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TO: Shawn Botts and adjacent property owners

FROM: J. Pat Rich, Development Coordinator J Land

DATE: November 20, 2025

SUBJECT: Variance request before the Planning & Zoning Commission

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In accordance with the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance Article 2.6.4, the Planning Commission may recommend to the Mayor and City Council a variance be granted as the variance was applied for or in a modified form or subject to conditions or the application may be denied. A variance may be revocable, may be granted for a limited period, or may be granted subject to conditions as the Planning Commission or Mayor and City Council may prescribe.

The Planning and Zoning Commission will consider this application at its next regularly scheduled meeting on **Tuesday**, **December 9**, **2025**, **at 6:00 p.m.** The public hearing will be held at Diamondhead City Hall in the Council Chambers at 5000 Diamondhead Circle in Diamondhead, MS 39525. Interested members of the public are invited to attend. This meeting will also be live streamed for your convenience.

If you have any questions or comments or would like to review the application, you may contact J. Pat Rich, Development Coordinator, at 228-242-1613 or <a href="mailto:prich@diamondhead.ms.gov">prich@diamondhead.ms.gov</a>.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION DIAMONDHEAD, MS

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Jessie Bryant has filed an application requesting a variance from the Zoning Ordinance (Article 3.4.7) to allow a carport addition within 5 feet of the side yard property line. The address is 842 Kipona Ct. Tax parcel number is 067M-1-35-275.000. The property is in a R-6 zoning district. The side yard setback for a carport addition 10 feet. The variance requested is 5 feet. The Case File Number is 202500732.

In accordance with the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance Article 9.8, the Planning Commission may recommend to the Mayor and City Council a variance be granted as the variance was applied for or in a modified form or subject to conditions or the application may be denied. A variance may be revocable, may be granted for a limited period, or may be granted subject to conditions as the Planning Commission or Mayor and City Council may prescribe.

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# APPLICATION FOR VARIANCE REQUEST

	Case Number: 00350073
	Date
Applicant: Shawn Both	
Applicant's Address: 6410 Hako 64.	
Applicant's Email Address: shawn butts @ ich	ed.can
Applicant's Contact Number: (Home)	(Work)(Cell) <u>315-324-2176</u>
Property Owner: Shawn Boffs	•
Owner's Mailing Address: 9526 Laga La	Ct. Dramonolhoad, ms 39535
Owner's Email Address Shawnbotts @ ich	oud com
Owner's Contact Number: (Home)	_(Work)(Cell) <del>228</del> -324-2176
Tax Roll Parcel Number: 131 D-2-13-008	80D
Physical Street Address: 64/0 Huko C.L.	Diamondhead, MS 39525
Legal Description of Property:	
Zoning District: R-10	
State Purpose of Variance: (Front/Side/Rear/Lot Size/F (Signage-Size-Height) <u>Request of rear set</u> 10 feet to 6 feet for 125t x/65t	Parking/Building/Coverage) back to be reduced from

### **REQUIRED ITEMS:**

- A. A statement describing the variance request and all the reasons why it complies with the criteria for variances provided in Section 2.6.5, specifically.

  THE CONDITIONS FOR GRANTING A VARIANCE: (SEE ATTACHED SHEET #4)
  - DO THE SPECIAL CONDITIONS AND/OR CIRCUMSTANCES EXIST WHICH AFFECT ONLY THE LAND OR STRUCTURE IN QUESTION AND NO OTHER SURROUNDING OR SIMILAR PROPERTIES?
  - 2. WOULD LITERAL INTERPRETATION OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE DEPRIVE THE OWNER/APPLICANT OF RIGHTS COMMONLY ENJOYED BY OTHER PROPERTIES IN THE SAME ZONING DISTRICT?
  - 3. ARE THE SPECIAL CONDITIONS OR CIRCUMSTANCES NOT CAUSED BY THE OWNER/APPLICANT?
  - 4. WOULD THE REQUESTED VARIANCE NOT GIVE THE OWNER/APPLICANT ANY SPECIAL PRIVLEGES OR RIGHTS NOT SHARED BY OWNERS OF SIMILAR PROPERTIES?
- B. The property address and the name and mailing address of the owner of each lot within 300 feet of the subject property and a map with parcels keyed to the ownership and address data.
- C. Site plans, preliminary building elevation, preliminary improvement plans, or other maps or drawings, sufficiently dimensioned as required to illustrate the following, to the extent related to their variance application:
  - Existing and proposed location and arrangement of uses on the site, and on abutting sites within 100 feet.
  - ii. Existing and proposed site improvements, buildings, and other structures on the site, and any off-site improvements related to or necessitated by the proposed use. Building elevations shall be sufficient to indicate the general height, bulk, scale, and architectural character.
  - iii. Existing and proposed topography, grading, landscaping, and screening, irrigation facilities, and erosion control measures.
  - iv. Existing and proposed parking, loading, and traffic and pedestrian circulation features, both on the site and any off-site facilities or improvement related to or necessitated by the proposed use.
  - v. The Zoning Administrator may request additional information necessary to enable a complete analysis and evaluation of the variance request, and determination as to whether the circumstances prescribed for the granting of a variance exist.
  - vi. A fee established by the City Council shall accompany the application. A single application may include request for variances from more than one regulation applicable to the same site, or for similar variances on two or more adjacent parcels with similar characteristics.
- D. Payment of fee for Variance request: \$100.00 as per Ordinance 2012-020

#### STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING

As the applicant or owner/s for the requested Variance in the City of Diamondhead, I (we) understand the following:

The application fee of \$100.00 must be paid prior to the acceptance of the application. Further, that if the application is withdrawn for any reason that the application fee is forfeited to the City of Diamondhead.

As the applicant or owner/s, I (we), or the designed representative, must be present at the public hearing.

That all information provided with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

That this application represents only property owned by me (us) and that any other adjoining property owners must apply for a Variance on his own behalf.

That all required attachments have been provided to the City of Diamondhead.

That additional information may be required by the Planning Commission prior to final disposition.

The City Council will not accept new case evidence once the recommendation has been made by the Planning Commission. If new evidence needs to be presented, the applicant will need to request that the matter be referred back to the Planning Commission for review.

The Public Hearing will be held on <u>December 4 H, 2025</u> at <u>6 p.m.</u> in the Council Chambers of the Diamondhead City Hall.

If a continuance of the hearing is necessary at my (our) request, the request must be made to the Zoning Official a minimum of seven (7) days prior to the hearing If such request is not made in writing, I understand that a new application must be filed and an application fee paid to the City.

If the application is denied by the City Council, a new application for the subject property may not be submitted for one (1) year from the date of denial.

Signature of Applicant	Signature of Property Owner
For Officia	al Use Only
(+) \$100,00 (+) Copy of Deed, Lease or Contract (+) Site Plan (*) Parking Spaces (**) List of Property Owner	() Application Signed () Written Project Description () Drainage Plan NA() () Notarized Statement NA()

## REQUIRED ITEM A

Property Owner Shawn Boths
Street Address 640 Juko Ct. Statement Describing Variance Request
The reasons why it complies with the criteria for variances:
1. DO THE SPECIAL CONDITIONS AND/OR CIRCUMSTANCES EXIST WHICH AFFECT ONLY THE LAND OR STRUCTURE IN QUESTION AND NO OTHER SURROUNDING OR STANDARD AFFECT ONLY THE LAND OR
Response: Due to the lot being on a cul-de-sac, the lot
This Dushed the land
than normal and made auxiliary shed pushed further back.
2. WOULD LITERAL INTERPRETATION OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE DEPRIVE THE OWNER/APPLIANT OF RIGHTS COMMONLY ENJOYED BY OTHER PROPERTIES IN THE SAME ZONING DISTRICT?  Response: Other Cul-clc-Sac lots axed Vasianes de casad
Lit structures on their lots.
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caused all structures to be pushed buck
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