MONTGOMERY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT AGENDA

SPECIAL MEETING OF TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2017, 3:00 P.M. CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS 101 OLD PLANTERSVILLE ROAD, MONTGOMERY, TEXAS.

CALL TO ORDER

- 1. Approval of November 3, 2017 meeting minutes.
- 2. Public Hearing regarding a Parking Variance by First Hartford Realty, Inc. at the southwest corner of FM 2854 and SH 105, for the purpose of giving all interested persons the right to appear and be heard regarding the Variance.
- 3. Consideration and take action regarding a Parking Variance by First Hartford Realty, Inc. at the southwest corner of FM 2854 and SH 105

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MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING

November 3, 2017

MONTGOMERY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

CALL TO ORDER

City Secretary Susan Hensley declared a quorum was present, and called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

Present:	Nelson Cox	Member
	Rebecca Huss	Member
	Carol Raica	Member
	Jennifer Stewart	Member

Absent: Ann Young Member

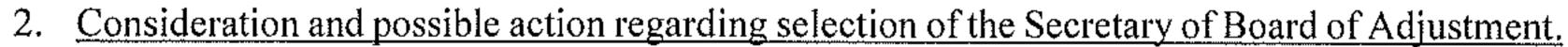
City Administrator Also Present: Jack Yates Susan Hensley City Secretary

<u>Consideration and possible action regarding selection of the Chairman of Board of Adjustment.</u> 1.

Ms. Hensley called for a motion to nominate the Chairman of the Board of Adjustment.

Rebecca Huss moved to nominated Nelson Cox to serve as the Chairman of the Board of Adjustment, because he does an admirable job of chairing the other Boards that he is a part of and knows the rules quite well. Jennifer Stewart seconded the nomination, the motion carried unanimously. (4-0)

Nelson Cox then took over the meeting as the Chairman of the Board.



After discussion, Rebecca Huss moved to nominate Carol Raica as the Secretary of the Board

of Adjustment. Jennifer Stewart seconded the motion, the motion carried unanimously. (4-0)

 <u>Consideration and possible action to call a Public Hearing regarding a Parking Variance by</u> <u>First Hartford Realty, Inc. for property located at the southwest corner of FM 2854 and SH</u> <u>105.</u>

Mr. Yates advised that he had received a request for a variance for two parking spaces from First Hartford Realty, Inc, because the Code requires 60 spaces in the proposed area and the developer is requesting 58 total spaces, necessitating the need for a variance of two spaces.

After discussion, Chairman Cox moved to schedule a Public Hearing to be held on December 12, 2017 at 3 p.m. at City Hall. Carol Raica seconded the motion, the motion carried unanimously. (4-0)

4. Adjournment

Rebecca Huss moved to adjourn the meeting at 2:34 p.m. Carol Raica seconded the motion,

the motion carried unanimously. (4-0) Submitted by: Susan Hensley, City Secretary

Date Approved:

Nelson Cox, Chairman

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Montgomery City Council AGENDA REPORT

Meeting Date: December 12, 2017	Budgeted Amount:
Department:	
	Exhibits: Letter from Foresite Group, Plot plan showing CVS site, Letter from First Hartford Realty Corporation giving Foresite Group permission to speak for them
Prepared By: Jack Yates City Administrator	
Date Prepared: December 6, 2017	

Subject

This is to hold the public hearing regarding the variance request. As such, the public needs to be the speaker, with the Board of Adjustment saying little but listening to the public.

Description

As provided in the Foresite Group letter, the calculations needed for the parking spaces require 60 parking spaces and the proposed reduction is for 58 total spices, necessitating the need for a variance of two spaces as required according to the ordinance.

I suggested to representatives of the Foresite Group that they wait until the building plans are submitted and if any other variances required then they could ask for all of them at the same time - or - that they could perhaps least two parking spaces from a neighboring business. However they want to proceed with this variance.

Recommendation

Motion to approve the variance request of two parking spaces for the proposed 14,698 ft.² retail building.

Montgomery City Council AGENDA REPORT

Approved By		
City Administrator	Jack Yates	Date: December 6, 2017

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VIA EMAIL City of Montgomery Attn: Jack Yates 101 Old Plantersville Rd. Montgomery, TX 77316 jyates@ci.montgomery.tx.us

RE: 2,0795 Tract - Southwest Corner of Lone Star Parkway & State Highway 105 – Parking Variance Request

Dear Mr. Yates:

Please consider this letter and the attachment enclosed as a formal Variance Request for a parking reduction for the proposed retail development at the southwest corner of Lone Star Parkway and State Highway 105. Based on Montgomery Code of Ordinances Section 98-286, we understand 0.75 SF of parking space is required for every 1 SF of building gross floor area. Please see the calculations below for the proposed 14,698 SF retail building:

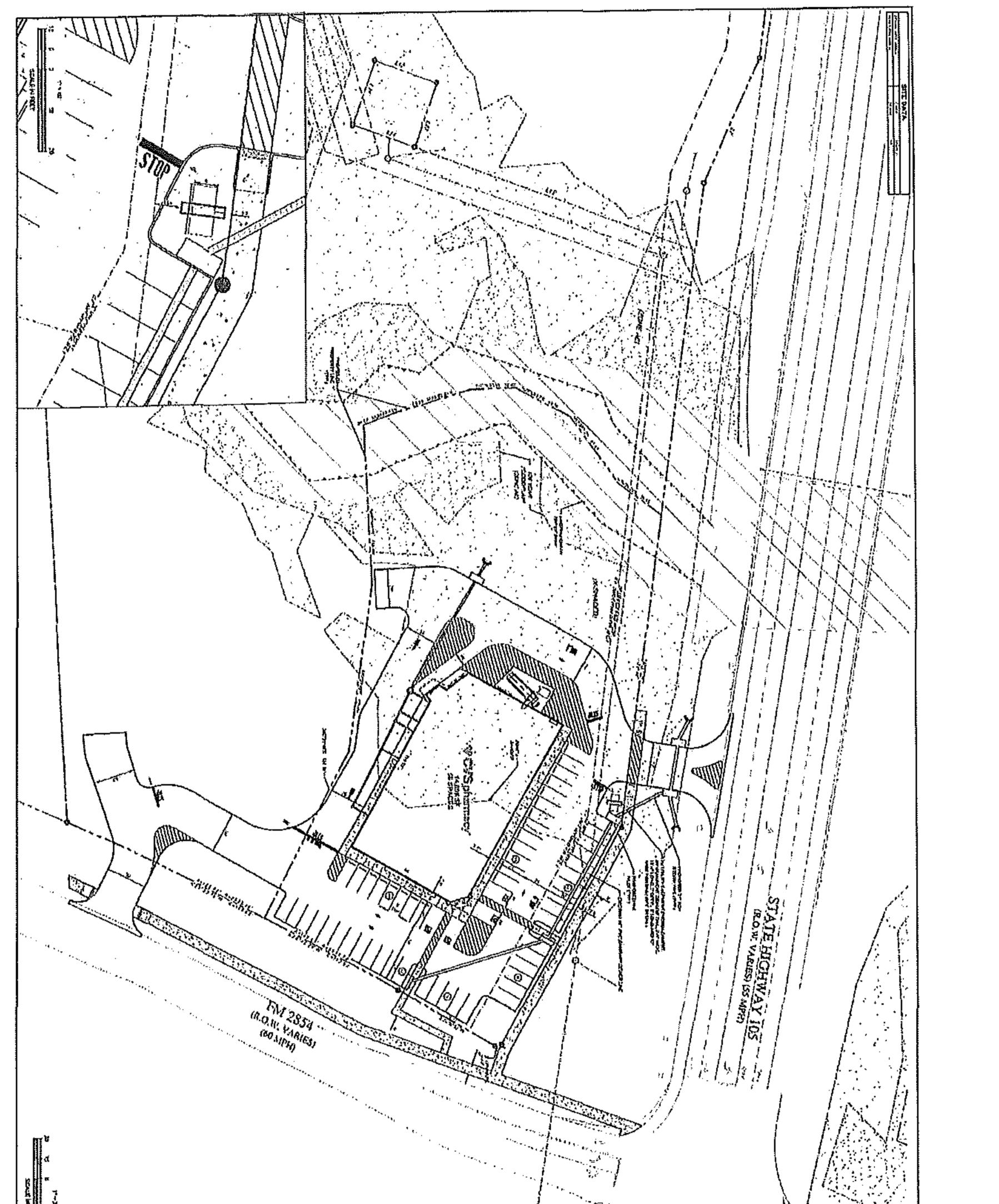
- Required SF of Parking = 0.75 * 14,698 SF. ۰.
- Required SF of Parking = 11,023.5 SF or 60 parking spaces. ø
 - (4) 12' X 20' ADA spaces & (56) 9' X 20' standard spaces. Ó
- Proposed SF of Parking Provided = 54 Stalls (9' x 20) + 4 ADA Stalls (12' x 20) 58 total spaces Proposed SF of Parking Provided = 10,680 SF 0
- Proposed Reduction in Parking = 11,023.5 SF 10,680 SF = 343.5 SF (2 9'X20' stalls)

Please note this Variance is being requested based on the hardship due to the flood plain limits along the western portion of the subject property. Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions regarding this request.

Thank you for your time and consideration in regards to this request.

Sincerely, FORESITE GROUP_INC.

Brlan F. Morris, P.E. Senior Project Manager Enclosure: Parking Variance Exhibit cc: First Hartford Realty Corporation



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September 11, 2017

VIA EMAIL

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City of Montgomery Attn: Jack Yates 101 Old Plantersville Road Montgomery, TX 77316 jyates@ci.montgomery.tx.us

RE: 2.0795 Tract - Southwest Corner of Lone Star Parkway & State Highway 105 - Agent

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Dear Mr. Yates,

For the proposed 2.0795 tract, out of the overall 26.43-acre tract located at the southwest corner of Lone Star Parkway and State Highway 105, Montgomery, Texas, First Hartford Realty Corporation designates and appoints Foresite Group Inc. as my/our Agent for all documents pertaining to the Variance and Sign Encroachment applications for the subject property. Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

John President

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Prepared By: Jack Yates City Administrator	
Date Prepared: December 6, 2017	

Subject

This is to act on the variance.

Description

The CVS store would be part of a much larger parking area and retail development. As such, two parking spaces, will have a minimal effect on the overall parking of the area.

You could require them to lease parking spaces from a neighboring parking area, but I do not suggest that.

Recommendation

Motion to approve the variance request of two parking spaces for the proposed 14,698 ft.² retail building to First Hartford Realty Corporation

Approved By	
City Administrator	

Jack Yates

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