### **Notice To Applicant**

City of Atlanta - Bureau of Planning

APPLICATION NUMBER: V-11-055

City Council District: **6** 

Neighborhood Planning Unit (NPC

Address of Property: 844 Virginia Cir.

Board of Zoning Adjustment (BZA) Hearing Date:

Thursday, June 2, 2011 at 12:00 p.m.

Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, City Hall 55 Trinity Avenue, S.W.

The contact person for NPU F is:

Charlie Nalbone 404-626-1354 atlanta.npuf.zoning@gmail.com

Contact info for adjacent NPUs is provided below if necessary:

The contact person for NPU is:

Please contact the person(s) listed above within two days to find out which meetings you will be required to attend before the next NPU meeting. If you are unable to reach the contact person, please call the city's NPU Coordinator at 404-330-6145.

**Sign Posting** - The property owner is required to post a sign or signs in a conspicuous place on the property <u>at least 15 days before the hearing date</u> shown above. One sign shall be placed every 600 feet along each street the property abuts. A sign posting affidavit must be returned to the Bureau of Planning to confirm posting.

Signed,

KSD, for Director, Bureau of Planning

Cathie Magnan Power, Applicant

## APPLICATION FOR VARIANCE

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Date Filed $4 \cdot 6 \cdot 2011$ Application Number $\sqrt{-11-055}$
Name of Applicant Cathie Magnan Power Daytime Phone 404.577.015
Company Name Magnan Power Architecture-mail magnanpower & bell sout
Name of Applicant Cathie Magnan Power Daytime Phone 404.577.015  Company Name Magnan Power Architecture-mail magnan power Doell South  Address 362 Ferguson St Atlanta GA 30307  street city state zip code
Name of Property Owner Patricia M. Jones Phone 404.644.8409
Address 844 Virginia Circle, Atlanta, GA 30306 street state, stat
 Description of Property 30306
Address of Property 844 Virginia Ctrobe, Atlanta, GA OR
the subject property fronts feet on the side of and begins feet from the corner of
Depth: Area: Land Lot: District:, County, GA.  Property is zoned 2.4, Council District:, Neighborhood Planning Unit:
TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT: Applicant, having received an adverse order or requirement from the administrative officer in seeking a building permit or certificate of occupancy, hereby requests that the Board of Zoning Adjustment grant variance(s).
I hereby authorize the staff of the Office of Planning to inspect the premises of the above-described property. I understand that it is my responsibility to post a public notice sign on the property according to the instructions given to me by the Office of Planning upon filing this application. I swear that all statements herein and attached hereto are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Sworn To And Subscribed Before Me This 6 Day Of 2001.
Owner or Agent for Owner (Applicant)  Cathie Magnan Power  APPLICANT'S NAME IN PRINTED LETTERS  NOTARY PUBLIC

NOTARY PUBLIC, FAYETTE COUNTY, GA MY COMMISSION EXPIRES OCTOBER 22, 2011

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### CITY OF ATLANTA

Kasim Reed MAYOR DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT 55 TRINITY AVENUE, S.W. SUITE 3900 – ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30335 404-330-6175 – FAX: 404-658-6979 Internet Home Page: www.atlantaga.gov James Shelby Acting Commissioner Dept. of Planning & Community Development

Don Rosenthal Director Bureau of Building

Ann Heard

### REFERRAL CERTIFICATE

COUNCIL DISTRICT	APPLICATION N	iumber <u>V-  -</u>	Zening Chief Zoning Enfórcement					
NPUF	DATE FIL	LED	a A					
Cathie Magnan Pov	ver		RECEIVED APR - 6 011					
	Name of Applica	nt	Diversion Y					
BUILDING PERMIT AUTHORIZING  Planning								
	variance		11/01/16					
at 844 Virginia Circle,	NE	17 <sup>TH</sup> /53						
Street Address	Quadrant	District & Land	Lot					
to be used for	residential	Will have been seen as a second	purposes					
The property is zoned	R4/BL		District					
2. The Building Permit W	as Denied For The Followin	g Reasons:						
Applicant seeks a varia	ance from zoning regulations	s to 1) reduce the requ	ired west side vard					
	) to exceed the maximum allo	_						
	ential structure to exceed 30%							
	% to 27% to allow for the con							
accessory structure (pa	villion) for an existing single	family dwelling. Ar	oplicant seeks no					
further variances at this			<del>*************************************</del>					
198	32 ZONING ORDINANCE	, AS AMENDED						
Chapter 6	Section <u>16-06.008</u>	Paragraph (2)	(6)					
Chapter 28	Section <u>16-28.004</u>	Paragraph (3)	)					
Della lie	Department of Planning and Bureau of Buildin Don Rosenthal, Dir Ann Heard, Zoning	Development ngs ector Chief	MPower					

NOTE: Please be advised that the applicant was informed that no structures or work is permitted to encroach into adjacent rear alleyway

Summary of proposed changes to buildings of site (example. Constitute a 10-100)	
by 10-foot, one-story room addition on the first floor of the house.") Include square footages and	
stories: Construct a me stury pavilim (675 59.	11/1/15
at the rear yard.	
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- AV	011/1/1)
Proposed Lot Coverage (After Construction): Calculate total square footage of att-ot	BE " 5 5011
coverage on the entire property after construction would be finished, including existing and	APR Of
proposed buildings and other structures, sidewalks, driveways, parking pads, patios, gravel, etc.,	Bulgaring
everything except natural planted or undisturbed areas.	E/8!!!!!
4408.8 covered square feet / 8459 total lot square feet 52.1% proposed lot coverage	6
1700.8 covered square reet / D to total for square reet - 2017% proposed for coverage	TOT
50 % maximum allowed lot coverage	91

Summary of proposed changes to buildings or site (example: "Construct a 10-foot

#### **Variance Procedures**

Variance applications are heard and decided at a regularly-scheduled public hearing by the five-member City of Atlanta Board of Zoning Adjustment ("BZA"). The Office of Planning serves as staff to the BZA. Approximately one week after each closing date, a planner is assigned to review your application. All inquires regarding your application should be directed to this office at (404) 330-6145. The rules of the BZA prevent BZA members from discussing the merits of any case except during the public hearing for that case.

Schedule. There are two closing dates and two public hearings per month. The schedule allows time for neighborhood and NPU meetings to occur throughout the City prior to each public hearing. The schedule of closing and public hearing dates is attached (Page 9).

Neighborhood and NPU Recommendations. The City is divided into 24 Neighborhood Planning Units (NPUs), each of which has a volunteer citizen advisory committee that makes a recommendation to the BZA on variances. When you file your application, you will be notified of the NPU contact person and that you must schedule a meeting with that NPU in order to explain what you wish to do. You may be requested to attend additional neighborhood meetings; inquire about the time and place of those meetings. The applicant is expected to contact the NPU as soon as possible after the application is filed. The Office of Planning will send a copy of your application to the appropriate NPU during the week after the closing date for your application.

**Public Notice.** When you file your application, it will be scheduled for a public hearing. The Office of Planning will initiate posting of public notice ("an advertisement", "a legal ad") for this public hearing so that the public is informed at least 15 days before the date of the public hearing:

- by sending written notice of your application to all property owners whose property is within 300 feet of the subject property, and
- by causing public notice to be placed in the newspaper.

You are responsible for obtaining a public notice sign when you file your application with the Office of Planning, and for posting it in a visible location on your property, at least 15 days prior to your public hearing. Failure to properly post the sign will make it necessary for the BZA to defer your case to another public hearing. The BZA may defer the case to a hearing that has been scheduled 30 or more days after the original hearing.

Refunds on Withdrawn Cases. Requests for withdrawal received 18 days prior to the public hearing will enable a refund of the application fee.

**Staff Recommendation.** Office of Planning staff reviews and makes written recommendations to the BZA on each variance application. You may contact your assigned planner at (404) 330-6145 on the day of the public hearing if you wish to know staff's recommendation.

V-11-055

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362 Ferguson Street
Atlanta, Georgia 30307
404.577.0154
404.577.7124 (fax)
404-272-1057 cell
magnanpower@bellsouth.net



Jones LaFave Residence 844 Virginia Circle Atlanta, GA 30306 April 6, 2011

### **Impervious Surfaces**

Existing	*	<b>Proposed</b>
House	1543	1543
Front Porch	146	146
Rear Porch		70.5
Garage	246	246
Outbuildings	49	724
Drive	1097	1097
Deck	281	0
Walls, walks, steps &	664	482.8
Terraces		
Fountain, spa	0	99.5
Total	4026	4408.8
Total lot sq ft	8459	8459
Impervious lot cover	47.6%	52.1%
R4 50% lot cover	4229.5	over 179.3

FAR:

36.48%

(2 stories, total: 3086/8459 total lot sq ft)

Rear Yard sq ft:

3586

All Rear Yard structures as % of rear yard: 27.05% (Pavilion, wood shed, and garage)

Proposed Pavilion sq ft (675) as % of total house sf: 21.87% (675/3086)

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## I. Variance: exceed maximum lot coverage and percentage of rear yard structure to rear yard

Maximum Lot coverage allowed for R-4: 50%

**Proposed: 52.1%** 

### Justification:

Size of lot: Minimum lot size for R-4 zoning is 9,000 sq ft. This lot, at 8,459 sq ft is smaller than the minimum.

### II. Variance: reduce setback to 4'

Side yard setback for R-4: 7'

### Justification:

Size of lot: Minimum frontage for R-4 zoning is 70'. This lot, at 54', is narrower than the minimum.

# NOTARIZED AUTHORIZATION BY PROPERTY OWNER

(Required only if applicant is not the owner of the property subject to the application.)

1 / A P L A L C E
TYPE OF APPLICATION VARIANCE
I, Patricia M. Jones (OWNER'S NAME)
SWEAR THAT I AM THE OWNER OF THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT
844 Virginia Circle, Atlantaproperty address). As shown in the records of Tulton county, Georgia Which
AS SHOWN IN THE RECORDS OF TUITON COUNTY, GEORGIA WHICH
IS THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THE ATTACHED APPLICATION. I AUTHORIZ
THE PERSON NAMED BELOW TO ACT AS THE APPLICANT IN THE
PURSUIT OF THIS APPLICATION.
NAME OF APPLICANT Cathie Magnan Power ADDRESS OF APPLICANT 362 Fergoson Street Atlanta, GA 30307
Atlanta, GA 30307 TELEPHONE NUMBER 404 272.1057
Personally Appeared Before Me JONATHAN 7. BOROS
Who Swears That The Information Contained In This Authorization Is True and Correct To The Best of His or Her Knowledge and Belief
The Best of His or Her Knowledge and Belter State Stat
Date

#### RECEIPT

CITY OF ATLANTA **ATLANTATEST** 55 TRINITY AVE SW

> Application: V-11-055 Application Type: Planning/BZA/Variance/NA Address: 844 VIRGINIA CIR, ATLANTA, GA 30306 Owner Name: JONES PATRICIA M

**Owner Address: Application Name:** 

Receipt No.

257195

Payment Method Ref Number Amount Paid Payment Date Cashier ID

Received

Comments

Check

1293

\$100.00

04/06/2011

**SGUILDARIE** 

Owner Info.:

JONES PATRICIA M

Work **Description:**  Variances for 1) reduce the req. west side ysb form 7' to 4'; 2) exceed the max lot coverage from 50% to 52%; 3) to allow a detached residential structure to exceed 30% of the main strucuture (to 31%); 4) to exceed reat yard coverage from 25% to 27% to allow for the construction of a detached residential accessory structure.

> PAID APR 06 2011 CL\* 1293

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