COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Minor Variance

You are receiving this notice because you are either:

- Assessed owner of a property located within 60 metres of the subject property
- Applicant/agent on file, or
- Person likely to be interested in this application

APPLICATION	AN/A-22:157	SUBJECT	41 ACADEMY STREET,
NO.:		PROPERTY:	ANCASTER
ZONE:	ER (Existing Residential "ER"	ZONING BY-	Zoning By-law former Town of
	Zone)	LAW:	Ancaster 87-57, as Amended

APPLICANTS: Owner – Tony & Mary Guther

The following variances are requested:

1. The accessory building (detached garage) shall be a minimum of 0.8m from the westerly side lot line instead of the requirement that accessory buildings shall not be located less than 1.5 metres from any side lot line for any lot located in an Existing Residential "ER" Zone.

PURPOSE & EFFECT: To permit the construction an accessory building (12' x 20' detached garage) at the west side of an existing single detached dwelling.

Notes:

This Notice must be posted by the owner of any land which contains seven or more residential units so that it is visible to all residents.

This application will be heard by the Committee as shown below:

DATE:	Thursday, June 9, 2022
TIME:	1:25 p.m.
PLACE:	Via video link or call in (see attached sheet for details)
	To be streamed (viewing only) at
	www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment

For more information on this matter, including access to drawings illustrating this request and other information submitted:

- Visit <u>www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment</u>
- Email Committee of Adjustment staff at <u>cofa@hamilton.ca</u>
- Call 905-546-CITY (2489) or 905-546-2424 extension 4221, 4130, or 3935

PUBLIC INPUT

Written: If you would like to submit written comments to the Committee of Adjustment you may do so via email or hardcopy. Please see attached page for complete instructions, <u>including deadlines</u> for submitting to be seen by the Committee.

Orally: If you would like to speak to this item at the hearing you may do so via video link or by calling in. Please see attached page for complete instructions, including deadlines for registering to participate.



DATED: May 24, 2022

Jamila Sheffield, Secretary-Treasurer Committee of Adjustment Information respecting this application is being collected under the authority of the Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990, c. P. 13. All comments and opinions submitted to the City of Hamilton on this matter, including the name, address, and contact information of persons submitting comments and/or opinions, will become part of the public record and will be made available to the Applicant and the general public, and may include posting electronic versions.

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PARTICIPATION PROCEDURES

Written Submissions

Members of the public who would like to participate in a Committee of Adjustment meeting are able to provide comments in writing or via email in advance of the meeting. Comments can be submitted by emailing cofa@hamilton.ca or by mailing the Committee of Adjustment, City of Hamilton, 71 Main Street West, 5th Floor, Hamilton, Ontario, L8P 4Y5. Comments must be received by noon two days before the Hearing.

Comments can also be placed in the drop box which is located at the back of the 1st Floor of City Hall, 71 Main Street West. All comments received by noon two business days before the meeting will be forwarded to the Committee members.

Comments are available two days prior to the Hearing and are available on our website: www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment

Oral Submissions During the Virtual Meeting

Members of the public are also able to provide oral comments regarding Committee of Adjustment Hearing items by participating through Webex via computer or phone. Participation in this format requires pre-registration in advance. **Interested members of the public must register by noon the day before the hearing.**

To register to participate by Webex either via computer or phone, please contact Committee of Adjustment staff by email cofa@hamilton.ca or by phone at 905-546-2424 ext. 4221. The following information is required to register: Committee of Adjustment file number that you wish to speak to, the hearing date, name and address of the person wishing to speak, if they will be connecting via phone or video, and if applicable the phone number they will be using to call in. A separate registration for each person wishing to speak is required. Upon registering for a meeting, members of the public will be emailed a link for the Webex meeting the Wednesday afternoon before the hearing. The link must not be shared with others as it is unique to the registrant.

All members of the public who register will be contacted by Committee Staff to confirm details of the registration prior to the Hearing and provide an overview of the public participation process.

We hope this is of assistance and if you need clarification or have any questions, please email cofa@hamilton.ca or by phone at 905-546-2424 ext. 4221.

Please note: Webex (video) participation requires either a compatible computer or smartphone and an application (app/program) must be downloaded by the interested party in order to participate. It is the interested party's responsibility to ensure that their device is compatible and operating correctly prior to the Hearing.







Tony Guther

41 Academy Ave Ancaster, Ontario L9G 2X8 905-929-5822





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APPLICATION FOR A MINOR VARIANCE

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
APPLICATION NO.	DATE APPLICATION RECEIVED
PAID	DATE APPLICATION DEEMED COMPLETE
SECRETARY'S SIGNATURE	

The Planning Act

Application for Minor Variance or for Permission

The undersigned hereby applies to the Committee of Adjustment for the City of Hamilton under Section 45 of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter P.13 for relief, as described in this application, from the Zoning By-law.

1, 2	NAME	MAILING ADDRESS	
Registered Owners(s)			
Applicant(s)*			Phone:
			E-mail:
Agent or Solicitor			Phone:
			E-mail:

Note: Unless otherwise requested all communications will be sent to the agent, if any.

Manulife Bank of Canada 500 King Street North Suite 500-MA P.O. Box 1602 STN Waterloo Waterloo ON N2J 4C6

^{3.} Names and addresses of any mortgagees, holders of charges or other encumbrances:

Additional sheets can be submitted if there is not sufficient room to answer the following questions. Additional sheets must be clearly labelled

4. Nature and extent of relief applied for:

Replace existing dilapidated pole/frame constructed accessory building (garage) with newly-framed accessory building on same footprint via slab-on-grade. Existing garage is over 70 years old and sinking slowly into ground.

Second Dwelling Unit Reconstruction of Existing Dwelling

5. Why it is not possible to comply with the provisions of the By-law?

Garage would look out of place compared to the established driveway and landscaped features. It would sit oddly between our house located east, and the neighbor garage to the west, being a visual distraction rather than it complimenting the property.

6. Legal description and Address of subject lands (registered plan number and lot number or other legal description and where applicable, **street and street number**):

As per Survey Plan 1985 (attached) - PART OF LOT 46, CONCESSION 2 of the Geographic Township of Ancaster and County of Wentworth now the Town of Ancaster, Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth. aka 41 Academy Street.

7. PREVIOUS USE OF PROPERTY

	Residential	Industrial		Commercial
	Agricultural	Vacant		
	Other			
8.1	If Industrial or Comm	ercial, specif	y use	
8.2	Has the grading of th has filling occurred?	e subject lan	d been chan	ged by adding earth or other material, i.e.
	Yes 🗌 No		Unknown	
8.3	Has a gas station be	en located or	n the subject	land or adjacent lands at any time?
	Yes 🗌 No		Unknown	
8.4	Has there been petro	leum or othe	er fuel stored	on the subject land or adjacent lands?
	Yes 🗌 No		Unknown	
8.5	Are there or have the subject land or adjac		n undergroun	d storage tanks or buried waste on the
	Yes 🗌 No		Unknown	
8.6				ed as an agricultural operation where ticides and/or sewage sludge was applied
	Yes 🗌 No	× Unkn	own	
8.7	Have the lands or ad	jacent lands	ever been us	ed as a weapon firing range?
	Yes 🗌 No		Unknown [
8.8	Is the nearest bounda of an operational/non			within 500 metres (1,640 feet) of the fill area mp?
	Yes 🗌 No		Unknown	
8.9	0		•	ings, are there any building materials ous to public health (eg. asbestos, PCB's)?
	Yes 🗌 No		Unknown [

8.10	Is there any re	eason to believe	the subject land may have been contaminated by forn	ner
	uses on the si	te or adjacent si	tes?	
	Yes 🗌	No 🔳	Unknown	

8.11 What information did you use to determine the answers to 8.1 to 8.10 above?

Based on personal knowledge in conversation with surveyor in 1985, historical records, in conversations with my neighbors over the years.

If previous use of property is industrial or commercial or if YES to any of 8.2 to 8.10, a 8.12 previous use inventory showing all former uses of the subject land, or if appropriate, the land adjacent to the subject land, is needed.

Is the previous use inventory attached?	Yes	No No	
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9. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT CLAUSE

I acknowledge that the City of Hamilton is not responsible for the identification and remediation of contamination on the property which is the subject of this Application – by reason of its approval to this Application.

April 29, 2022 Date

Tony Guther; Mary Guther Signature Property Owner(s)

Tony Guther; Mary Guther Print Name of Owner(s)

10. Dimensions of lands affected:

Frontage	70'
Depth	144.69'
Area	10,128.3 sq. ft.
Width of street	39'

Particulars of all buildings and structures on or proposed for the subject lands: (Specify 11. ground floor area, gross floor area, number of stories, width, length, height, etc.)

Existing:

Post and A-frame constructed accessory building 3.66m x 6.1m (12' by 20') built on soil without any foundation/support. Structure is dilapidated and sinking into the ground, and beginning to fail structurally.

Proposed

Build a new A-Frame constructed accessory building 3.66m x 6.1m (12' by 20') on slab-on-grade in same location as per submitted garage plan and survey plan.

12. Location of all buildings and structures on or proposed for the subject lands; (Specify distance from side, rear and front lot lines)

Existing:

West side of building is .81m (2.66') from lot line. South side of building is 8.1m (26.66') from street, north side is 29.82m (97.84') from rear lot line, and 5.79m (19') from east side of existing dwelling as per dimensions on Survey Plan.

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13.	Date of acquisition of subject lands: January 1990
14.	Date of construction of all buildings and structures on subject lands: circa 1900
15.	Existing uses of the subject property (single family, duplex, retail, factory etc.): Single Family Dwelling
16.	Existing uses of abutting properties (single family, duplex, retail, factory etc.): Single Family Dwelling
17.	Length of time the existing uses of the subject property have continued: Since built
18.	Municipal services available: (check the appropriate space or spaces) Water <u>Yes</u> Connected <u>Yes</u>
	Sanitary Sewer Yes Connected Yes Storm Sewers Yes Yes
19.	Present Official Plan/Secondary Plan provisions applying to the land:
	Urban Hamilton Official Plan - Neighborhood
20.	Present Restricted Area By-law (Zoning By-law) provisions applying to the land:
	Former Town of Ancaster, Zoning By-law 87-57 ER Zone Existing Residential
21.	Has the owner previously applied for relief in respect of the subject property? (Zoning By- law Amendment or Minor Variance)
	If yes, please provide the file number:
	21.1 If a site-specific zoning by-law amendment has been received for the subject property, has the two-year anniversary of the by-law being passed expired?
	21.2 If the answer is no, the decision of Council, or Director of Planning and Chief Planner that the application for Minor Variance is allowed must be included. Failure to do so may result in an application not being "received" for processing.
22.	Is the subject property the subject of a current application for consent under Section 53 of the <i>Planning Act</i> ?
	□Yes × No
23.	Additional Information (please include separate sheet if needed)
-	Support Letter from neighbor sharing lot line included in application information.
24.	The applicant shall attach to each copy of this application a plan showing the dimensions of the subject lands and of all abutting lands and showing the location, size and type of all buildings and structures on the subject and abutting lands, and where required by the Committee of Adjustment such plan shall be signed by an Ontario Land Surveyor.

Date: Friday April 29, 2022 From: Rene Dube 35 Academy Street Ancaster ON L9G 2X8 Re: MV Application to Replace Existing Garage

To whom it may concern.

I am writing this letter in support of my neighbors, Tony and Mary Guther, who are submitting an application for a minor variance that would see the current accessory building be replaced with a slabon-grade building to replace the existing structure that is in a state of disrepair.

The proposal of this upgrade of this garage would enhance both of our properties while continuing to effectively serve as a dividing marker that would be both aesthetically appealing and visually complimentary both to us as neighbors and to the neighborhood in general.

I have seen the layout and drawings that have been submitted to the city and give my total support to their plans.

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Mr. Rene Dube. 35 Academy Street Ancaster ON

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