Dear Zoning Administration,

I am writing to formally request a variance to the denied building permit record B02418906 for my proposed detached garage (40x30x24), as per the regulations stated in 18-2-204(b) regarding the location of structures within the front yard. I believe that granting this variance is justified due to the unique circumstances and limitations of my property.

The main reason for requesting this variance is that the proposed area is the only practical location for constructing the detached garage. The southern part of my property contains a septic system, rendering it unsuitable for building. Additionally, the eastern section consists of old-growth trees and a sloped area that poses significant challenges for construction purposes. Furthermore, the southwest corner of the property already has an existing small shed, which is not in close proximity to the house and does not provide a sensible location for a detached garage.

It is important to note that my house sits perpendicular to the main road, which is an unconventional orientation compared to neighboring properties that are typically parallel to the road. The proposed location for the detached garage, while technically within the front yard based on the front lot line, maintains a suitable setback of 20' from the northern property line, well exceeding the required distance from any other direction. Moreover, this location is the only area on my property that aligns with the existing driveway. Any alternative placement for the garage would necessitate the addition of a new driveway, which is both impractical and unnecessary.

Furthermore, I want to emphasize that the proposed location does not obstruct the view of any neighboring properties. It is situated at least 100 yards away from any direction, ensuring that it does not interfere with the visual aesthetics of the surrounding area. The names and addresses of my three adjoining neighbors are provided with my application.

Charles Pastore: 3934 Birdsville Rd Davidsonville, MD

Michael Deller: 3932 Birdsville Rd Davidsonville, MD 21035

Kathryn/Judy Kienast: 3930 Birdsville Rd Davidsonville, MD 21035

I kindly request that the Zoning Administration carefully considers the justifications provided in this letter and grants the variance for the denied building permit. The proposed location is the only feasible and practical option on my property, ensuring compliance with setback requirements while minimizing unnecessary modifications to the landscape. I am more than willing to provide any additional information or attend any necessary hearings to support my case.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. I look forward to a favorable response.

Sincerely,



