City of Belle Isle - Planning and Zoning Board Regular Session September 22, 2020

ITEM 3 M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Planning and Zoning Board

DATE: September 22, 2020

Public Hearing Case #2020-08-006 - Pursuant to Belle Isle Code Sec. 48-33 the Board shall consider and take action on a requested variance from Sec. 48-32 (A) (1) and Sec. 48-34 to allow an expansion of the dock to extend the roof of an existing nonconforming dock, allow replacement of pilings and decking on the nonconforming dock, and allow a variance from the required side setback for the existing dock, submitted by applicant Jeffrey Giles, located at 5842 Cove Drive, Belle Isle, FL 32812 also known as Parcel Number 20-23-30-1660-00-090

Background:

- 1. On June 10, 2020, Jeffrey Giles submitted a request, application, and required paperwork.
- 2. A Notice of Public Hearing legal advertisement was placed in the Saturday, August 15, 2020, Orlando Sentinel.
- 3. Letters to the abutting property owners within 300 feet of the subject property were mailed on Thursday, August 13, 2020
- 4. At the August 25, 2020 meeting the Board continued the Public Hearing of Case No. 2020-08-006 to September 22, 2020.

The Board may adopt all, some, or none of these determinations as part of their findings-of-fact. The Board may also add any additional findings-of-fact that are presented at the public hearing. The Board will need to determine if the criteria set forth in Chapter 42, Article III, Section 42-64(1) of the Land Development Code have been met, and approve, approve with conditions, or deny this request.

SAMPLE MOTION TO APPROVE:

"I move, pursuant to Belle Isle Code Sec. 48-33, the criteria of Section 48-32 (A) (1) and Sec. 48-34 of the Belle Isle Land Development Code having been met **TO APPROVE** an expansion of the dock to extend the roof of an existing nonconforming dock, allow replacement of pilings and decking on the nonconforming dock, and allow a variance from the required side setback for the existing dock, submitted by applicant Jeffrey Giles, located at 5842 Cove Drive, Belle Isle, FL 32812 also known as Parcel Number 20-23-30-1660-00-090

SAMPLE MOTION TO DENY:

"I move, pursuant to Belle Isle Code Sec. 48-33, the justifying criteria of the Belle Isle Land Development Code, having NOT been met; [use only if NONE of the justifying criteria have been met] the requirements of Section 48-32 (A) (1) and Sec. 48-34, Subsections: [STATE ONLY THE SUBSECTIONS BELOW THAT ARE NOT SATISFIED] having NOT been met; [may be used in addition to above or alone] TO DENY an expansion of the dock to extend the roof of an existing nonconforming dock, allow replacement of pilings and decking on the nonconforming dock, and allow a variance from the required side setback for the existing dock, submitted by applicant Jeffrey Giles, located at 5842 Cove Drive, Belle Isle, FL 32812 also known as Parcel Number 20-23-30-1660-00-090

SUBSECTION (D), a literal enforcement of the provisions of the zoning ordinances would result in unnecessary hardship and that said hardship is created by special conditions and circumstances peculiar to the land, structure or building involved, including but not limited to dimensions, topography or soil conditions.

SUBSECTION (E), personal hardship is not being considered as grounds for a variance since the variance will continue to affect the character of the neighborhood after title to the property has passed and that the special conditions and circumstances were not created in order to circumvent the Code or for the purpose of obtaining a variance.

SUBSECTION (F), the variance is the minimum variance that will make possible the reasonable use of the land, building or structure.

SUBSECTION (G), the granting of the variance will be in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Code, will not be injurious to the neighborhood, will not be detrimental to the public welfare, and will not be contrary to the public interest.