7538 First Line. The property is approximately 32.37 ha (80 ac) in size. The location of the property is shown on the map attached.	7
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Notices were mailed to property owners within 60 meters of the subject property as well as the applicable agencies and posted on the subject property on August 10th, 2021.	
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Persons wishing to be notified of the decision must submit a written request to the Secretary-Treasurer.	
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THAT the minor variance applied for in Application A12/21, for the property described as East Part Lot 34 Concession 1 and is municipally known as 7538 First Line, to provide the following relief;	
<ol> <li>THAT an Interior Side Yard Minimum of 6.09 m (20 ft) be permitted, for a proposed new accessory structure, whereas the By-Law requires 18.3 m (60 ft).</li> </ol>	
ADJOURNMENT	
Recommendation:	
THAT the committee of adjustment meeting of August 23, 2021 be adjourned.	

# THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WELLINGTON NORTH MEETING MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT – JULY 12, 2021 @ 2:00 P.M. VIA WEB CONFERENCING - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RsQopFEM2SM

Members Present: Mayor: Andrew Lennox

Councillors: Sherry Burke

Lisa Hern Steve McCabe Dan Yake

**Staff Present:** 

Chief Administrative Officer: Michael Givens
Director of Legislative Services/Clerk: Karren Wallace

**Deputy Clerk:** Catherine Conrad

Economic Development Officer: Dale Small Director of Finance: Adam McNa

Director of Finance: Adam McNabb
Director of Operations: Matthew Aston
Community Recreation Coordinator: Mandy Jones
Manager of Recreation Services: Tom Bowden
Chief Building Official: Darren Jones

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Human Resources Manager: Chanda Riggi
Administrative Support: Morgan McCannell

Deputy Fire Chief: Callise Loos
Manager of Development Planning: Curtis Marshall

Planner: Matthieu Daoust

# **CALLING TO ORDER** - Chairperson Lennox

Chairperson Lennox called the meeting to order

#### **DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST**

No disclosure of pecuniary interest.

# MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING(S)

• Committee of Adjustment, June 28, 2021 (A09/21)

RESOLUTION: CoA 2021-013

Moved: McCabe Seconded: Burke

THAT the Committee of Adjustment meeting minutes of June 28, 2021 – A09/21 be adopted

as presented. CARRIED

#### **APPLICATION**

A10/21 – Craig Matta

**THE LOCATION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY** is described as Con 7 N, Pt Lot 4 and is Municipally known as 9508 Concession 6 N. The property is approximately 0.4 ha (1 ac) in size.

**THE PURPOSE AND EFFECT** of the application is to provide relief from the maximum floor area for an accessory structure. The applicant is proposing to construct a shop with a floor area of 111.5 m² (1,200 ft²). The subject lands contain an existing 133.5 m² (1,437 ft²) accessory structure. Other variances may be considered where deemed appropriate.

# SECRETARY TREASURER

Notices were mailed to property owners within 60 meters of the subject property as well as the applicable agencies and posted on the subject property on June 21st, 2021.

# **PRESENTATIONS**

Matthieu Daoust reviewed comments prepared by Asavari Jadhav, Junior Planner & Matthieu Daoust, Planner, County of Wellington, Township of Wellington North

Planning Report dated July 5, 2021

Planning Opinion: The variance requested would provide relief from the maximum floor area for an accessory structure. The applicant is proposing to construct a new 111.5 m2 (1,200 ft2) garage. The subject land also contains an existing 133.5m2 (1,437 ft2) accessory structure and 8.91m2 (96 ft2) shed which is used to store personal recreational vehicles and garden equipment.

We have no concerns with the requested relief and are satisfied that the application maintains the general intent and purpose of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law, and would be desirable and appropriate for the development of the subject property.

# SUBJECT PROPERTY AND LOCATION

The location of the subject property is described as Concession 7, Part lot 4 and is Municipally known as 9508 Concession 6 N. The property is approximately 0.4 ha (1 ac) in size.

#### **PROPOSAL**

The purpose of this application is to provide relief from the maximum floor area for an accessory structure. The applicant is proposing to construct a new 111.5 m2 (1,200 ft2) garage. The subject land also contains an existing 133.5m2 (1,437 ft2) accessory structure and 8.91m2 (96 ft2) shed which is used to store personal recreational vehicles and garden equipment.

# WELLINGTON COUNTY OFFICIAL PLAN

The subject property is designated PRIME AGRICULTURE. Section 13.7 of the Plan provides consideration for minor variances provided the general intent of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law are maintained and the variance is minor and desirable for the appropriate development of the land. Consideration shall be given as to whether compliance with the by-law would be unreasonable, undesirable or would pose an undue hardship on the applicant.

# TOWNSHIP OF WELLINGTON NORTH ZONING BY-LAW

The subject property is zoned Site Specific Agriculture (A-76) Residential. The applicant is proposing to construct a new accessory structure and required the following variance:

General Provisions	Permitted	Proposed	Difference
Lot Coverage (Section 6.1.4 b)	185.8 m² (2,000 ft²)	257.91 m <sup>2</sup> (2,733 ft <sup>2</sup> )	72.11 m² (733 ft²)

The Agricultural Site Specific (A-76) Zone permits an accessory residential unit attached or within existing dwelling. The site specific zone also permits a hobby barn, which the applicant refers to as "barn", which is used to store personal recreational vehicles.

The variance requested is minor and appropriate for the use of the lot. The applicant has indicated that the additional floor area request is to park a camping trailer and personal vehicles. The subject land also contains an existing 133.5m2 (1,437 ft2) accessory structure and 8.91m2 (96 ft2) shed which is used to store personal recreational vehicles and garden equipment. The variances meet the general intent of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law. I trust that this information will be of assistance to the Committee when making their decision on this application.

# CORRESPONDENCE FOR COMMITTEE'S REVIEW

Michael Oberle, Environmental Planning Technician, Saugeen Conservation

Letter dated July 6, 2021 (No Objections)

#### REQUEST FOR NOTICE OF DECISION

Persons wishing to be notified of the decision must submit a written request to the Secretary-Treasurer.

# CHAIRPERSON OPENS FLOOR FOR ANY COMMENTS/QUESTIONS

Craig Matta, Applicant, was present to answer any questions regarding the application.

#### **COMMENTS/QUESTIONS FROM THE COMMITTEE**

No comments or questions from the Committee.

#### **DECISION**

CALL FOR VOTE: SHOW OF HANDS

THAT the minor variance applied for in Application A10/21, for the property described as Con 7 N, Pt Lot 4, geographic Township of Arthur, with a civic address of 9508 Concession 6 N, to provide the following relief;

1. THAT a Lot Coverage of 257.91 m<sup>2</sup> (2,733 ft<sup>2</sup>) be permitted, for a proposed new accessory structure, whereas the By-Law allows 185.8 m<sup>2</sup> (2,000 ft<sup>2</sup>).

**APPROVED** 

#### **APPLICATION**

A11/21 - Sherri Bryan

**THE LOCATION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY** is described as V SVY Clarke, Lot 15 & PT Lot 14 and is Municipally known as 185 Tucker St. The property is approximately 0.09 ha (0.23 ac) in size.

**THE PURPOSE AND EFFECT** of the application is to provide relief from the combined maximum total lot coverage for all accessory structures. The applicant is proposing to construct a 53.5 m<sup>2</sup> (576 ft<sup>2</sup>) addition on an existing 66.9 m<sup>2</sup> (720 ft<sup>2</sup>) garage. Other variances may be considered where deemed appropriate.

# **SECRETARY TREASURER**

Notices were mailed to property owners within 60 meters of the subject property as well as the applicable agencies and posted on the subject property on June 28, 2021.

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

Matthieu Daoust, Planner, County of Wellington, Township of Wellington North

Planning Report dated June 28, 2021

Planning Opinion: The variances requested would provide relief from the maximum lot coverage for all accessory structures. The applicant is proposing to construct a 53.5 m2 (576 ft2) addition on an existing 66.9 m2 (720 ft2) garage.

We have no concerns with the size of the proposed structure and are satisfied that the application maintains the general intent and purpose of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law, and would be desirable and appropriate for the development of the subject property.

#### SUBJECT PROPERTY AND LOCATION

The location of the subject property is described as V SVY Clarke Lot 15 Pt Lot 14 and is Municipally known as 185 Tucker St. The property is approximately 0.09 ha (0.23 ac) in size.

#### PROPOSAL

The purpose of this application is to provide relief from the maximum lot coverage for all accessory structures. The applicants are proposing to build an addition on an existing garage.

#### WELLINGTON COUNTY OFFICIAL PLAN

The subject property is designated RESIDENTIAL within the urban center of Arthur. Section 13.7 of the Plan provides consideration for minor variances provided the general intent of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law are maintained and the variance is minor and desirable for the appropriate development of the land. Consideration shall be given as to whether compliance with the by-law would be unreasonable, undesirable or would pose an undue hardship on the applicant.

# TOWNSHIP OF WELLINGTON NORTH ZONING BY-LAW

The subject property is zoned Residential (R1B). The applicants are proposing to construct an addition on an existing garage and require the following variance:

General Provisions	Permitted	Proposed	Difference
Lot Coverage	10%	12.96%	2.96%
(Section 6.1.4)			

The variance requested is minor and appropriate for the use of the lot. The variances meet the general intent of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law.

# **CORRESPONDENCE FOR COMMITTEE'S REVIEW**

Laura Warner, Grand River Conservation Authority, email dated June 30, 2021 (No Objections. No permit required.)

#### REQUEST FOR NOTICE OF DECISION

Persons wishing to be notified of the decision must submit a written request to the Secretary-Treasurer.

# CHAIRPERSON OPENS FLOOR FOR ANY COMMENTS/QUESTIONS

Sherri Bryan, Applicant, was present to answer any questions regarding the application

# **COMMENTS/QUESTIONS FROM THE COMMITTEE**

No comments or questions from the Committee.

#### DECISION

CALL FOR VOTE: SHOW OF HANDS

THAT the minor variance applied for in Application A11/21, for the property described as V SVY Clarke, Lot 15 & PT Lot 14 geographic Town of Arthur, with a civic address of 185 Tucker Street, to provide the following relief;

1. THAT a proposed Lot Coverage of 12.96% be permitted, for a proposed addition on an existing garage, whereas the By-Law allows 10%.

**APPROVED** 

# ADJOURNMENT

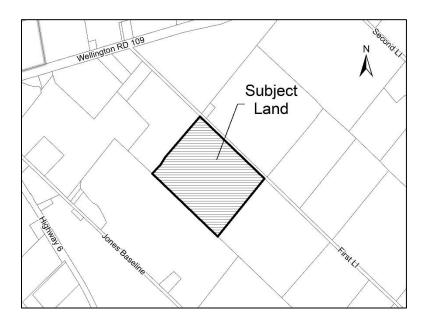
RESOLUTION: CoA 2021-014

Moved: Yake Seconded: Hern

THAT the Committee of Adjustment meeting of July 12, 2021 be adjourned at 3:02 p.m.

**CARRIED** 

Secretary Treasurer	Chair	







# **COUNTY OF WELLINGTON**

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August 16th, 2021

Mr. Darren Jones, Chief Building Official Township of Wellington North Committee of Adjustment 7490 Sideroad 7 West Kenilworth, ON NOG 2E0

Dear Mr. Jones,

Re: Minor Variance Application A12/21

East Part lot 34 Concession 1

7538 First Line Carl Brubacher

We have reviewed the application for minor variance and provide the following comments.

**Planning Opinion:** The variance requested would provide relief from the minimum interior side yard setback for an accessory structure. The applicant is proposing to construct a new 1,913.80m<sup>2</sup> (20,600 ft<sup>2</sup>) shed located 6.09m (20 ft) from the interior lot line.

We have no concerns with the requested relief and are satisfied that the application maintains the general intent and purpose of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law, and would be desirable and appropriate for the development of the subject property.

#### SUBJECT PROPERTY AND LOCATION

The location of the subject property is described as East Part lot 34 Concession 1 and is Municipally known as 7538 First Line. The property is approximately 32.37 ha (80 ac) in size. The location of the property is shown on Figure 1.

# **PROPOSAL**

The purpose of this application is to provide relief from the minimum interior side yard setback for an accessory structure. The applicants are proposing to construct a new 1,913.80m<sup>2</sup> (20,600 ft<sup>2</sup>) shed located 6.09m (20 ft) from the interior lot line.



Figure 1. 2015 Aerial photo of subject lands

#### WELLINGTON COUNTY OFFICIAL PLAN

The subject property is designated PRIME AGRICULTURAL. Section 13.7 of the Plan provides consideration for minor variances provided the general intent of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law are maintained and the variance is minor and desirable for the appropriate development of the land. Consideration shall be given as to whether compliance with the by-law would be unreasonable, undesirable or would pose an undue hardship on the applicant.

#### TOWNSHIP OF WELLINGTON NORTH ZONING BY-LAW

The subject property is zoned Agricultural (A). The applicant is proposing to construct a new accessory structure and required the following variance:

Lot Regulations	Permitted	Proposed	Difference
Interior Side Yard, Minimum	18.3 m (60 ft)	6.09 m (20 ft)	12.19 m (40 ft)
(Section 8.2.4 (d))			

The variance requested is minor and appropriate for the use of the lot. The applicant has indicated that the proposed location provides operational efficiency on the subject lands. The variance meets the general intent of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law. I trust that this information will be of assistance to the Committee when making their decision on this application.

Yours truly,

Asavari Jadhav

Junior Planner

Matthieu Daoust, MCIP RPP

Planner