

AGENDA ITEM & RECOMMENDATION SUMMARY

MEETING DATE: September 24, 2025

PRESENTED BY: Xavier Cervantes, AICP, CPM – Director of Planning

AGENDA ITEM: Tabled: Public hearing and consideration of a variance request to allow a 15 foot

rear setback instead of the required 20 feet for a pool house, being Lot 36, Shary Palms UT 7 Subdivision, located at 2004 E. 20th Street, Applicant: Guillermo

Guerrero - Cervantes

NATURE OF REQUEST:

Project Timeline:

August 7, 20255 – Application for Variance Request submitted to the City.

- August 19, 2025 In accordance with State and local law, notice of the required public hearings mailed to all property owners within 200 feet of the subject tract and notice of public hearing was published in the Progress Times.
- August 27, 2025 Public hearing and consideration of the requested variance by the Zoning Board of Adjustments (ZBA). The item was tabled.
- September 24, 2025 Public hearing and reconsideration of the requested variance by the Zoning Board of Adjustments (ZBA).

Summary:

- This item was previously considered by ZBA on August 27, 2025 and was tabled. The board requested a revised site plan showing the location of the proposed pool within the property in order to make a determination. The applicant submitted a revised site plan
- The request is for a variance not to comply with Subdivision Plat Note #2, which states:
 - Setbacks are as follows:

Glasscock: 20' Rear: 10 feet

 Where a building setback has been established by plat or ordinance and such setback requires a greater or lesser rear yard setback than is prescribed by this article for the district in which the building is located, the required rear yard setback shall comply with the building line so established by plat or ordinance.

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- Section 1.371(2)(d) of Appendix A of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Mission, Texas, which states:
 - An accessory use customarily related to a principal use authorized in this district. Furthermore, any non-living accessory structure such as a carport or a garage, whether as an addition or as a detached building, shall not exceed 800 square feet, and shall not exceed 15 feet in total height as measured to the top of its roof. No carport, whether temporary or not, shall have a roof composed of tarp or canvas. Fabric-like material will be allowed with the stipulation that it has to be maintained at all times. However, if the

primary structure's living area total more than 2,000 square feet, the building shall not exceed a maximum size equal to 40% of the primary structure's living area, and shall not exceed the primary structure's total height, as measured to the top of its roof. The applicant's main living space is 2,780 square feet, 40% of that is 1,112 square feet for non-living accessory structures. The applicant's existing non-living area is 956 square feet.

- The applicant is requesting a variance to construct an 800 square foot pool house within the 20' rear setback to Glasscock Road.
- Shary Palm UT 7 Subdivision was recorded on August 17, 1998. The irregular lot measures a total of 14,493 square feet. The subject site is located at the cul-de-sac of Cardinal and E. 20th Street
- The lots to the east, west, north, and south are developed as Single-Family Residences.
- The Planning staff has not received any objections to the request from the surrounding property owners. Staff mailed out 27 legal notices to surrounding property owners.
- Staff notes that ZBA granted a variance for this lot to have a 0' side setback for a shade porch and a 1.9' rear setback for a palapa on November 17, 2021.
- ZBA has considered the following variance within this subdivision.

Subdivision	Variance	Date	Recommendation
Lot 35	4' side setback	11/9/99	Approval
Lot 25	4.8' side setback	8/13/02	Approval
Lot 36	0' side &1.9' rear setbacks	11/17/21	Approval

- The City of Mission Code of Ordinances Appendix A Zoning, Section 1.17 states ZBA may:
 - "Permit the reconstruction, extension, or enlargement of a building occupied by a nonconforming use on the lot or tract occupied by such building provided such reconstruction does not prevent the return of such property to a conforming use", and
 - "Authorize in specific cases a variance from the terms of a zoning ordinance if the variance is not contrary to the public interest and, due to special conditions, a literal enforcement of the ordinance would result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance is observed and substantial justice is done."
- There is a state law, HB 1475, that allows variances to be granted if:
 - The financial cost of compliance is greater than 50 percent of the appraised value of the structure as shown on the most recent appraisal roll certified to the assessors for the municipality under Section 26.01, Tax Code;
 - Compliance would result in a loss to the lot on which the structure is located of at least
 25 percent of the area on which development may physically occur;
 - Compliance would result in the structure not complying with a requirement of a municipal ordinance, building code, or other department;
 - Compliance would result in the unreasonable encroachment on an adjacent property or easement; or
 - o The municipality considers the structure to be nonconforming.

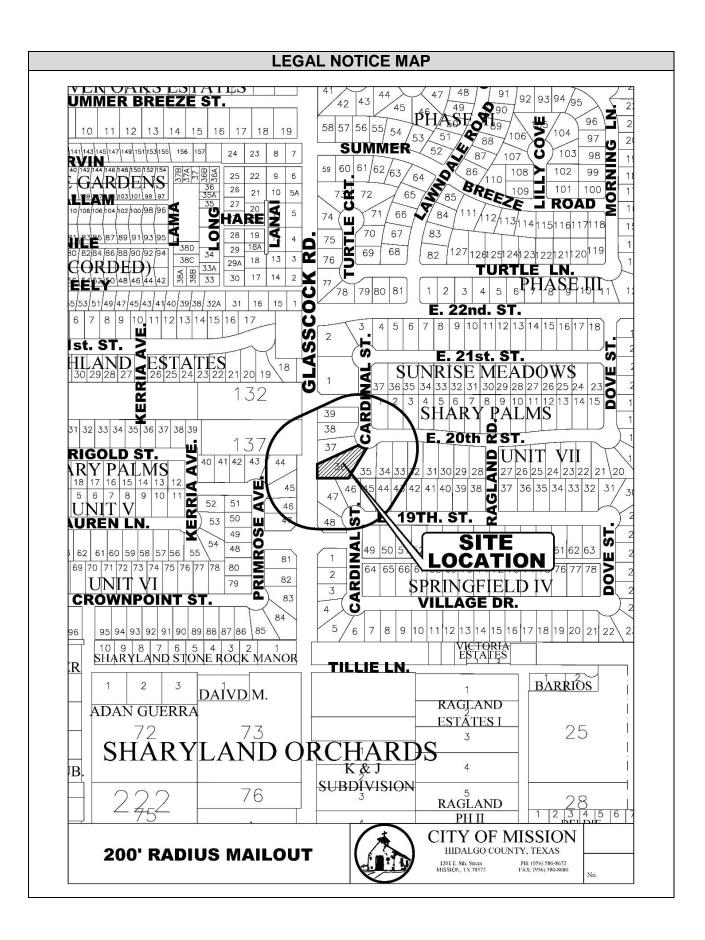
STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends disapproval of the variance request as:

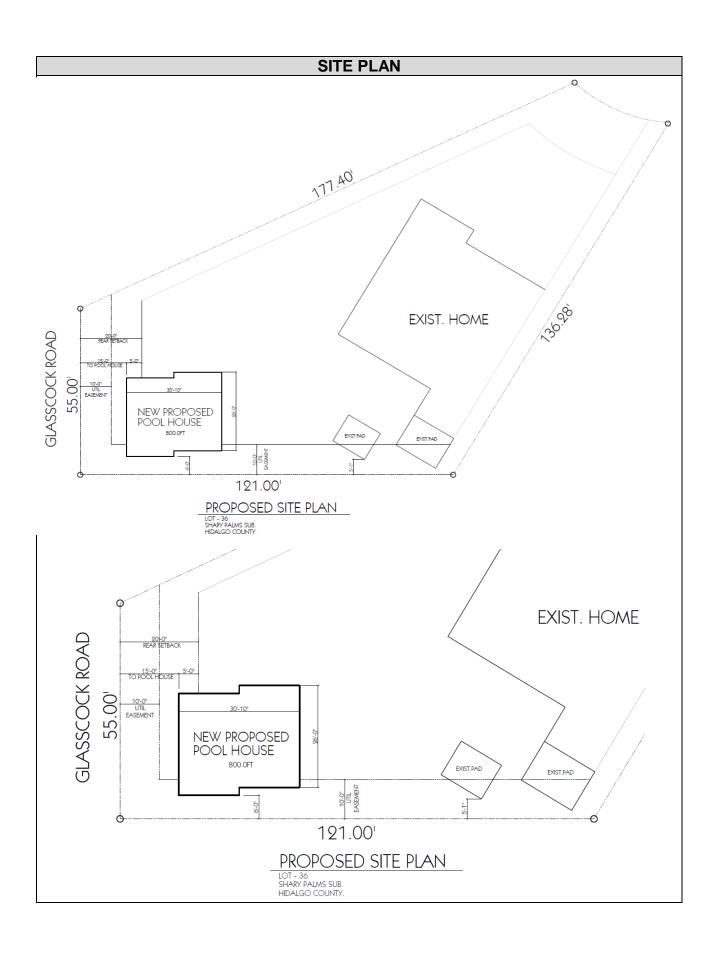
- 1. The request does not meet the standards for the issuance of a variance as described in the City of Mission Code of Ordinances;
- 2. The structure was built without a permit, and
- 3. This is a self-imposed hardship.

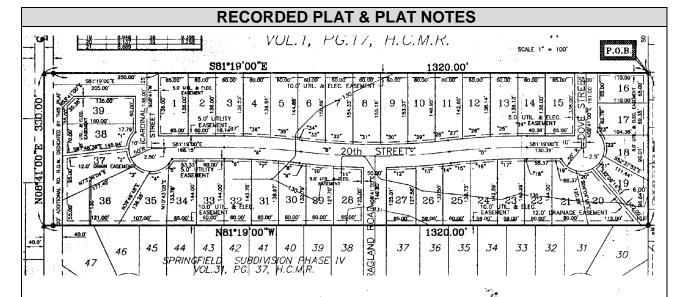
However, if ZBA is inclined to approve this variance request then the applicant would need to comply with the following: 1) Sign a hold harmless agreement stating that the structure will remain perpetually "open and to its footprint" and if the structure is ever removed, the prevailing setbacks shall be complied with thereafter, 2) obtaining a building permit, and 3) paying a double permit fee.

RECORD OF VOTE:	APPROVED: DISAPPROVED: TABLED:	
AYES		
NAYS		
DISSENTING		



ARIEL MAP 10° FRONT SETBACK 5° U. E. 6' SIDE SETBACK 6 SIDE SETBACK 20' REAR SETBACK (AS PER PLAT) 10° UTILITY EASEMENT





GENERAL NOTES:

ANTICIPATED WATER CREATED BY A 100 YEAR STORM WILL NOT POND IN
THIS SUBDIVISION. THIS SUBDIVISION IS IN ZONE "X" ON
FEMA'S FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP COMMUNITY PANEL No.
480345 0005C MAP REVISED NOVEMBER 20, 1991.
 ZONE "X" AREAS OF 500—YEAR FLOOD; AREAS OF 100—YEAR FLOOD WITH
AVERAGE DEPTHS OF LESS THAN 1 FOOT OR WITH DRAINAGE LESS THAN
1 SQUARE MILE; AND AREAS PROTECTED BY LEVEES FROM 100—YEAR FLOOD

2. SETBACKS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

GLASSCOCK: 20'

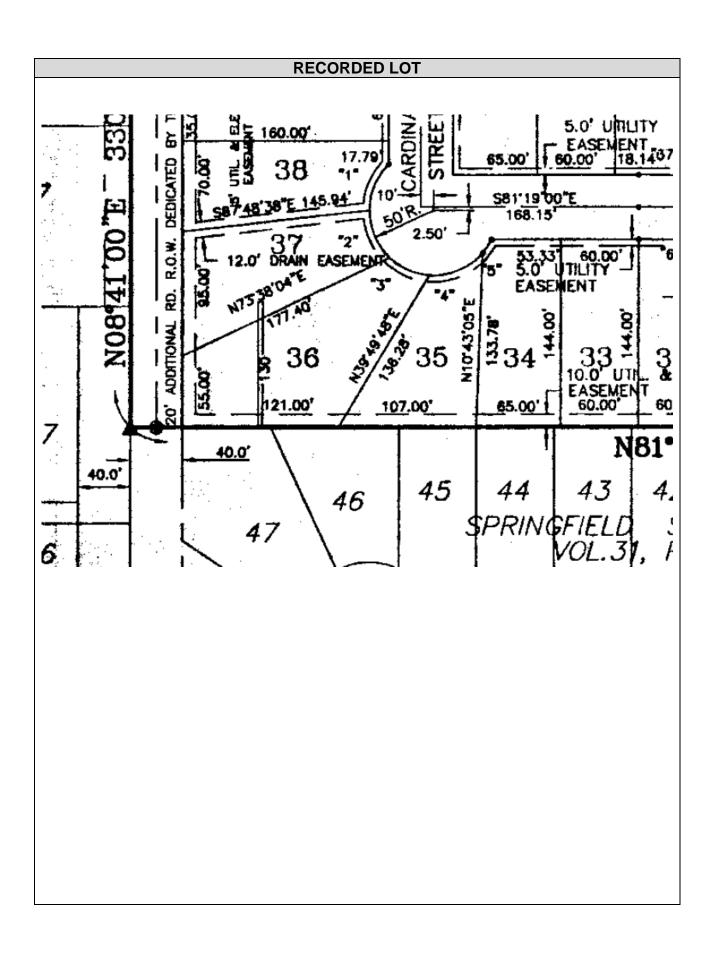
FRONT: 20 FEET; 10 FEET AT CUL-DE-SAC,

GARAGE 18 FEET EXCEPT WHERE GREATER SETBACK IS REQUIRED

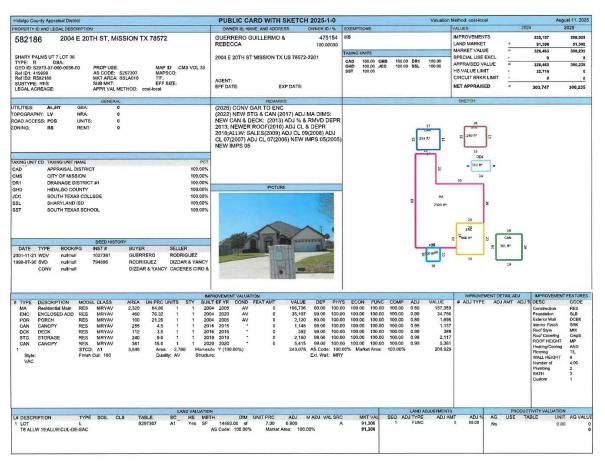
REAR: 10 FEET

SIDE: 8 FEET, AT STREET SHALL BE 10 FEET.

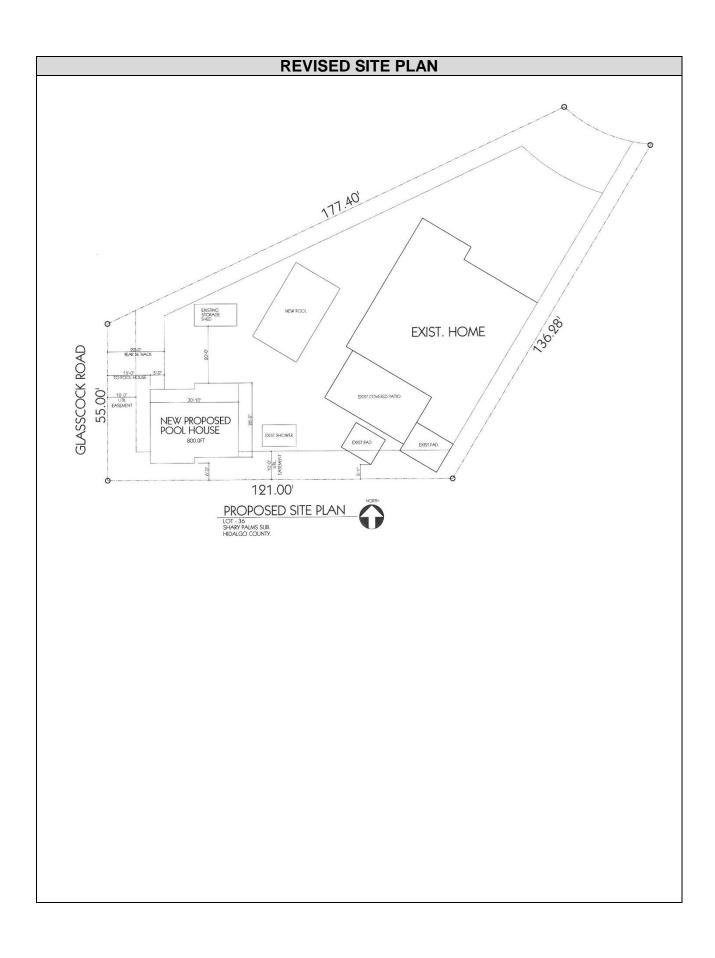
- 3. MINIMUM PERMISSIBLE FINISHED FLOOR ELEVATIONS FOR ALL BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS IS 18" ABOVE NATURAL GROUND.
- 4. BENCH MARK: "X" CUT SET ON TOP OF THE EAST SIDE BULT OF FIRE HYDRANT. FIRE HYDRANT LOCATED 20.50' WEST, & 55.00' NORTH OF THIS SUBDIMISION ELEY. = 133.18
- NO STRUCTURES PERMITTED OVER ANY EASEMENTS.
- EACH LOT SHALL BE REQUIRED TO RETAIN __1071... CF. 그만 00 5.0' SIDEWALK REQUIRED ALONG GLASSCOCK RD. BY DEVEL 7. ALL OTHERS DURING PERMIT STAGE. ñ ᄪᆖ \mathbf{D} ıπ. ₹0. n T E NO ENTRY TO LOTS 36-39 FROM CLASSCOCK ROAD. H-1 8. TE: 8.0' FENCE BUFFER REQUIRED ALONG THE WEST SIDE OF HOTE 000 9. 医电台 ゴゆ ONLY ONE RESIDENCE PER LOT. 10. _0 o, z



APPRAISAL DISTRICT INFORMATION



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684222	\$7355-00-000-0001-00	RAMIREZ JAIME & ANGELICA	1822 N GLASSCOCK RD	MISSION	TX	78572-3127			
582152	S2973-07-000-0002-00	DREUMONT GLADYS CARLA	2009 E 20TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3224			
582153	S2973-07-000-0003-00	LEVECK MATTHEW	2011 E 20TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3224			
582151	S2973-07-000-0001-00	AYALA MINERVA	2007 E 20TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3224			
582188	S2973-07-000-0038-00	ESPARZA FERNANDA	2001 CARDINAL ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3459			
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556890	\$5451-04-000-0044-00	WESTON ROBERT H & CRISTA A	2009 E 19TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3286			
582187	S2973-07-000-0037-00	PEREZ EVANGELINA SALDANA	2002 EAST 20TH STREET	MISSION	TX	78572-3201			
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563561	S2973-05-000-0046-00	VILLANUEVA ERICK A ALONSO	1704 PRIMROSE AVE	MISSION	TX	78572-3149			
563560	\$2973-05-000-0045-00	CHAVEZ FIDEL JR & IRMA	1706 PRIMROSE AVE	MISSION	TX	78572			
563558	S2973-05-000-0043-00	HICKS THOMAS A & LORI M	3045 LADOGA AVE	LONG BEACH	CA	90808-4017			
563562	S2973-05-000-0047-00	RODRIGUEZ CASEY JEREMIAH	13919 N 34TH LN	MCALLEN	TX	78504-6717			
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556894	\$5451-04-000-0048-00	MARTINEZ JENNY G & LAZARO	PO BOX 720189	MCALLEN	TX	78504-0189			
556893	\$5451-04-000-0047-00	GALVAN CLAUDIO ALEJANDRO	1903 CARDINAL ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3472			
556892	\$5451-04-000-0046-00	VARELA ALEJANDRO	2005 E 19TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3286			
556891	\$5451-04-000-0045-00	SALINAS FERNANDO & BRIANA RODRIGUEZ	2007 E. 19TH ST.	MISSION	TX	78572			
556888	\$5451-04-000-0042-00	PENA SERGIO & BEATRIZ GONZALEZ	2013 E 19TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3286			
582184	S2973-07-000-0034-00	MALDONADO JESUS E LEAL	2008 E 20TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3201			
582183	S2973-07-000-0033-00	MAYORGA GUADALUPE A LEAL & SILVIA TREVINO E	2010 E 20TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3201			
582185	S2973-07-000-0035-00	MARTINEZ MOISES & PAULA	2006 E 20TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3201			
582186	S2973-07-000-0036-00	GUERRERO GUILLERMO & REBECCA	2004 E 20TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3201			
582182	S2973-07-000-0032-00	GARZA JESUS J J R & CRISELDA C	2012 E 20TH ST	MISSION	TX	78572-3201			
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