APPLICANT:

A-All Financial Services, Inc.

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Michael E. Fryzel

CAL NO.: 499-04-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 3-J

November 19, 2004

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 3363 W. North Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a pay day and installment loan office in a B4-2 Restricted Service District.

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## **ACTION OF BOARD--**

## APPLICATION APPROVED

# THE VOTE

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BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish a pay day loan and installment loan facility in a B4-2 zoning district; the hours of operation are Monday thru Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m., Saturday from 9:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. and on Sunday from 12:00 noon until 5:00 p.m.; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development has no objection to the establishment of a pay day loan at this location.

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**PAGE 1 OF MINUTES** 

**APPLICANT:** 

Rev. James Henry

**APPEARANCE FOR:** Same

None **APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 8041 S. Western Avenue

Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the **NATURE OF REQUEST:** approval of the location and the establishment of an existing 106 seat church in a B2-1 Restricted Retail District.

**ACTION OF BOARD-**

CASE CONTINUED TO **JANUARY 21, 2005** 

# THE VOTE

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CAL NO.: 500-04-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 20-H

November 19, 2004

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**APPLICANT:** 

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APPEARANCE FOR: Gary I. Wigoda

CAL NO.: 501-04-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

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**MAP NO.:** 1-H

November 19, 2004

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1737 W. Ohio Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R5 General Residence District, a proposed 2-story addition and roof top winter garden to an existing single family residence whose rear yard shall be 3' instead of 30'.

**ACTION OF BOARD--**

CASE CONTINUED TO JANUARY 21, 2005

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BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT

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**APPLICANT:** 

Break Through Urban Ministries

APPEARANCE FOR: Stacy Rubin Silver

MAP NO.: 1-J

November 19, 2004

CAL NO.: 502-04-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 400-16 N. Saint Louis Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed transitional shelter and an overnight shelter in an R4 General Residence District.

## **ACTION OF BOARD-**

## APPLICATION APPROVED

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant will operate the shelter for approximately 45 people and of these 30 people will stay over night at the facility; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Board has previously approved an overnight shelter for 12 families in 1988 (288-88-S).

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed transitional shelter and overnight shelter. **APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE** 

**APPLICANT:** 

Break Through Urban Ministries

Stacy Rubin Silver

APPEARANCE FOR:

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

409 N. Drake Avenue **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

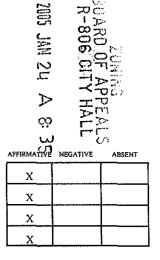
Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the **NATURE OF REOUEST:** approval of the location and the establishment of an off site parking lot for 26 private passenger automobiles, in an R4 General Residence District, to serve a shelter located at 400-16 N. Saint Louis Avenue.

**ACTION OF BOARD-**

## APPLICATION APPROVED

# THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has considered and approved the special use as a shelter in case #502-04-S and this parking lot for 26 automobiles will serve the shelter at 400-16 N. St. Louis Avenue; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed parking lot provided the applicant installs landscaping and fencing in compliance with the Chicago Landscape Ordinance.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 503-04-S

MAP NO.: 1-J

November 19, 2004

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

APPLICANT:

New St. John Community M.B. Church

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Rev. Elder Marcus

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1214-18 S. Millard Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off site parking lot for private passenger automobiles, in an R4 General Residence District, to serve a church located at 1230 S. Millard Avenue.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

## APPLICATION APPROVED

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT

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## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant has a church at 1230 S. Millard Avenue and will establish this site as a parking lot to serve its church; the lot will be paved, fenced and landscape in compliance with the zoning code; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; ; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed parking lot provided the applicant installs landscaping and fencing in compliance with the Chicago Landscape Ordinance.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 504-04-S

MAP NO.: 40-I

MINUTES OF MEETING:

November 19, 2004

APPLICANT:New St. John Community M.B. ChurchCAL NO.: 505-04-ZAPPEARANCE FOR:Rev. Elder MarcusMAP NO.: 40-IAPPEARANCES AGAINST:NoneMINUTES OF MEETING:<br/>November 19, 2004PREMISES AFFECTED:1214-18 S. Millard Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R4 General Residence District, the establishment of an off-site parking lot for private passenger automobiles whose front yard shall be 7'\* instead of 15' and whose south side yard shall be zero instead of 7.5' to serve a church located at 1230 S. Millard Avenue.

## **ACTION OF BOARD--**

## VARIATION GRANTED

## THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT

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## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted a special use to establish a parking lot for private passenger vehicles in case # 504-04-S; this lot will have a front yard of 7' and a south side yard shall be zero; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

\* AMENDED AT HEARING

## APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

# **PAGE 7 OF MINUTES**

APPLICANT:Lev NovoseletskyCAL NO.: 506-04-ZAPPEARANCE FOR:SameMAP NO.: 13-HAPPEARANCES AGAINST:NoneMINUTES OF MEETING:<br/>November 19, 2004PREMISES AFFECTED:5395 N. Bowmanville Avenue

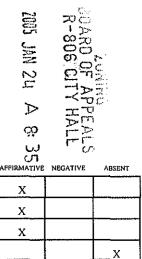
**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R3 General Residence District, a proposed 3rd floor addition to an existing single family residence whose west side yard shall be .74 instead of 5', east side yard shall be zero instead of 5' and the rear yard shall be zero instead of 30'.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# VARIATION GRANTED

## THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



# THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will rehabilitated an existing 2-story frame residence by adding a 3<sup>rd</sup> floor addition, the building is in great need of improvement and repair; the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor addition will have a west side yard of .74', east side yard of zero and rear yard shall be zero; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

APPLICANT:

Lynn Chaloupka

Same

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 1654 N. Cleveland Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow the expansion of an accessory building with a greenhouse/studio addition in an R4 General Residence District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED

# THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT

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# THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an R4 General Residence District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: The applicant will attach a green house/art studio to her one car rear garage; she is a retired art school teacher who will continue her art; the Board will allow the expansion of the rear accessory building to accommodate a studio for the applicant.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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CAL NO.: 507-04-A

**MAP NO.:** 5-H

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

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**APPLICANT:** 

Lynn Chaloupka

Same

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

1654 N. Cleveland Avenue

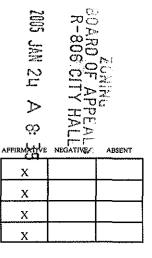
**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R4 General Residence District, a proposed 1-story greenhouse/studio addition to an existing one car garage whose north side yard shall be .98' instead of 2.4'.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

## VARIATION GRANTED

THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



# THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted the expansion of the rear accessory building to contain a green house/studio whose north side yard shall be .98'; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 508-04-Z

MAP NO.: 5-H

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

**APPLICANT:** 

Chambers Construction

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

James J. Banks

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

November 19, 2004

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 453 N. May Street

Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the NATURE OF REQUEST: approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 4-story 8 dwelling unit building with residential use below the 2nd floor in a B1-3 Local Retail District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# APPLICATION APPROVED

# THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will construct a 4-story 8 dwelling unit building; one of these units will be a CPAN unit as a set aside; the Board finds that their neighborhood does not support the need for retail sales and service to be maintained on the first floor and will allow residential use to be established below the second floor; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed ground-floor residential use.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 509-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 1-G

**APPLICANT:** 

Chambers Construction

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED:

1124 W. Hubbard Street

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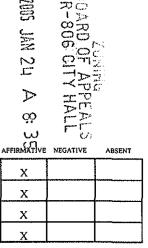
**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 4-story 8 dwelling unit building with residential use below the 2nd floor in a B1-3 Local Retail District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD---**

# APPLICATION APPROVED

# THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will construct a 4-story 8 dwelling unit building; one of these units will be a CPAN unit as a set aside; the Board finds that their neighborhood does not support the need for retail sales and service to be maintained on the first floor and will allow residential use to be established below the second floor; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed ground-floor residential use.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 510-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 1-G

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

APPLICANT:Faith Pentecostal Holiness ChurchCAL NO.: 511-04-SAPPEARANCE FOR:Gerald Hall and Ferris C. BatieMAP NO.: 20-GAPPEARANCES AGAINST:NoneMINUTES OF MEETING:<br/>November 19, 2004PREMISES AFFECTED:8044 S. Racine Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 1-story addition to an existing 1-story church in a C2-2 General Commercial District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# APPLICATION APPROVED

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## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant wishes to add an one story addition to an existing church; the project will rehabilitate the entire property to 150 seats; the parking space requirement will be for 9 private passenger vehicles on site; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development has no objection to the proposed expansion of the existing church.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 6449 S. Central Avenue

 NATURE OF REQUEST:
 Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R3 General Residence District, the erection of a front yard portico (covered walkway) whose front yard shall be zero instead of 20' to an existing residence.

 End of 20' to an existing residence.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# VARIATION GRANTED

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THE VOTE

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# THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant had an automobile crash into the front of his house; he added a brick portico to the building and then was cited for building without a permit; he now wishes to obtain a permit for the structure; the Board finds that the structure, though it was build without the benefit of permits, is not offensive to the to the neighborhood and should be allowed to remain subject a permit being obtained.; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

**APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE** 

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 512-04-Z

MAP NO.: 16-L

MINUTES OF MEETING:

November 19, 2004

**APPLICANT:** 

Jeremy Goldberg

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

APPEARANCES AGAINST: Ann Lee

PREMISES AFFECTED: 5107 N. Kenmore Avenue

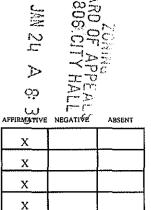
**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 5-story 10 dwelling unit building with residential use below on the ground floor in a (Pending) B1-3 Local Retail District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish a 5-story 10 dwelling building with residential use below the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor; the Board finds that the need for commercial use at the location is no longer necessary and will permit residential use below the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor; pursuant to Section 17-10-0500 of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, the Board hereby makes and sets the following restriction(s) on the applicant and project herein. The developer is hereby prohibited from selling the parking spaces within the subject building to anyone other than a purchaser of one of the condominium units. It is further required that the Condominium Declaration provide, or be amended to provide, that a sale by the developer of a condominium unit is to be the sale of a condominium unit and, at least, one parking space. The Condominium Declaration shall further provide that all subsequent sales of a condominium unit and the parking space(s) included at the initial sale. The condominium unit owners may lease their parking space to persons who are not owners of the condominium units but are prohibited from selling the parking space to anyone other than a subsequent purchaser of their condominium unit. Where there are parking spaces in excess of the number of parking spaces required under the Chicago Zoning ordinance for the number of units within the building, those excess parking spaces shall be designated for use by quests, delivery vehicles and vehicles parking for maintenance or service to the building or its owners. Those spaces shall not be designated as limited common elements, but rather, common elements owned and managed by the condominium association for benefit of all the unit owners. This restriction is intended to be a covenant running with the land. Additionally, the applicant is hereby required to record this order before the Variations contained herein becomes effective;

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CAL NO.: 513-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 13-G

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complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed ground-floor residential use.

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**APPLICANT:** 

Jeremy Goldberg

**APPEARANCE FOR:** James J. Banks

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** Ann Lee

5107 N. Kenmore Avenue **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

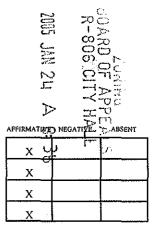
Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in **NATURE OF REQUEST:** a (Pending) B1-3 Local Retail District, a proposed 5-story 10 dwelling unit building whose front yard shall be 7.5' instead of 15', north side yard shall be 3'\* instead of 5' and whose south side yard shall be 3'\* instead of 5'.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# VARIATION GRANTED

# THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted residential use below the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor in Case #513-04-Z and therefore a variation of the front yard to 7.5', north side yard to 3' and south side yard to 2' is not unreasonable for the proposed new building; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

\* AMENDED AT HEARING

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CAL NO.: 514-04-Z

**MAP NO.:** 13-G

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** November 19, 2004

**APPLICANT:** 

Shawn Kohli and Miguel Rivera

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

CAL NO.: 515-04-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 13-H

November 19, 2004

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 7364 N. Clark Street

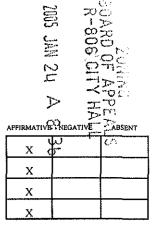
Same

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a pay day loan facility in a C2-2 General Commercial District.

**ACTION OF BOARD--**

CASE CONTINUED TO JANUARY 21, 2005

## THE VOTE



GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT

BRIAN L. CROWE

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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APPLICANT:

**APPEARANCE FOR:**Mee Har Gong & Laura Gong (Interpreter)

Mee Har Gong

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 744 W. 26th Street

November 19, 2004

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing the establishment of an office for a noodle company in an R4 General Residence District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED

## THE VOTE

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BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an R4 General Residence District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: the building in which the appellant wishes to establish the office in a space which formerly contained a commercial use; some time after the present residential zoning was established the store front on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor became vacant and no current business license has been found to exist, the neighborhood contains a mixed use of residential and commercial; the Board will allow this limited office use to be re-established.

APPROVED AS IN SUBDITURE

CHAIRMAN

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CAL NO.: 516-04-A

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 6-F

APPLICANT:	Greg Aprahamian	CAL NO.: 517-04-A
APPEARANCE FOR:	Same	<b>МАР NO.:</b> 8-Н
APPEARANCES AGAINST:	None	MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004
PREMISES AFFECTED:	3505 S. Wolcott Avenue/1857 W. 35th Street	11000011001 19, 2004

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow the expansion of a non-conforming use (wholesale and furniture distribution) within an art studio with dwelling unit in an R3 General Residence District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED

## THE VOTE

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## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an R3 General Residence District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: the Zoning Administrator has previously allowed a dwelling unit and an art studio to be established as a substitution of use, the local alderman was in favor of the substitution; the alderman is in favor of this appeal, the applicant has more space available in which he would like to rent to a wholesale furniture distributor; the Board finds this additional use not to be inconsistent with the current use and zoning and will thus allow it to be established with a business license.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

The #1 Gym

APPEARANCE FOR: Thomas S. Moore

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3232 N. Sheffield Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow a physical culture/gym with the required parking spaces (10% of the occupancy) in a B4-2 Restricted Service District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

CASE CONTINUED TO FEBRUARY 21, 2005

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**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

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November 19, 2004

Grace Mendoza

**APPLICANT:** 

APPEARANCE FOR: Same

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4100 S. Ashland Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing the establishment of a deadly weapons dealer's license in a C2-2 General Commercial District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

CASE CONTINUED TO FEBRUARY 21, 2005

## THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE

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CAL NO.: 519-04-A

**MAP NO.:** 10-H

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

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**APPLICANT:** 

Redic and Latashia Richardson

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3113-15 W. 71st Street

Same

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing the establishment of a beauty salon in a B1-1 Local Retail District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED

## THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE

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DONALD HUBERT

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads; "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in a B1-1 Local Retail District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: a beauty salon is not a permitted use in a B1-1 zoning district; the building in which the new salon will be located is a mixed use; the appellant will run a small salon and will not be disruptive to the commercial district; the Board will allow the beauty salon to be established and directs that a business license be issued

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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CAL NO.: 520-04-A

MAP NO.: 18-I

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

APPLICANT:

APPEARANCE FOR: Jennifer Baxter

CAL NO.: 521-04-A

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 13-G

November 19, 2004

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APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 5245 N. Clark Street

Salon 10

 NATURE OF REQUEST:
 Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing

 the establishment of a beauty salon in a B3-2 General Retail District.
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## **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED

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## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: "Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200." and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in a B3-2 General Retail District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: a beauty salon is a permitted use in a B4 zoning district; the building in which the appellant wishes to operate is a mixed residential and commercial building. The Board finds allowing the salon would not be disruptive to the neighborhood; the Board will allow a business license to be issued a this address.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

Clean and Neat, Inc.

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

1901 S. Racine Avenue **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

NATURE OF REQUEST: Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing the establishment of a mobile truck washing company with equipment onsite in a B4-2 Restricted Service District.

**ACTION OF BOARD-**

CASE CONTINUED TO **JANUARY 21, 2005** 

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CAL NO.: 522-04-A

MAP NO.: 4-G

November 19, 2004

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**APPLICANT:** 

Tammy L. Gray

**APPEARANCE FOR:** Same

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

1724 N. Dayton Street

Objector's Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator NATURE OF REQUEST: which granted an exception to the property at 1726 N. Dayton, in an R4 General Residence District; which reduced the north and south side yard to 1.25' instead of 2.5; the objector claims she was not given the required notice of the requested exception.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

CASE CONTINUED TO **JANUARY 21, 2005** 

# THE VOTE

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CAL NO.: 523-04-A

November 19, 2004

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 5-G

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APPLICANT:MidAmerica Bank, FSBCAL NO.: 524-04-SAPPEARANCE FOR:Robert PatelloMAP NO.: 18-DAPPEARANCES AGAINST:NoneMINUTES OF MEETING:<br/>November 19, 2004PREMISES AFFECTED:7300 S. Stony Island Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 2-story bank with a drive through facility in a C2-2 General Commercial District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

## APPLICATION APPROVED

# THE VOTE

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# THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish a new bank with drive through facility, the appraiser has stated that his use is not detrimental to the neighborhood, the nature of the banking business requires a drive through for after hours banking; the Board allow the drive through as a special use; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed drive-through facility provided it is constructed consistent with the layout and design represented on the site plan and elevation drawings dated May 20, 2004 as prepared by Smith & Stephens Architects, Inc. and provided the final landscape plan us approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

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**APPLICANT:** 

Metro Java Jo'z, LLC

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

John J. George

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

November 19, 2004

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 6455 S. Cicero Avenue

Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the NATURE OF REQUEST: approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 1-story coffee shop with a drive thru in a B4-1 Restricted Service District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

CASE CONTINUE TO **DECEMBER 17, 2004** 

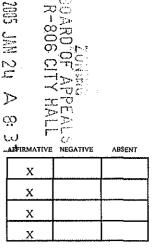
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BRIAN L. CROWE

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 525-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 16-K

**APPLICANT:** 

51st Street Townhomes LLC

Marcus J. Nunes

APPEARANCE FOR:

CAL NO.: 526-04-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 12-J

November 19, 2004

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 3914 W. 51st Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R5 General Residence District, a proposed 3-story single family residence whose front yard shall be 3'-3" instead of 9.03' and whose rear yard shall be 3' instead of 30'.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# VARIATION GRANTED

# THE VOTE

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# THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will erect a 3-story single family residence whose front yard shall be 3'-3" and rear yard shall be 3'; the reductions will follow the yards of the neighbors and provide a home with a little more depth; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CHAIRMAN

**APPLICANT:** 

Chicago Born Losers

APPEARANCE FOR: Larry Mapp

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 4420 W. Madison Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a social club in a B4-2 Restricted Service District.  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

## **ACTION OF BOARD--**

### APPLICATION APPROVED

## THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the social club will have approximately 45 members the club also rents out its facility for small neighborhood events; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed private club.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CHAIRMAN

**CAL NO.:** 527-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 1-K

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**APPLICANT:** 

Chicago Transit Authority

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Joseph P. Gattuso

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** Mr. Boatner

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 5008 S. Wells Street

Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the NATURE OF REQUEST: approval of the location and the establishment of a CTA electric substation in a B2-1 Restric

## **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# APPLICATION APPROVED

# THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Chicago Transit Authority is in the process of updating the Red Line transit facility and as part of the program an additional substation is necessary to better serve the public with the addition of longer electric trains; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed electric substation.

**APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE** 

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 528-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 12-F

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** November 19, 2004

APPLICANT:	Bryn Mawr Terrace Condominium Association	CAL NO.: 529-04-S
<b>APPEARANCE FOR:</b>	Joseph P. Gattuso	<b>MAP NO.:</b> 13-J
APPEARANCES AGAINST:	None	MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004
PREMISES AFFECTED:	3217 W. Bryn Mawr Avenue	11010111001 17, 2004

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an existing 3-story 11 dwelling unit and commercial space building with residential use below the 2nd floor in a B2-3 Restricted Retail District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

## APPLICATION APPROVED

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# THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the dwelling units and commercial building was constructed in 1979; the owner added an additional dwelling unit below the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor without the benefit of acquiring a special use for the use, the property has now been sold as condominium units and the current associations wishes to legalize the additional dwelling unit; parking spaces will be provided for all dwelling units; the Board will allowing the one dwelling unit below the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor to be lawfully established; the total number of dwelling unit will be 11; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the ground-floor residential use.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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APPLICANT:

Bryn Mawr Terrace Condominium Association

Joseph P. Gattuso

CAL NO.: 530-04-Z

November 19, 2004

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

MAP NO.: 13-J

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 3217 W. Bryn Mawr Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B2-3 Restricted Retail District, an existing 3-story 11 dwelling unit with commercial space building whose front yard shall be zero instead of 15', whose east side yard shall be 7.5' and whose west side yard shall be zero.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

## VARIATION GRANTED

### THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted a special use in Case #549-04-S and the building's front yard shall be zero, east yard shall be 7.5' and a zero west yard; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

**APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE** 

# **PAGE 33 OF MINUTES**

**APPLICANT:** 

Chicago Transit Authority

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Joseph P. Gattuso

CAL NO.: 531-04-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 10-F

November 19, 2004

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 3938 S. Wentworth Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a CTA electric substation in an R4 General Residence/B2-1 Restricted Retail Districts.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Chicago Transit Authority is in the process of updating the Red Line transit facility and as part of the program an additional substation is necessary to better serve the public with the addition of longer electric trains; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed electric substation.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

# **PAGE 34 OF MINUTES**

CHAIRMAN

**APPLICANT:** 

Chicago Transit Authority

Joseph P. Gattuso **APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

3938 S. Wentworth Avenue **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in NATURE OF REQUEST: an R4 General Residence/B2-1 Restricted Retail Districts, a CTA electric station whose north side yard shall be 5' 2007 200 instead of 10' and to reduce the rear vard 20' instead of 30'. i.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

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## THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted the use in Case #531-04-S and therefore the structure shall have a north yard of 5' and rear yard of 20'; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

# **PAGE 35 OF MINUTES**

CAL NO.: 532-04-Z

MAP NO.: 10-F

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** November 19, 2004

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**APPLICANT:** 

Dalan/Jackson, LLC

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Caroline A. Nash

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

November 19, 2004

CAL NO.: 533-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 16-D

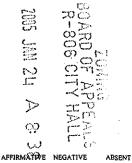
**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 1511-57 E. 67th Street/6700-24 S. Stony Island Avenue

Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the NATURE OF REQUEST: approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed drug store with drive through facility in a B3-3/B3-5 General Retail District.

# **ACTION OF BOARD--**

## APPLICATION APPROVED

## THE VOTE



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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the store previously approved (#17201-S) as the same use but not constructed and now the applicant wishes to proceed; the Board will incorporate by reference the previous record and decision and does hereby grant the special use for a drug store with drive through; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

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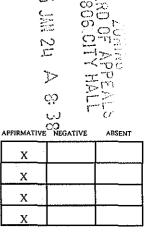
APPLICANT:Straford Memorial<br/>Seventh-day Adventist ChurchCAL NO.: 534-04-SAPPEARANCE FOR:Thurman DemilleMAP NO.: 28-FAPPEARANCES AGAINST:NoneMINUTES OF MEETING:<br/>November 19, 2004PREMISES AFFECTED:454-56 W. 1119th Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an 25 space accessory parking lot for private passenger automobiles, in a B2-1 Local Retail District, to serve the church located at 438 W. 120th Street.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE



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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish an off-site parking lot for 25 private passenger vehicles the serve the church located at 438 W. 120<sup>th</sup> Street; this parking lot will allow parking on the public way and the Board will grant the special use; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed parking lot provided the applicant installs landscaping and fencing in compliance with the Chicago Landscape Ordinance.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

4950 Western LLC

APPEARANCE FOR: James J. Banks

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4938-52 N. Western Avenue \*

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 4-story 36 dwelling unit building with residential use below the 2nd floor in a B2-3 Restricted Retail District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

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CAL NO.: 536-04-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

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**MAP NO.:** 13-I

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will construct a 4-story 36 dwelling unit building with residential use below the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor; the building contains 3 CPAN units; the property will contain 69 parking spaces; pursuant to Section 17-10-0500 of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, the Board hereby makes and sets the following restriction(s) on the applicant and project herein. The developer is hereby prohibited from selling the parking spaces within the subject building to anyone other than a purchaser of one of the condominium units. It is further required that the Condominium Declaration provide, or be amended to provide, that a sale by the developer of a condominium unit is to be the sale of a condominium unit and, at least, one parking space. The Condominium Declaration shall further provide that all subsequent sales of a condominium unit and the parking space(s) included at the initial sale. The condominium unit owners may lease their parking space to persons who are not owners of the condominium unit. Where there are parking spaces in excess of the number of parking spaces required under the Chicago Zoning ordinance for the number of units within the building, those excess parking spaces shall be designated for use by quests, delivery vehicles and vehicles parking for maintenance or service to the building or its owners. Those spaces shall not be designated as limited common elements, but rather,

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common elements owned and managed by the condominium association for benefit of all the unit owners. This restriction is intended to be a covenant running with the land. Additionally, the applicant is hereby required to record this order before the Variations contained herein becomes effective; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project

interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval if the proposed ground-floor residential use.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

#### **PAGE 39 OF MINUTES**

APPLICANT:

4950 Western LLC

James J. Banks

APPEARANCE FOR:

**MAP NO.:** 13-I

CAL NO.: 537-04-Z

November 19, 2004

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**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED:

4938-52 N. Western Avenue \*

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B2-3 Restricted Retail District, a proposed 4-story 36 dwelling unit building whose front yard shall be zero instead of 15', whose north and south side yards shall be zero each instead of 15.83' each, whose rear yard shall be 19' instead of 30'.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### VARIATION GRANTED

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted a special use for residential use in Case #537-04-Z; the building shall have a front yard of zero, north side yard shall be zero, south side yard shall be zero and the rear yard shall be 19'; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

\* AMENDED AT HEARING

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APPLICANT: Art Margulis

APPEARANCE FOR: John Fritchey

CAL NO.: 538-04-Z

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 5-G

November 19, 2004

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 2209 N. Seminary Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R4 General Residence District, a proposed rear 2-story addition to an existing single family residence whose north rear yard shall be zero instead of 13.8' and whose east side yard shall be 4.8'.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### VARIATION GRANTED

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant wishes to enlarge his single family residence by adding a 2-story addition; the building will then have a zero north yard and a 4.8' east yard this addition is not out of character with the rest of the neighborhood and the Board will grant the variation; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

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**APPLICANT:** 

Beverly Bank & Trust Company, N.A.

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

James J. Banks

November 19, 2004

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

10234-58 S. Western Avenue PREMISES AFFECTED:

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed bank with 4 drive through lanes in a B1-1 Local Retail/B3-1 General Retail Districts.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following the applicant will construct a new bank with a drive through facility; the applicant has stated that the clientele requires drive through banking and a majority of its business will be accessed from the drive through; the Board will grant the special use; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed drive-through facility provided it is constructed consistent with the layout and design represented on the site plan and elevation drawings dated November 9, 2004 as prepared by Grund & Riesterer Architects, Inc. and provided the final landscape plan is APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

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**CHAIRMAN** 

CAL NO.: 540-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 24-I

**APPLICANT:** 

Patriot Staffing Management, LLC

CAL NO.: 541-04-S

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

James J. Banks

**MAP NO.:** 8-I

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

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PREMISES AFFECTED: 3600 S. Western Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a day laborer facility in a C2-2 General Commercial District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant operates other similar facilities and states that there is an urgent need for this type of service; the applicant will keep its clients from congregating in front of the property, most clients are frequent users and the use will not be disruptive to the neighborhood; the Board will grant the special use as a day laborer facility; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development has no objection the establishment of a day labor office at this location.

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CHAIRMAN

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**APPLICANT:** 

AmeriCash Loans, LLC

**APPEARANCE FOR:** James J. Banks

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

28 E. Madison Street **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the NATURE OF REQUEST: approval of the location and the establishment of a payday loan facility in a (B6-7) DX-16 Downtown Mixed-Use 70 <sup>23</sup> District. ł

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant operates other similar facilities; the location will be on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor; the applicant will be interviewed away from the public street; there will be no living up outside of the office; the Board will grant the special use as a payday loan facility; this use is not out of character with the down town area; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed payday loan office.

**APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE** 

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CHAIRMAN

CAL NO.: 542-04-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 1-E

November 19, 2004

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**APPLICANT:** 

New Polonia Club, Incorporated

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

R: James J. Banks

MINUTES OF MEETING:

**MAP NO.:** 7-M

November 19, 2004

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 6101-03 W. Belmont Avenue

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an expansion tavern (1,395 sq. ft.) in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE



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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on November 19, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on November 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant has operated the tavern for many years; she now wishes to expand this use into the dining area next door in which she mainly served food; she states that she has not caused a problem to the neighborhood; the Board will allow the expansion of a tavern into the adjourning space; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued; The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed tavern expansion.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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CAL NO.: 543-04-S

**APPLICANT:** 

Anna Greenberg

**APPEARANCE FOR:** John J. Pikarski & Thomas M. Pikarski CAL NO.: 200-04-S

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 10-K

November 19, 2004

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

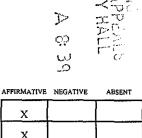
4602 S. Pulaski Road **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a day laborer employment agency in a B4-1 Restricted Service District. #**3**71

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE



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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on May 21, 2004 after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on May 3, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant has operated on other similar use and it will not allow clients to congregate in front of the building; the Board will grant a special use as a day laborer facility; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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APPLICANT:

Straford Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church

Thurman Demille

CAL NO.: 292-04-S

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

MAP NO.: 28-F

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

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**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 500 W. 119th Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a 466 seat church in a B2-1 Restricted Retail  $\mathbb{D}$  is trictly  $\mathbb{C}$ 

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#### APPLICATION APPROVED

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on June 18, 2004 after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on May 28, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish a 466 seat church and will provide 58 off-site parking spaces; the evidence has shown that the church and its off-site parking lots will not be adversely effect the neighborhood; the Board will grant a special use to establish a church in a B2-1 Zoning District; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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APPLICANT:

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

Straford Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church

Thurman Demille

CAL NO.: 293-04-Z

**MAP NO.:** 28-F

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

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PREMISES AFFECTED: 500 W. 119th Street

 NATURE OF REQUEST:
 Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B2-1 Restricted Retail District, a 1-story addition to a church whose front yard transitional yard shall be 1' instead of 20'.

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#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

VARIATION GRANTED

THE VOTE

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on June 18, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on May 28, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted a special use to establish a church in Case #292-04-S and the Board will allow a variations to make the front transitional yard one foot; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

Straford Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church

Thurman Demille

CAL NO.: 294-04-A

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**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**MAP NO.:** 28-F

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APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 500 W. 119th Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to waive 30 required parking spaces for a new church which requires 58 parking spaces in a B2-1 Restricted Retail District.

**ACTION OF BOARD--**

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THIS CASE IS MOOT IN LIGHT OF THE BOARD'S DECISION IN CASE #534-04-S

#### THE VOTE

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APPLICANT:Lakeside BankCAL NO.: 350-04-SAPPEARANCE FOR:John J. Pikarski & Thomas M. PikarskiMAP NO.: 4-GAPPEARANCES AGAINST:NoneMINUTES OF MEETING:<br/>November 19, 2004PREMISES AFFECTED:1055 W. Roosevelt Road

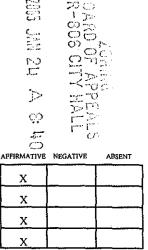
**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed bank with 2 drive through lanes in an existing 2-story building in a B4-1 Restricted Service District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on August 20, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on July 29, 2004; and

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant wishes to establish a bank with a drive through facility within an existing 2-story brick building, the matter was set for a hearing to determine whether or not the matter should have been stayed due to a pending Circuit Court of Cook County declaratory action; the matter was continued and a briefing school was set; the objector is St. Ignitus College Prep and Inner City Education and Recreation Foundation; the Board considered the briefs and heard oral arguments at 9:00 a.m.; the Chairman denied the Motion To Stay Hearing and set the matter for hearing in the afternoon; the applicant testified that the property was formerly the Illinois Regional Library for the Blind; the site has one means of egress and ingress on Roosevelt Road just east of Blue Island; the width of the driveway is 20 feet; the parking lot will contain parking plus 2 drive through lanes and 21 parking spaces; the applicant estimates that 40 to 60 vehicles per hour will use the facility; the appraiser for the applicant states that St. Ignitus College Prep School and the University of Illinois are two institutions located across the street; he stated there are two other drive through facility in the area, a bank and fast food restaurant; he stated that the proposed use as a bank with drive through, in his opinion, would not have a negative affect on the neighboring property values, or the health safety and welfare of the public; the applicant stated that it is a business necessity to provide a

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drive through service in the banking business and that a bank without drive through facilities is not economically feasible; the applicant offered an site plan prepared by Pappageorge/Haynes, Ltd and stamped "Approved" by the City of Chicago Department of Transportation Plan Review Committee dated August 12, 2004 which shows pavement marking "Right In/Right Out: on the apron of the driveway and a Right Turn only sign at the exit point of the property; the applicant stated it would comply with this traffic flow markings; The objectors presented evidence that the driveway was too narrow to safely handle the flow of traffic; they also stated that pedestrian traffic across the driveway would be at risk due to vehicles turning in and out of the parking lot, they stated that there would be no way to prevent customers who turn left in and left out of the facility; that the driveway is dangerous because the it is so close to Blue Island Avenue; that the public would be adversely effect allowing a drive through facility at this location; The Board has considered hundred of drive through facilities in the last few years. It should be noted that the use as a bank and required parking lot is a permitted use at this location. The only issue the Board is to consider is whether or not a two lane drive through should be allowed at this site; both sides have presented opposite pictures of how the drive through will effect the community; the Board hereby finds the following; the drive through facility will comply with all applicable standard of the Zoning Ordinance; the layout and design has been reviewed and approved by the City of Chicago, Department of Transportation Plan Review Committee; the use is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact or the general welfare of the neighborhood; a bank with drive through at this location is not a burden on the neighborhood; drive through facilities are common in the City and this neighborhood; the design is compatible with the character of the surrounding neighborhood; the applicant has taken an existing structure, which some believe has architectural significance, and converted it into a bank; it appears the existing parking lot has been reconfigured to accommodate two drive through lanes to allow the public to conduct one's banking; the lot will be landscaped and is not visible from the Blue Island side of the street; the open side of the lot faces an open field; this use is compatible with the character of the neighborhood in hours of operation, lighting, noise and traffic; more traffic will cross the driveway than with the previous use but there is no showing that the applicant cannot keep the public safe; there is no evidence as to how many people will cross the sidewalk at the driveway; the Board believes the public will not be at an undue risk; the design of the parking lot and drive through will promote pedestrian safety and comfort; the drive through are located away from the entrance; the Board orders the applicant to clearly mark the payment entrance to the driveway with pavement markings "Right In" (with arrow)/"Right Out" (with arrow); the applicant shall provide a "Right Turn Only" sign at the exit of the driveway at the public way; the Board requests that the applicant seek to enlarge the width driveway, if at all possible; it notes that this is the only way to access the property; the applicant should add as much signage as possible to keep its customers from turning left in on left out of the lot; the parking shall be fenced and landscaped as in compliance with the Zoning Code; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning Development recommends approval of the proposed drive-through facility provided it is constructed consistent with the lay out and design represented on the site plan and elevation drawings dated April 20, 2004 as prepared by Pappgeorge Haymes, Ltd. and provided the final landscape plan approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

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CAL NO.: 408-04-S **APPLICANT:** Erie LaSalle Ltd Partnership Thomas S. Moore **MAP NO**: 1-F **APPEARANCE FOR: APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None **MINUTES OF MEETING:** November 19, 2004 672 N. LaSalle Drive **PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off site accessory parking lot for 9 private passenger automobiles, in a B7-5 General Central Business District, to serve the requirement of a motor vehicle repair located at 146 W. Erie Street. 꼬질

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on September 17, 2004 after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on September 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant has operated a Motor Vehicle Repair facility for many years at this location; it will now add a parking lot to serve its business; the lot shall be fenced and landscaped as required by the Zoning Ordinance; the Board will grant the special use to establish an off-site accessory parking lot for 9 private passenger vehicles; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**APPLICANT:** 

**APPEARANCE FOR:** Thomas S. Moore

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 2933 N. Southport Avenue

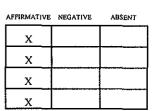
**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R5 General Residence District, a proposed 4-story 3 dwelling unit building whose front yard shall be 7' instead of 15', north side yard shall be zero instead 2' and a rear yard shall be 7'-4" instead of 30'. ن يہ Т

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### VARIATION GRANTED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on September 29, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on September 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will construct a 4-story 3 dwelling unit building; the lot is irregular and smaller than the average city lot; the reduction will allow a building to be constructed with a more normal amount of square footage; The Board will grant a variation whose front yard shall be 7', north side yard shall be zero and a 7'-4" rear yard; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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**CAL NO.:** 416-04-Z

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APPLICANT:	Randolph Partnership LLC-6314 Series	CAL NO.: 419-04-S
APPEARANCE FOR:	Bill Stotis & Kosta Cios	MAP NO.: 16-L
APPEARANCES AGAINST:	John Giswold	MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004
PREMISES AFFECTED:	6332-46 S. Cicero Avenue	1000011061 19, 2004

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off site accessory parking lot for <u>37</u> private passenger automobiles, in a B4-1 Restricted Service District, to serve a restaurant located at 6314 S. Cicero Ayenue.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on September 17, 2004 after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on September 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish an off site parking lot for 37 private passenger vehicles to handle the overflow parking from its restaurant at 6314 S. Cicero; the lot will have an entrance on Cicero and two exits at the alley parallel to Cicero; a neighbor expressed his concerns with the vehicles leaving the parking lot, through the alley, may endanger pedestrians; the Board orders the applicant to place "Speed Humps" at each exit from the lot to slow vehicles entering the alley; the parking lot shall be fenced and landscaped in compliance to the Zoning Ordinance; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): Fenced and landscaping as provided in the Zoning Ordinance.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

#### APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

**APPLICANT:** 

William J. Barry

APPEARANCE FOR: William Hennessy

APPEARANCES AGAINST: Thomas S. Moore, etal

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 227-31 W. Menomonee Street

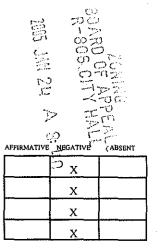
**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow a proposed 5 car garage, at the rear of the property, due to an inadequate drive-way width and turning radius into the garage in an R5 General Residence District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

# THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS AFFIRMED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



CAL NO.: 428-04-A

**MINUTES OF MEETING:** 

**MAP NO.:** 5-E

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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator, reads: Appellant seeks an appeal of the decision of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to approve a garage at the rear of the property because inadequate drive with and turning radius to the garage. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200. and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on September 17, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an R5 General Residence District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: The applicant owns two buildings located on a zoning lot, the property does not have access to a alley; the property have a driveway situated on the west side of the property; the rear of the lot is vacant and the applicant proposes to erect a garage for 5 automobiles; the applicant has testified that the driveway, based on a survey, is 8 feet wide at the font of the building near the stairs; he states that he will remove part of the 1<sup>st</sup> floor at the southwest corner of the building and will



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support the remaining second floor with a cantilever structure; this will allow an area to turn vehicles in and out of the garage; the applicant wishes to erect a 15 foot garage which will have windows at the top of the structure, he stated that the vehicles will have adequate space to turn and will not have to back out down the driveway to exist the property; the applicant has submitted a brief in support of his position; several neighbors have appeared, with counsel, to object to the appeal; the objectors stated there is not an 8 foot aisle between 231 W. Menomonee Street and 233 W. Menomonee Street; the owner of 233 W. Menomonee Street testified that his building is from 1" to 2" over the property line and extends into his neighbor's property; a civil engineer for the objectors, Robert Mustare II stated he measured the width of the drive at the front of the building to be 7'-9"; he also provided a photograph of the tape measure showing the width, he also stated he made several studies of turning radius at the rear of the property and stated that there was insufficient area to safely turn vehicles around in order to exit the property; he stated the width of the driveway was too narrow to be safe; the Zoning Administrator denied the appellant's permit because of inadequate driveway width and turning radius into the garage; The Board has reviewed the briefs and testimony of all parties and hereby finds that the appellant has not proven that the driveway will have a minimum of 8 feet in width; there is sufficient area at the rear of the property to turn around vehicles so that they may exit the property without having to back out; the Board finds that the width of the driveway is 7'-9" and does not meet the minimum width 18 feet as required by the Department of Zoning; the Board also states there is insufficient area in the rear of the property to allow the safe turning of vehicles as to allow the vehicles to exit without backing out across the sidewalk; the Board affirms the decision of the Zoning Administrator.

**APPLICANT:** 

City First Foundation

David L. Bea

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1240-42 W. Addison Street

**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an R4 General Residence District, a public parking lot to qualify as required facilities for two or more uses since the ball park use will not take place at same time as the religious assembly.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD---**

#### VARIATION GRANTED

### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI McCABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



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#### THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on September 17, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on September 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted the special use in Case #444-04-S; the Board has reviewed the evidence that the two uses, religious assembly and Cub Baseball game parking do not occur at the same times; the Board therefore grants a dual use variation to the parking facility; 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CAL NO.: 445-04-Z

**MAP NO.:** 9-G

MINUTES OF MEETING:

November 19, 2004

**APPLICANT:** 

City First Foundation

David L. Bea

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 1240-42 W. Addison Street

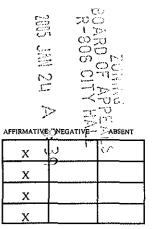
**NATURE OF REQUEST:** Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a public parking lot in an R4 General Residence District.

#### **ACTION OF BOARD--**

#### APPLICATION APPROVED

#### THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE GIGI M¢CABE-MIELE DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS DONALD HUBERT



THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on September 17, 2004, after due notice thereof as provided under Section17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on September 1, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant is a religious facility; which will valet park automobiles during non-religious assembly hours for Cubs Baseball events; the parking spaces will be on City First Foundation property and never on the public way; the Board will grant the use of a public parking lot during non-religious assembly use; complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN.

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CAL NO.: 444-04-S

**MAP NO.:** 9-G

MINUTES OF MEETING: November 19, 2004

**APPLICANT:** 

McDonald's Corporation

**APPEARANCE FOR:** 

**APPEARANCES AGAINST:** 

**PREMISES AFFECTED:** 

6500 W. North Avenue

 NATURE OF REQUEST:
 Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed fast food restaurant with drive through facility in M2-1 General Manufacturing District.

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#### APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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