COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT



City Hall, 5th floor, 71 Main Street West, Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5 Telephone (905) 546-2424, ext. 4221

E-mail: cofa@hamilton.ca

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	A-25:121	SUBJECT	5 Hill Place, Stoney Creek
NO.:		PROPERTY:	
ZONE:	R2 (Low Density Residential –	ZONING BY-	Hamilton Zoning By-law 05-200
	Large Lot)	LAW:	

APPLICANTS: Owner: Mary Walsh-Southall

Agent: Fawzi Ghabayin

The following variances are requested:

1. The maximum gross floor area of an Additional Dwelling Unit – Detached shall not exceed 104.5 square metres or the gross floor area of the principal dwelling instead of the requirement that the maximum gross floor area shall not exceed the lesser of 75.0 square metres or the gross floor area of the principal dwelling.

PURPOSE & EFFECT: To permit the construction of an addition to an existing accessory structure and to facilitate the conversion of the accessory structure to an Additional Dwelling Unit – Detached.

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, August 14, 2025
TIME:	12:25 p.m.
PLACE:	Via video link or call in (see attached sheet for details)
	City Hall Council Chambers (71 Main St. W., Hamilton)
	To be streamed (viewing only) at
	www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment

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

- Visit www.hamilton.ca/committeeofadjustment
- Visit Committee of Adjustment staff at 5th floor City Hall, 71 Main St. W., Hamilton

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, written comments must be received no later than noon August 12, 2025

Orally: If you would like to speak to this item at the hearing you may do so via video link, calling in, or attending in person. Please see attached page for complete instructions, registration to participate virtually must be received no later than noon August 13, 2025

FURTHER NOTIFICATION

If you wish to be notified of future Public Hearings, if applicable, regarding A-25:121, you must submit a written request to cofa@hamilton.ca or by mailing the Committee of Adjustment, City of Hamilton, 71 Main Street West, 5th Floor, Hamilton, Ontario, L8P 4Y5.

If you wish to be provided a Notice of Decision, you must attend the Public Hearing and file a written request with the Secretary-Treasurer 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.



Subject Lands

DATED: July 28, 2025

Justin Leung, 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 Submission Ahead of the Meeting

Members of the public who wish to provide input without speaking at the Hearing may submit written comments in advance of the meeting. Comments must be received by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on the date listed on the Notice of Public Hearing.

How to Submit Written Comments:

By Email:

Send to: cofa@hamilton.ca

By Mail:

Committee of Adjustment City of Hamilton 71 Main Street West, 5th Floor Hamilton, Ontario L8P 4Y5

All written comments received will be made available to the Committee and the public by the Tuesday prior to the Hearing.

Oral Submissions During the Hearing

Interested members of the public, agents, and owners may provide oral comments on Committee of Adjustment Hearing items either virtually via Webex (computer or phone) or by attending in person.

Speaking Time Limit:

All participants providing oral submissions, either in person or virtually are limited to a maximum of 5 minutes to speak. This is to ensure all parties have an equal opportunity to be heard and that the meeting runs efficiently.

In-Person Oral Submissions

To participate in person, attend Council Chambers on the date and time listed in the Notice of Public Hearing. You will be required to provide your name and address for the record. It is recommended you arrive at least 10 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.

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Virtual Oral Submissions

To participate virtually, you must register by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on the date listed on the Notice of Public Hearing. To register, email cofa@hamilton.ca with the following information:

- Committee of Adjustment file number
- Hearing date
- Name and mailing address of each person wishing to speak
- Method of participation (phone or video), and, if applicable, the phone number to be used
- Each person must register separately

Registered participants will receive a Webex link one business day before the Hearing. Only those registered will be called upon to speak.

Presentations

All presentations are permitted at the discretion of the Committee.

Virtual Presentations:

Presenters participating virtually may be granted permission to share their screen during the Hearing. A copy of the presentation must be submitted to cofa@hamilton.ca no later than 12:00 p.m. (noon) on the business day prior to the Hearing. The submission must be one document in PDF format only.

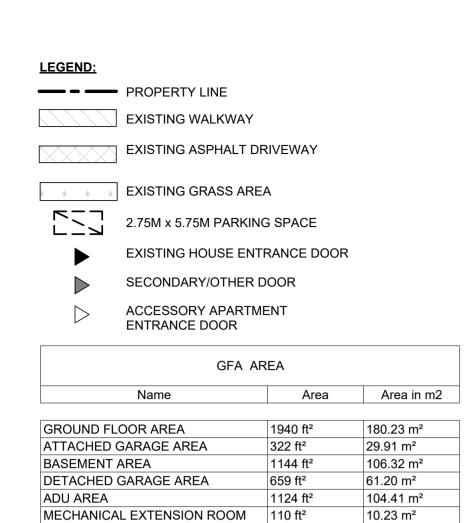
In-Person Presentations:

Presenters attending in person may be granted permission to use the presentation screen. Presentations must be brought on a USB device and opened by the owner/applicant. A copy of the presentation must also be sent to cofa@hamilton.ca by 12:00 p.m. (noon) on the business day prior to the Hearing in PDF format as a single document. Handouts are permitted only if the same content can be displayed on the presentation screen.

Additional Notes

- Webex (video) participation requires a compatible computer or smartphone. The necessary application must be downloaded in advance.
- It is the interested party's responsibility to ensure their device is functional and compatible prior to the Hearing.

For any questions, contact staff at cofa@hamilton.ca or call 905-546-2424 ext. 4221.



AREA	Area
33342 ft ²	3097.54 m ²
2922 ft ²	271.44 m ²
40906 ft ²	3800.31 m ²
2530 ft ²	235.05 m ²
820 ft ²	76.19 m²
	33342 ft ² 2922 ft ² 40906 ft ² 2530 ft ²

103 ft²

64 ft²

9.56 m²

5.95 m²

SITE DATA

ZONING ALLOWANCE: 70% OF GROUND FL. AREA OF P.D. 180.23 SM X 70% = 126.16 SM

IS LESSER THAN OR EQUAL TO **75 SM**

ADU PROP. AREA: 104.41 SM DEFICIENCY: 29.41 SM

PARKING REQUIRED: 2 SPACES

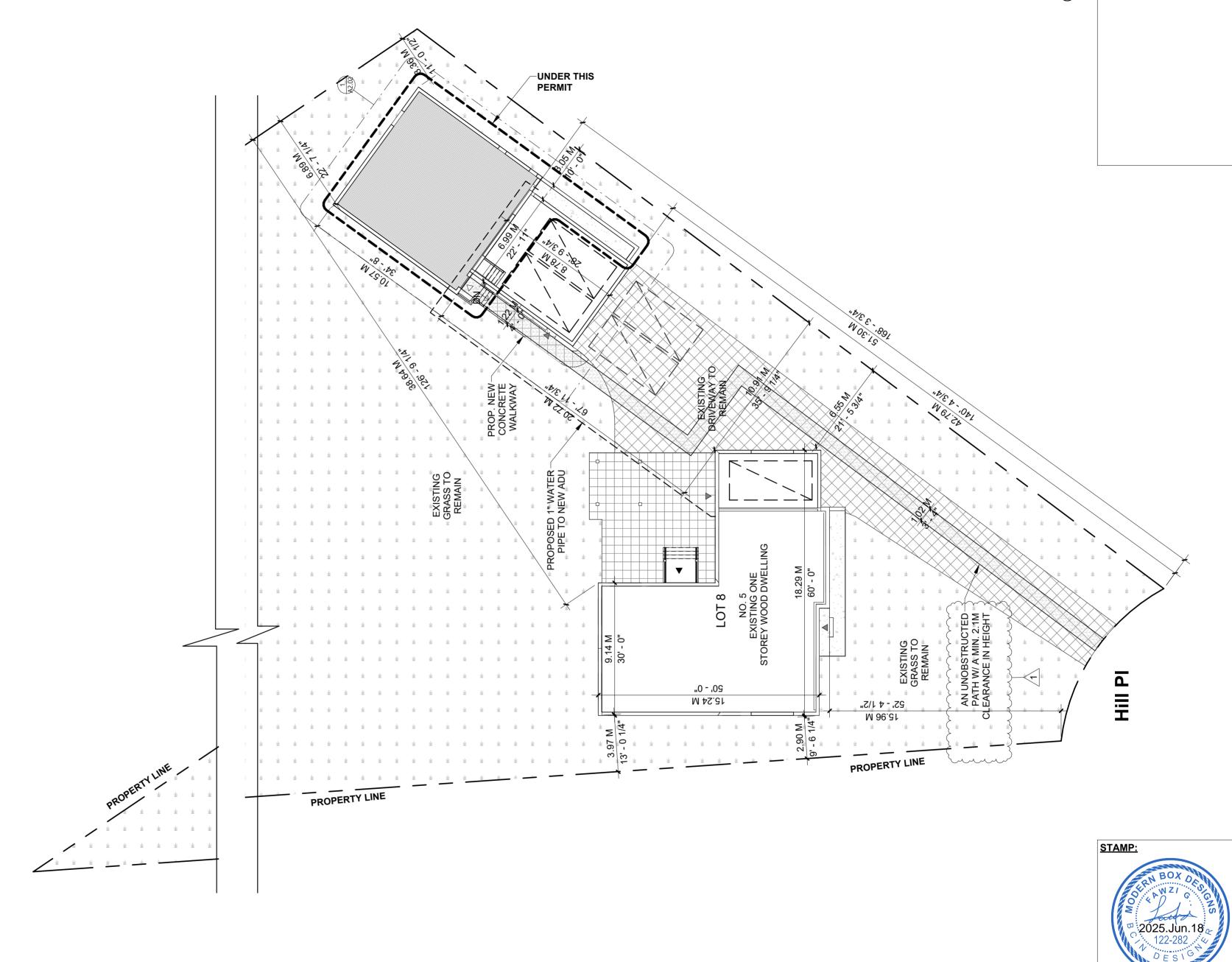
PARKING PROVIDED:

PROP. WALKWAY

FRONT COVERED PORCH

2 SPACES LOCATED ON DRIVEWAY (2.75M x 5.75M) 3 SPACES LOCATED IN GARAGE (2.75M x 5.2M)

-ADDITIONAL RESIDENTIAL UNIT OR PART THEREOF" WILL NOT BE CONSTRUCTED "WHERE THE FINISHED FLOOR LEVEL OF SUCH BASEMENT IS BELOW THE LEVEL OF ANY SANITARY SEWER SERVICING THE BUILDING OR STRUCTURE IN WHICH THE BASEMENT IS LOCATED," AS PER SUBSECTION 4.37(3) OF ZONING BY-LAW Z-1.





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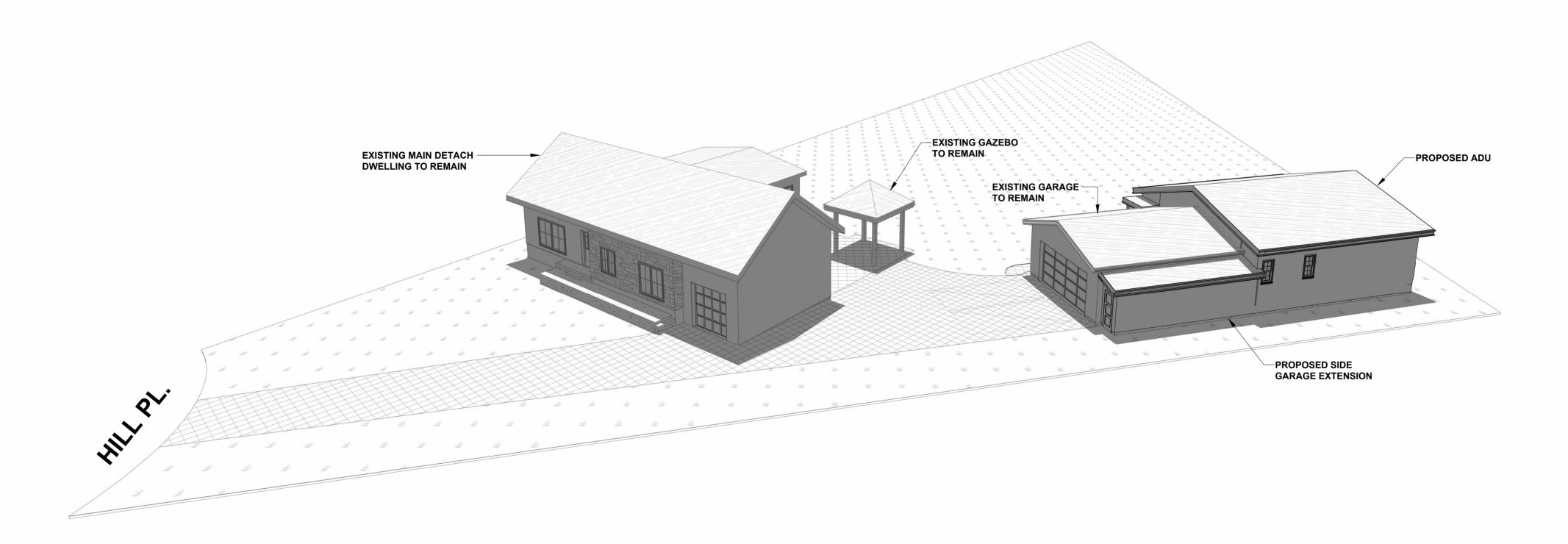
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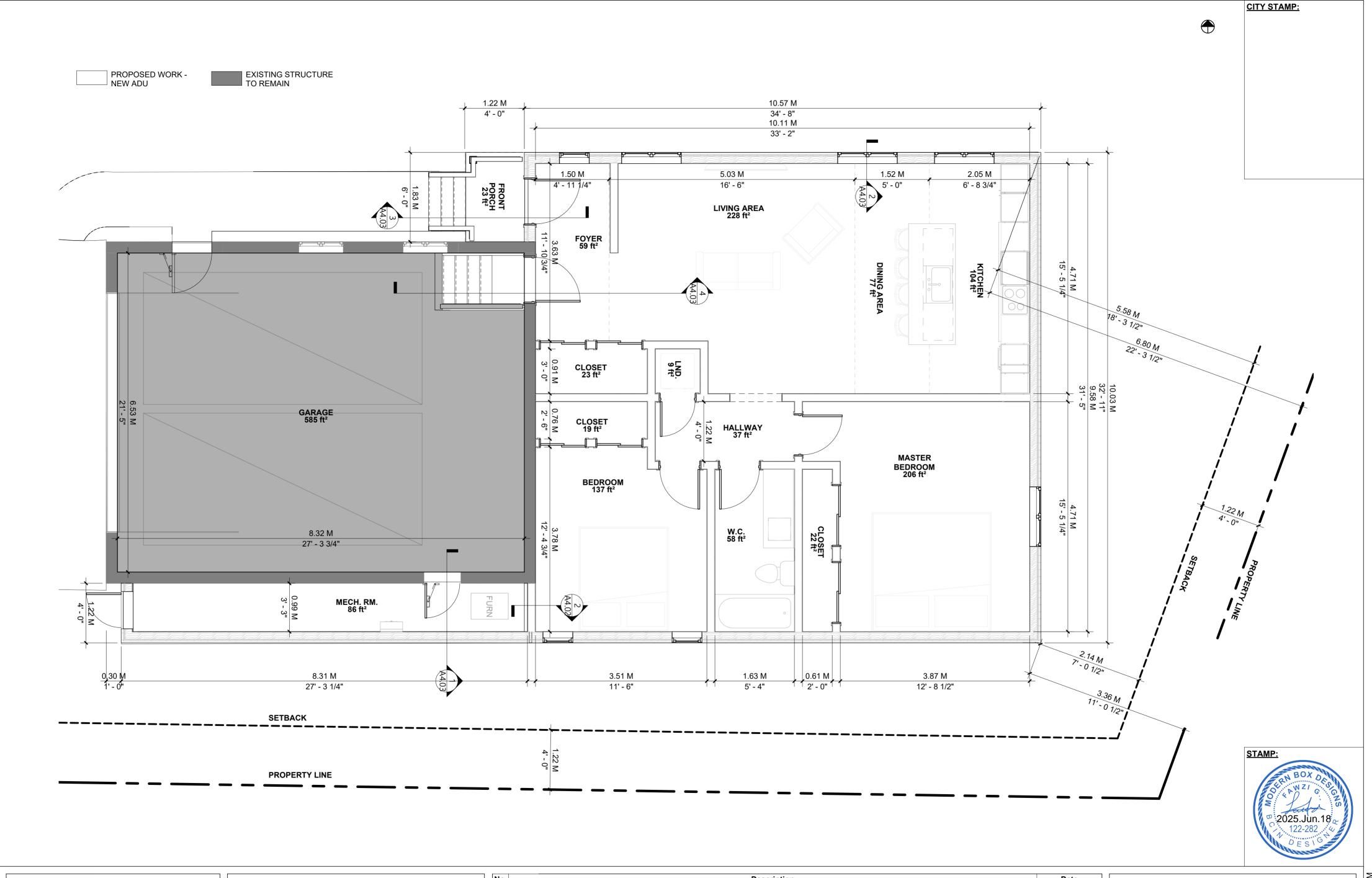
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SITE PLAN		
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CITY STAMP:









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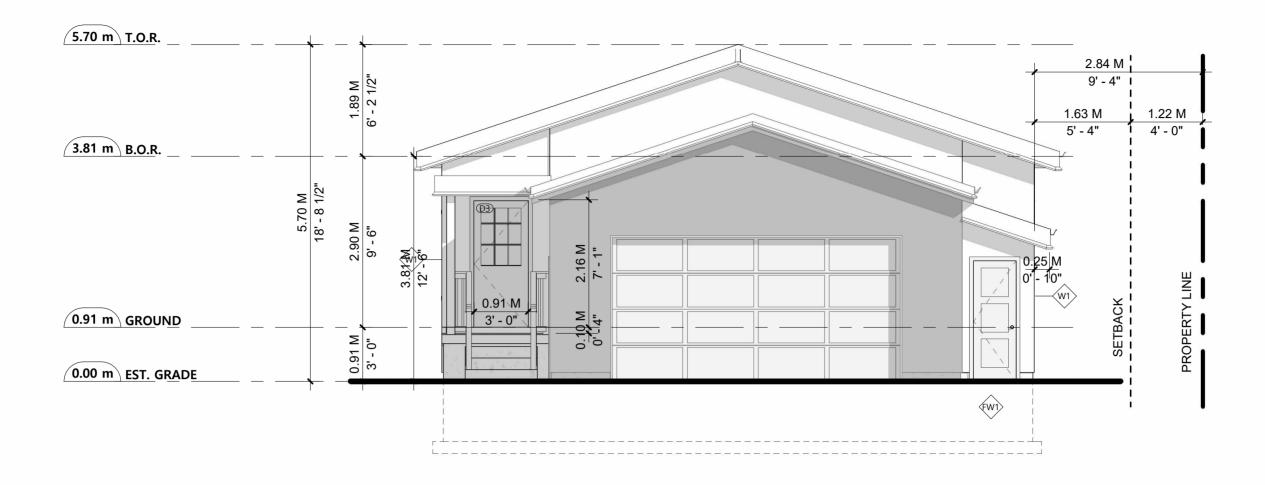
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PRINCIPLE DWELLING~ NEW ADU \ 5.70 m T.O.R. 3.81 m B.O.R. 5.70 M 18' - 8 1/2" $\overleftarrow{\text{W1}} >$ 1.22 M 0.91 m GROUND 0.00 m EST. GRADE

PROPOSED WORK -NEW ADU

EXISTING STRUCTURE TO REMAIN

STAMP: 2025.Jun.18

3/16" = 1'-0" 2

3/16" = 1'-0"



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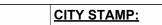
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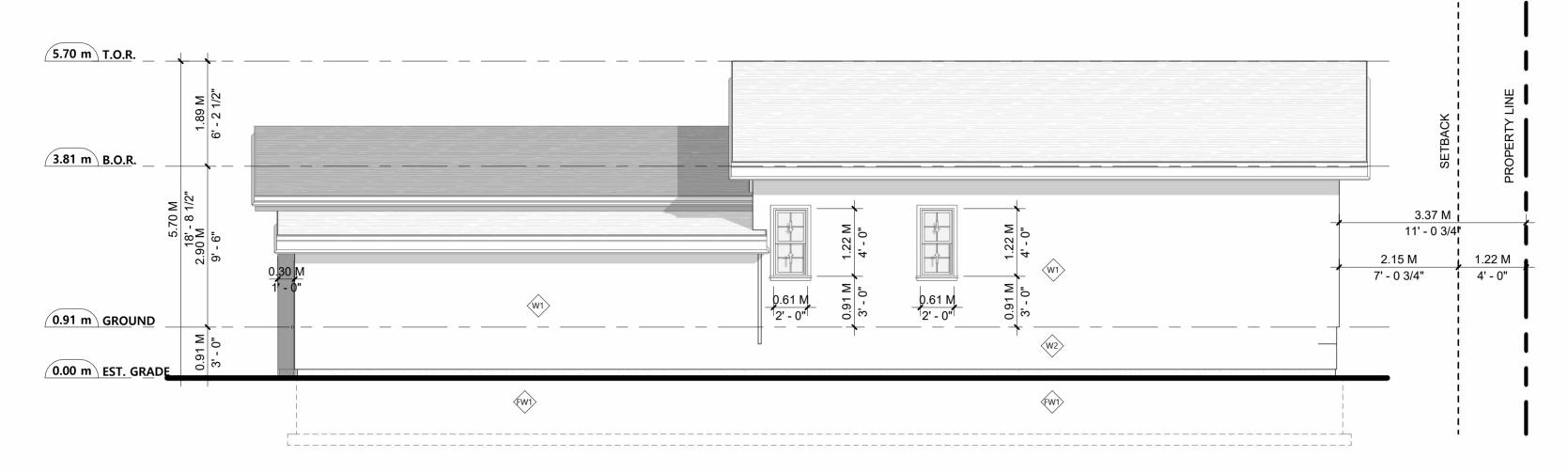
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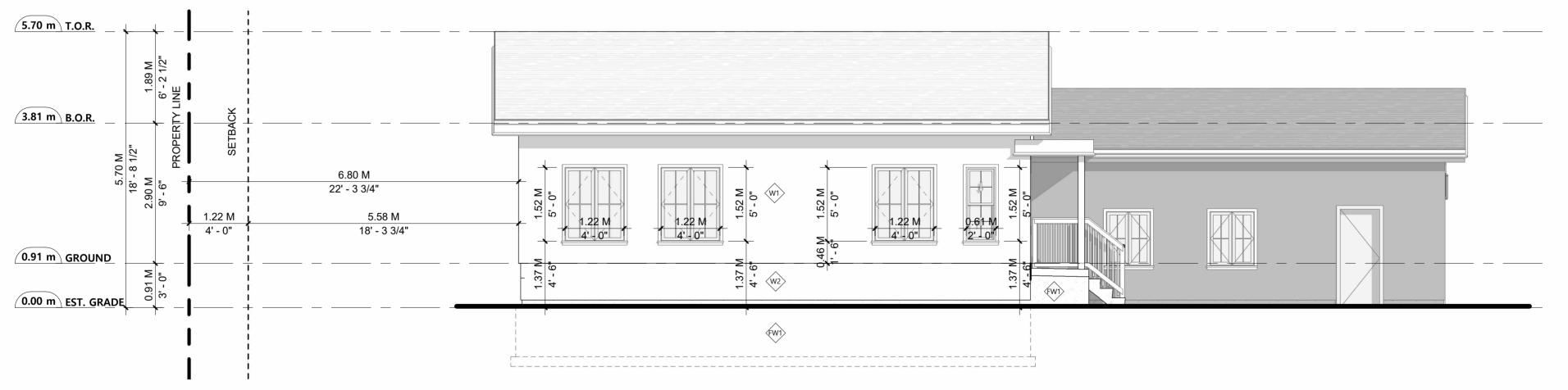
FRONT & REAR ELEVATIONS

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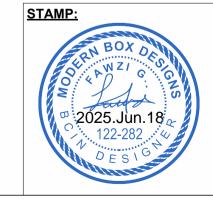
RIGHT-SIDE ELEVATION
3/16" = 1'-0"



PROPOSED WORK -NEW ADU

EXISTING STRUCTURE TO REMAIN

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APPLICATION FOR A MINOR VARIANCE/PERMISSION

UNDER SECTION 45 OF THE PLANNING ACT

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

	NAME	MAILIN	G ADDRESS	
Registered Owners(s)	Mary Walsh-Southall			
Applicant(s)	Fawzi Ghabayin			
Agent or Solicitor	Same as applicant			
1.2 Primary contact		☐ Applica	nt	☐ Owner☑ Agent/Solicitor
1.3 Sign should be	sent to	☐ Applica	nt	☐ Owner☑ AgentSolicitor
1.4 Request for digi	tal copy of sign	✓ Yes*	□ No	
If YES, provide	email address where s	sign is to be se	ent	
1.5 All corresponde	nce may be sent by en	nail	✓ Yes*	□ No
(if applicable). (mail must be included Only one email address es not guarantee all co	s submitted wi	II result in the	AND the Applicant/Agent voiding of this service. email.
1.6 Payment type		☐ In perse		✓ Credit over phone*
			*Must pr	ovide number above

2. LOCATION OF SUBJECT LAND

2.1 Complete the applicable sections:

Municipal Address	5 Hill Pl, Hamilton, ON L8G 2W3			
Assessment Roll Number	031004601060000000			
Former Municipality				
Lot		Concession		
Registered Plan Number		Lot(s)		
Reference Plan Number (s)		Part(s)		

2.2	Are there an	y easements	or restrictive	covenants	affecting th	ne subject	land?
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☐ Yes 🗹 No

If YES, describe the easement or covenant and its effect:

3. PURPOSE OF THE APPLICATION

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

All dimensions in the application form are to be provided in metric units (millimetres, metres, hectares, etc.)

3.1 Nature and extent of relief applied for:

The zoning by-law permits the lesser of 75m² or 45% of the gross floor area (GFA) of the principal dwelling, which in this case equals 105m². While we comply with the 45% GFA limit, our proposed accessory dwelling unit (ADU) exceeds the 75m² cap by approximately 29.5m². Therefore, we are requesting a minor variance to permit an ADU with a GFA of 104.5m².

Second Dwelling Unit

☐ Reconstruction of Existing Dwelling

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

Due to the size and layout of our lot, we have the space to accommodate a slightly larger accessory dwelling unit (ADU) without impacting neighbouring properties or the character of the area. The additional floor area we are requesting—less than 30 m² above the by-taw limit—is necessary to meet Ontario Building Code (OBC) minimum room size requirements and to ensure the unit is functionally livable. Strictly adhering to the 75 m² cap would result in a compromised layout that limits basic livability, and design flexibility. Given the large lot size, adequate setbacks, and the minor nature of the variance, we believe the intent of the by-taw is still respected

3.3 Is this an application 45(2) of the Planning Act.

☐ Yes

√ No

If yes, please provide an explanation:

4. DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT LAND AND SERVICING INFORMATION

4.1 Dimensions of Subject Lands:

Lot Frontage	Lot Depth	Lot Area	Width of Street
12	128.8	3800	11

Location of all buildings and structures on or proposed for the subject lands: 4.2 (Specify distance from side, rear and front lot lines) Existing: Date of Front Yard Side Yard Rear Yard Setback Type of Structure Construction Setback Setbacks 38.64 2.9 1954 15.96 Main Dwelling Proposed: Date of Side Yard Front Yard Type of Structure Rear Yard Setback Construction Setbacks Setback 3.36 3.05 Detach ADU 51.34 Particulars of all buildings and structures on or proposed for the subject lands (attach additional 4.3. sheets if necessary): Existing: Gross Floor Area Number of Storeys Height Type of Structure Ground Floor Area 6 Main Dwelling 180.23 180.23 Proposed: Gross Floor Area Number of Storeys Height Type of Structure Ground Floor Area 5.6 104.41 104.41 1 Detach ADU Type of water supply: (check appropriate box) 4.4 ☐ lake or other water body publicly owned and operated piped water system privately owned and operated individual well ☐ other means (specify) Type of storm drainage: (check appropriate boxes) 4.5 publicly owned and operated storm sewers ☐ ditches other means (specify) ☐ swales

4.6	Type of sewage disposal proposed: (check appropriate box)
	 ✓ publicly owned and operated sanitary sewage ☐ system privately owned and operated individual ☐ septic system other means (specify)
4.7	Type of access: (check appropriate box) ☐ provincial highway ☐ municipal road, seasonally maintained ☐ municipal road, maintained all year ☐ municipal road, maintained all year
4.8	Proposed use(s) of the subject property (single detached dwelling duplex, retail, factory etc.):
	Single detach dwelling with another detach ADU on the same lot
4.9	Existing uses of abutting properties (single detached dwelling duplex, retail, factory etc.):
	Sindle detach dwelling
7	HISTORY OF THE SUBJECT LAND
7.1	Date of acquisition of subject lands: August 20, 1996
7.2	Previous use(s) of the subject property: (single detached dwelling duplex, retail, factory etc) Sindle detach dwelling
7.3	Existing use(s) of the subject property: (single detached dwelling duplex, retail, factory etc) Sindle detach dwelling
7.4	Length of time the existing uses of the subject property have continued: 29 years
7.5	What is the existing official plan designation of the subject land?
	Rural Hamilton Official Plan designation (if applicable):
	Rural Settlement Area:
	Urban Hamilton Official Plan designation (if applicable) Neighbourhoods
	Please provide an explanation of how the application conforms with the Official Plan. This property falls under the yellow colour, which is called "Neighbourhoods" in the legends
7.6	What is the existing zoning of the subject land? R2
7.8	Has the owner previously applied for relief in respect of the subject property? (Zoning By-lawAmendment or Minor Variance) ☐ Yes
	If yes, please provide the file number:

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11 COMPLETE APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

11.1	All Applications
	Application Fee
	✓ Site Sketch
	Complete Application form
	☑ Signatures Sheet
11.4	Other Information Deemed Necessary
	Cover Letter/Planning Justification Report
	Authorization from Council or Director of Planning and Chief Planner to submit application for Minor Variance
	☑ Minimum Distance Separation Formulae (data sheet available upon request)
	Hydrogeological Assessment
	Septic Assessment
	Archeological Assessment
	☐ Noise Study
	☐ Parking Study