City of Mississauga Memorandium: City Department and Agency Comments

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To: Committee of Adjustment

From: Committee of Adjustment Coordinator

File(s): A28.25

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Consolidated Recommendation

The City recommends no objections to the application. The applicant may wish to defer the application to ensure that all required variances have been accurately identified.

Application Details

The applicant requests the Committee to approve a minor variance to allow the expansion of the dwelling proposing a rear yard setback of 6.07m (approx. 19.91ft) whereas By-law 0225-2007, as amended, requires a minimum rear yard setback of 7.50m (approx. 24.61ft) in this instance.

Background

Property Address: 4728 Apple Blossom Cir

Mississauga Official Plan

Character Area:East Credit NeighbourhoodDesignation:Residential Low Density II

Zoning By-law 0225-2007

Zoning: R7-12-Residential

Other Applications: None

Site and Area Context

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The subject property is located north-west of the Mavis Road and Highway 403 interchange in the East Credit Neighbourhood Character Area. It currently contains a two-storey detached dwelling with an attached garage. Limited landscaping and vegetative elements are present on the subject property. The surrounding area is exclusively residential, consisting of detached and semi-detached dwellings.

The applicant is proposing to construct an addition in the rear yard requiring a variance for a rear yard setback.



Comments

Planning

Section 45 of the *Planning Act* provides the Committee of Adjustment with the authority to grant relief from the requirements of a municipal zoning by-law. Approval of applications must meet the requirements set out under 45(1) and/or 45(2) (a) or (b) in the *Planning Act*.

Staff comments concerning the application of the four tests to this minor variance request are as follows:

The subject property is located in the East Credit Neighbourhood Character Area and is designated Residential Low Density II in Schedule 10 of the Mississauga Official Plan (MOP). Section 9 of the MOP promotes development with appropriate urban form and site design, regulating that such development is compatible with: the existing site conditions, the surrounding context, and the landscape of the character area. Staff are satisfied that the proposal

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appropriately balances the existing and planned characters of the surrounding area and are of the opinion that the application maintains the general intent and purpose of the official plan.

The sole variance requests a reduced rear yard setback. The intent of the rear yard provisions in the by-law is to ensure that there is a sufficient buffer between primary structures on abutting lots and an appropriate rear yard amenity area is maintained. The proposal represents an expansion of the current dwelling that spans the entirety of the width. Staff are satisfied that an appropriate buffer is maintained and that the rear yard amenity area is relatively unaffected by the proposed development.

Staff are of the opinion that the proposal maintains the general intent and purpose of the official plan and zoning by-law, is minor in nature and contributes to orderly development of the subject property. The variances will not create any undue impacts to the abutting properties.

Comments Prepared by: Daniel Grdasic, Committee of Adjustment Planner

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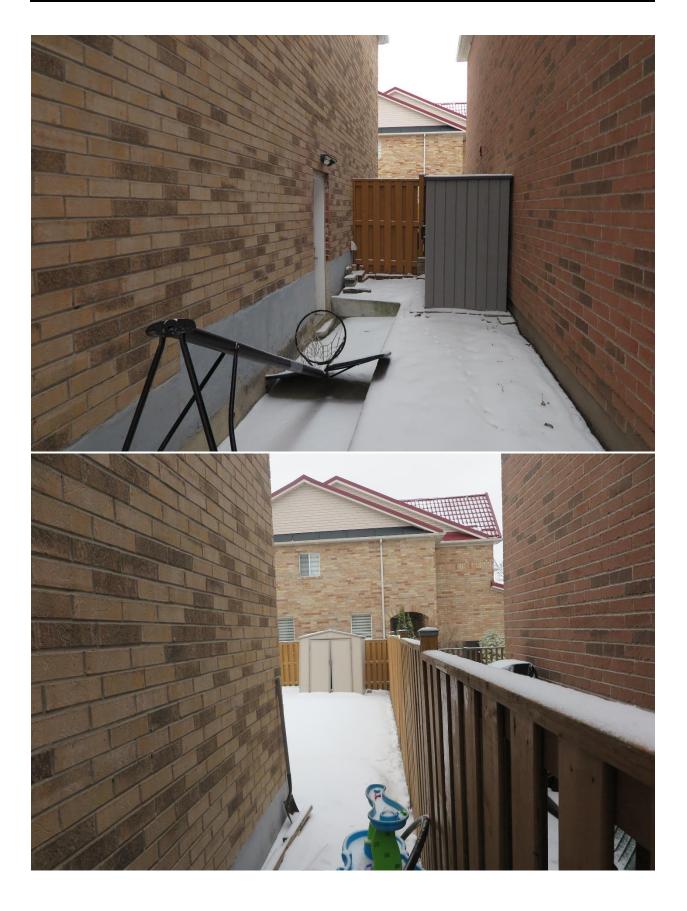
Appendices

Appendix 1 – Transportation and Works Comments

We are noting for Committee's information that any Transportation and Works Department concerns/requirements for the proposed addition will be addressed through the Building Permit process.

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Comments Prepared by: Tony Iacobucci, Development Engineering

Appendix 2 – Zoning Comments

We note that a Building Permit is required. In the absence of a Building Permit, we are unable to confirm the accuracy of the information provided, or determine whether additional variance(s) may be required. It should be noted that a zoning review has NOT been completed.

The applicant is advised that should they choose to proceed without zoning verification, a full zoning review may result in further variances being required in the future.

Comments Prepared by: Carrie Chan Patch, Zoning Examiner

Appendix 3 – Region of Peel Comments

Please be advised that service connection sizes shall be in compliance with Ontario Building Code and Region of Peel Design Criteria. An upgrade of your existing service may be required. All works associated with the servicing of this site will be at the applicant's expense. For more information, please contact Servicing Connections at 905.791.7800 x7973 or by email at servicingconnections@peelregion.ca.

Any changes to the underground water or sanitary sewer will require review by the Region of Peel. Site Servicing approvals are required prior to the local municipality issuing building permit. For more information, please contact Servicing Connections at 905.791.7800 x7973 or by email at servicingconnections@peelregion.ca.

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