

## Variance Application

# VAR-24-21

Submitted On: Mar 17, 2024

## Applicant

 Chris Westerman  
 770-480-1493  
@ fstgsxr2002@yahoo.com

## Primary Location

824 REED RD SE  
SMYRNA, GA 30082

## Applicant Information

### First Name

Chris

### Last Name

Westerman

### Street Address

824 Reed Rd Se

### City

SMYRNA

### State

GA

### Zip Code

30082

### Email

FSTGSXR2002@YAHOO.COM

### Phone Number

7704801493

### Are you the titleholder of the subject property?

Yes

## Property Information

### Property Address

824 REED RD SE

### Description of Requested Variances

- 1: Need a variance for the garage I want to build being over the setback.
- 2: With the new garage the driveway must be on Green Forest and that requires driving over the Colonial Pipeline and they want a gravel driveway in case of repair on the pipeline.

**Please check the box below if the requested variance(s) includes an increase in the maximum impervious surface area or an encroachment into a City stream buffer.**

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## Comprehensive Narrative

In rendering its decisions, the License and Variance Board shall consider the following factors:

1. Whether there are extraordinary and exceptional conditions applying to the property in question, or to the intended use of the property, that do not apply generally to other properties in the same district.
2. Whether any alleged hardship which is self-created by any person having an interest in the property or is not the result of mere disregard for or ignorance of the provisions from which relief is sought.
3. Whether strict application of the relevant provisions of the zoning code would deprive the applicant of reasonable use of the property for which the

variance is sought.

4. Whether the variance proposed is the minimum variance which makes possible the reasonable use of the property.

**A comprehensive narrative detailing the extraordinary and exceptional conditions which will necessitate a nonconforming use.**

With the shape of the property we have little room to put a garage. We are sandwiched on a corner lot and have the Colonial Pipeline behind us that prevents using the backyard. The only space it leaves is on the side of the house. With the way Reed Rd curves our property curves with it and puts us over the setback. The plan has the garage flush with the front of the house. Due to using that location the only viable way to access it is through Green Forest Pkwy which would require putting the driveway over the Colonial Pipeline and they want a gravel driveway if they have to dig anything up where the driveway would be.

**Acknowledgement**

Applicant further affirms they are aware that any knowingly false statement made in the permit application may subject said applicant to prosecution for violation of Georgia Criminal Code, Section 16-10-20 (False Swearing) and a possible fine of not more than \$1,000.00 or imprisonment for not less than one (1) nor more than five (5) years, or both.

**Applicant Signature:**

true

**NOTIFICATION OF CONTIGUOUS OCCUPANTS  
OR LANDOWNERS**

By signature, it is hereby acknowledged that I have been notified by Chris Westerman

Intends to make an application for a variance for the purpose of Gravel Driveway & over Boundary  
Setback for a garage at 624 Reed Rd SE

on the premises described in the application.

NAME	ADDRESS
<u>MATTHEW LAFOY</u> <i>Matthew Lafoy</i>	<u>825 Reed Rd Smyrna Ga 30082</u>
<u>ANDREW MOYLAN</u> <i>[Signature]</i>	<u>815 REED RD SMYRNA GA 30082</u>
<u>Jessica Lyles</u> <i>[Signature]</i>	<u>816 Reed Rd Smyrna GA 30082</u>
<u>JULIA AMATO</u> <i>J. De Santis Amato</i>	<u>5000 GREEN FOREST PKWY <sup>SMYRNA</sup> 30082</u>
<u>JESSICA FERRY</u> <i>[Signature]</i>	<u>5005 Green Forest Pkwy <sup>SMYRNA</sup> 30082</u>
<u>Brenda ACEITUNO</u> <i>[Signature]</i>	<u>4015 Green Forest Pkwy</u>

Please have adjacent property owners sign this form to acknowledge they are aware of your variance request. You may also provide certified mail receipts of notification letters sent to adjacent properties. Notification letters shall include a description of the requested variance, the License and Variance Board Meeting date and time, and a copy of the completed variance application. Adjacent and adjoining properties include any property abutting the subject property as well as any properties directly across a street.



SMYRNA  
850 WINDY HILL RD SE  
SMYRNA, GA 30080-1910  
(800) 275-8777

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Street and Apt. No., or PO Box No. 408 Green Forest Pkwy  
City, State, ZIP+4® Smyrna GA 30082

PS Form 3800, January 2023 PSN 7530-02-000-9047 See Reverse for Instructions



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### Payments/Adjustments

As of 3/17/2024

Bill Year	2023
Bill	18671

Activity	Posted	Entered	Reference #	Paid By/Reference	Amc
Adjustment	11/20/2023	11/20/2023	293322		\$
Payment	10/20/2023	10/24/2023	3240560	LERETA	\$1,03
Abatement	9/17/2023	9/18/2023	4182	HOMEOWNER TAX RELIEF GRANT	(\$161

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### Cobb County Online Tax Receipt

Thank you for your payment!

**CARLA JACKSON** TAX COMMISSIONER  
**HEATHER WALKER** CHIEF DEPUTY  
 Phone: 770-528-8600  
 Fax: 770-528-8679

Payer:  
 DELTA COMMUNITY CREDIT UNION

**WESTERMAN CHRISTOPHER D & KELLI J**

**Payment Date: 10/5/2023**

Tax Year	Parcel ID	Due Date	Appeal Amount	Taxes Due
2023	17040800630	10/15/2023	Pay: N/A or	\$0.00

Interest	Penalty	Fees	Total Due	Amount Paid	Balance
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,397.20	\$0.00



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**CITY OF SMYRNA CERTIFICATION**  
 THIS PLAT HAVING BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE CITY OF SMYRNA AND HAVING BEEN FOUND TO COMPLY WITH THE SUBDIVISION AND ZONING REGULATIONS, IS APPROVED SUBJECT TO THE INSTALLATION OF ALL STREETS, UTILITIES AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STANDARD DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS.

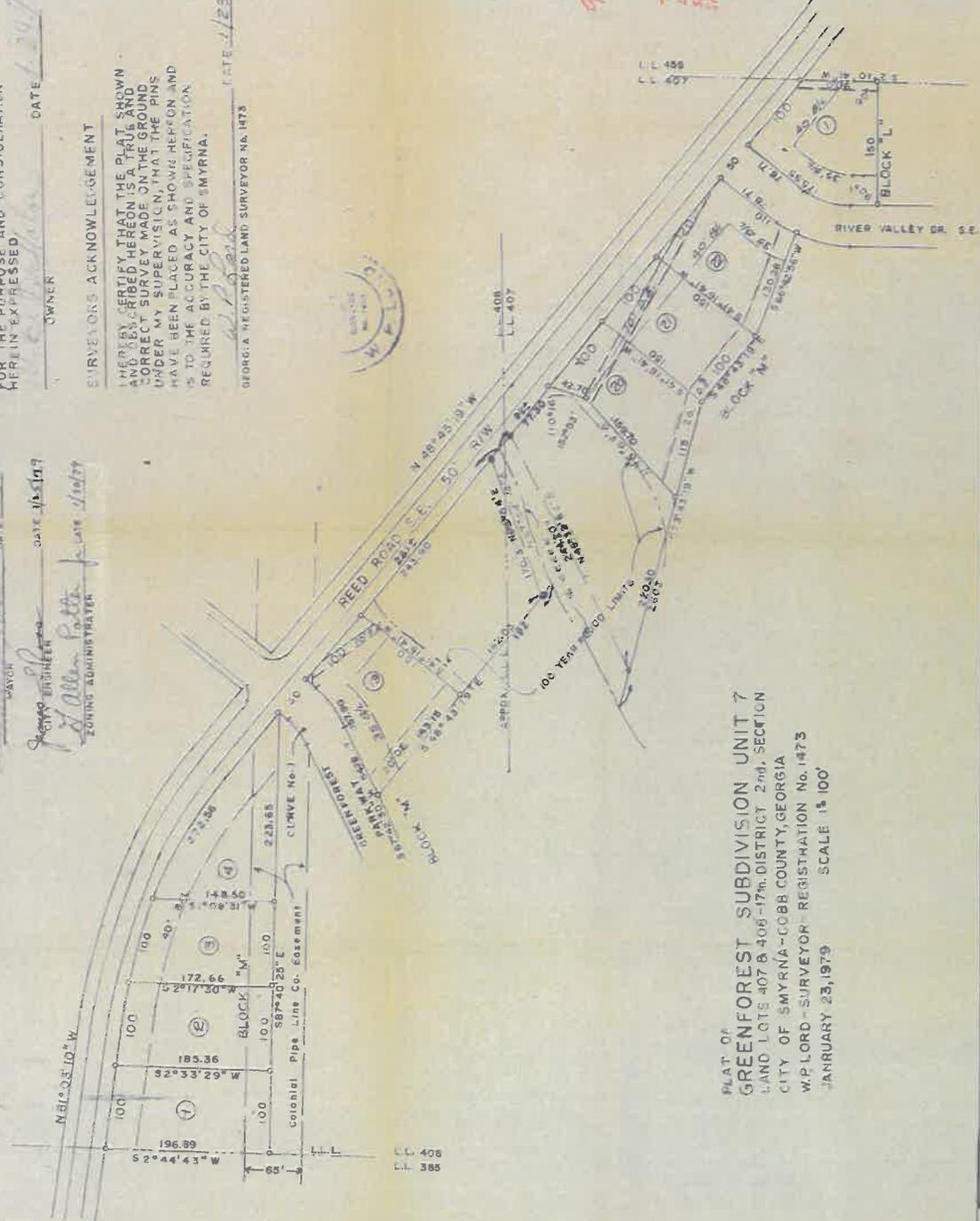
DATE: 1/23/79  
 ZONING ADMINISTRATOR: *Allen Potts*

**OWNERS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**  
 THE OWNER OF THE LAND SHOWN ON THIS PLAT AND WHO IN PERSON OR THROUGH A DULY AUTHORIZED AGENT ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THIS PLAT WAS MADE FROM AN ACTUAL SURVEY AND DEDICATES TO THE USE OF THE PUBLIC FOREVER, ALL STREETS, ALLEYS, PARKS, WATER COURSES, DRAINAGE EASEMENTS AND PUBLIC PLACES HEREON CONSIDERED HEREIN EXPRESSED.

OWNER: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: 1/23/79

**SURVEYORS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**  
 I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE PLAT SHOWN AND DESCRIBED HEREON IS A TRUE AND CORRECT SURVEY MADE ON THE GROUND UNDER MY SUPERVISION, THAT THE PINS HAVE BEEN PLACED AS SHOWN HEREON AND IS TO THE ACCURACY AND SPECIFICATION REQUIRED BY THE CITY OF SMYRNA.

DATE: 1/23/79  
 GEORGIA REGISTERED LAND SURVEYOR NO. 1473



PLAT OF  
**GREENFOREST SUBDIVISION UNIT 7**  
 LAND LOTS 407 & 408-17th DISTRICT 2nd SECTION  
 CITY OF SMYRNA-COBB COUNTY, GEORGIA  
 W.P. LORD - SURVEYOR - REGISTRATION No. 1473  
 JANUARY 23, 1979 SCALE 1" = 100'

Unit 7

Approved by Mayor  
3-19-79

NOTE  
 LOT #4 MUST  
 SHOW "BLACK DRAWING"  
 SHOWING HOUSE ON THE "LOT"  
 APPROVED BY SUPERVISOR  
 DATE: 1/23/79

