

AGENDA City of Lucas Board of Adjustments Meeting November 18, 2020 6:30 PM

Lucas City Hall and Video Conference 665 Country Club Road – Lucas, Texas

Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the Board of Adjustments of the City of Lucas will be held on Wednesday, November 18, 2020 at 6:30 pm at Lucas City Hall, 665 Country Club Road, Lucas, Texas at which time the following agenda will be discussed.

On March 16, 2020 Governor Abbott suspended some provisions of the Open Meetings Act in response to the COVID-19 emergency. In order to practice safe distancing, Lucas Board of Adjustments meetings will be open to on-site visitors in a limited capacity of 15 audience members. Board of Adjustments meetings will also be available through Zoom Webinar from your computer or smartphone. To join the meeting, please click this URL https://zoom.us/s/92980946752?pwd=Q1FLSGFzbWtLZG1oNUludVpuUGNldz09 and enter your name and email address. To join by phone: 1-346-248-7799 Webinar ID: 929 8094 6752 Passcode: 141510

Call to Order

- Roll Call
- Determination of Quorum
- Reminder to Silence Electronic Devices
- Pledge of Allegiance

Public Hearing Agenda

- 1. Public hearing to consider an application submitted by Charles and Tiffany Glover for a variance from Section 14.04.304(3)(B) of the City's Code of Ordinance to reduce the required side yard setback for an in-ground pool from 20 feet to 10 feet and one-inch for a parcel of land located at 200 Stanford Drive in Stonegate, Blk C, Lot 2, being all of a one-acre tract of land. (Development Services Director Joe Hilbourn)
 - A. Presentation by Development Services Director Joe Hilbourn
 - B. Conduct public hearing
 - C. Take action on the variance request

Regular Agenda

2. Consider approval of the minutes of the September 21, 2020 Board of Adjustments meeting. (City Secretary Stacy Henderson)

Executive Session Agenda

The Board of Adjustment may convene into a closed Executive Session pursuant to Chapter 551.071 of the Texas Government Code for the purpose of seeking confidential legal advice from the City Attorney regarding any item on the agenda at any time during the meeting.

- 3. Executive Session: An Executive Session is not scheduled for this meeting.
- 4. Adjournment.

Certification

I hereby certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the bulletin board at Lucas City Hall by 5:00 p.m. on November 12, 2020 as required in accordance with Government Code §551.041.

Stacy Henderson, TRMC

This building is wheelchair accessible. Any requests for sign interpretive services or other special requests for assistance of the hearing impaired must be made 48 hours in advance of the meeting. To make such arrangements, please call 972-912-1211 or send an email to Stacy Henderson at shenderson@lucastexas.us.



City of Lucas Board of Adjustments Agenda Request November 18, 2020

Requester: Development Services Director Joe Hilbourn

Agenda Item Request

Public hearing to consider an application submitted by Charles and Tiffany Glover for a variance from Section 14.04.304(3)(B) of the City's Code of Ordinance to reduce the required side yard setback for an in-ground pool from 20 feet to 10 feet and one-inch for a parcel of land located at 200 Stanford Drive in Stonegate, Blk C, Lot 2, being all of a one-acre tract of land.

- A. Presentation by Development Services Director Joe Hilbourn
- B. Conduct public hearing
- C. Take action on the variance request

Background Information

The applicant would like to deviate from the ordinance due to avoid cutting down trees and wanting the ability to view the pool from the back porch and create an aesthetic/logical walkway from the house to the pool.

The City's Code of Ordinances, Chapter 14, Zoning Section 14.04.304(3)(B) General accessory buildings and structures regulations requires the following:

- (3) Setbacks.
 - (B) In-ground swimming pools, sports courts, tennis courts and similar uses shall maintain a minimum rear yard setback of 25 feet, a minimum side yard setback of 20 feet and if the in-ground pool is in front of the main building it shall maintain a front setback of 300 feet. In-ground swimming pool setbacks shall be measured from the inside wall of said pool.

Attachments/Supporting Documentation

- 1. Public Hearing Notice
- 2. Application and depiction of proposed pool
- 3. Glover Tree Map
- 4. Location Map

Budget/Financial Impact

Item No. 01



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Recommendation

Staff recommends denying the variance request as presented. A variance of this nature requires a legal hardship, staff is unaware of any legal hardship.

Motion

I make a motion to approve/deny the variance from Section 14.04.304(3) of the City's Code of Ordinances requested by Charles and Tiffany Glover to reduce the required in-ground pool side yard setback from 20 feet to 10 feet and one inch for the property located at 200 Stanford Drive, Lucas Texas.



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Board of Adjustments of the City of Lucas, Texas will conduct a public hearing on November 18, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. at Lucas City Hall, 665 Country Club, Lucas, Texas to consider a request for a variance from the literal interpretation of the City's Code of Ordinances more particularly described as follows:

An application submitted by Cody and Tiffany Glover for a parcel of land located in Stonegate, Blk C, Lot 2, being all of a 1-acre tract of land, otherwise known as 200 Stanford Drive, Lucas Texas. The request is for a variance from the literal interpretation of the City's Code of Ordinance to reduce the required side yard set back from 20' to 10'1" for an inground pool.

The relevant portions of City's Code of Ordinances, Chapter 14, Zoning Sec. 14.04.304 General accessory buildings and structures regulations, read as follows:

- "(3) Setbacks.
- (B) In-ground swimming pools, sports courts, tennis courts and similar uses shall maintain a minimum rear yard setback of 25 feet, a minimum side yard setback of 20 feet and if the in-ground pool is in front of the main building it shall maintain a front setback of 300 feet. In-ground swimming pool setbacks shall be measured from the inside wall of said pool."

Those wishing to speak **FOR** or **AGAINST** the above item are invited to attend via Zoom. If you are unable to attend and have comments you may send them to City of Lucas, Attention: City Secretary, 665 Country Club Road, Lucas, Texas 75002, email shenderson@lucastexas.us and it will be presented at the hearing. If you have any questions about the request, please contact Joe Hilbourn at jhilbourn@lucastexas.us.



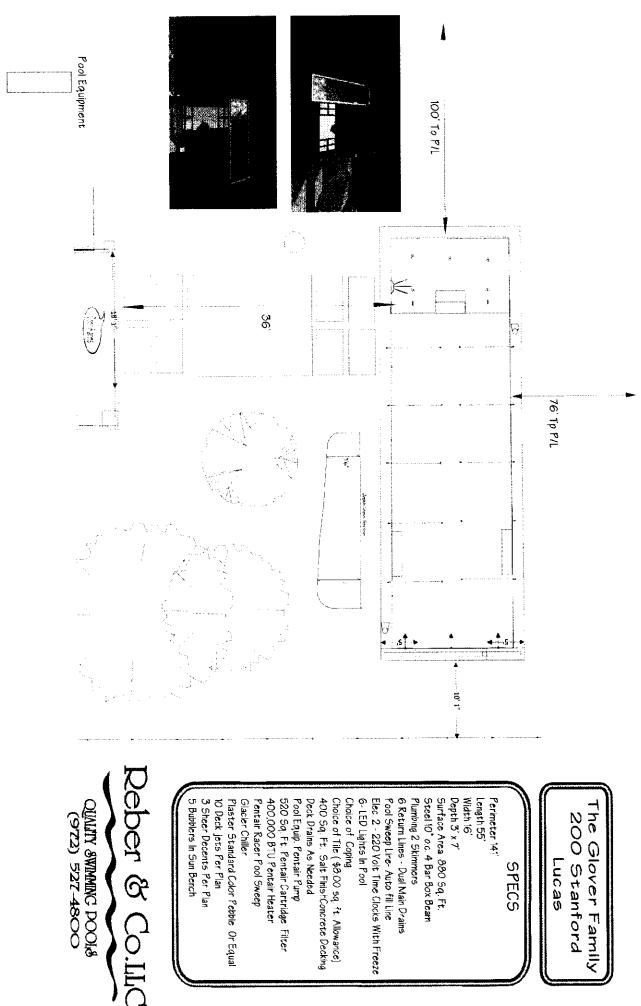
APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT CITY OF LUCAS

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PLEASE NOTE: Contact City Secretary for proper filing procedures. If applicant fails to appear without notice, the Board may require the applicant to re-file appeal.

EXPIRATION OF GRANDTED APPEAL: Approval of any appeal shall expire 90 days after the Board's decision unless authorized construction or occupancy permits have been obtained, or unless a greater time is requested in the application and is authorized by the Board. Any approval may be granted one extension of an additional 90 days on written request filed with the Board before expiration of original approval. The time limit for every granted appeal shall commence on the first day of the month succeeding the month in which the Board renders its decision.

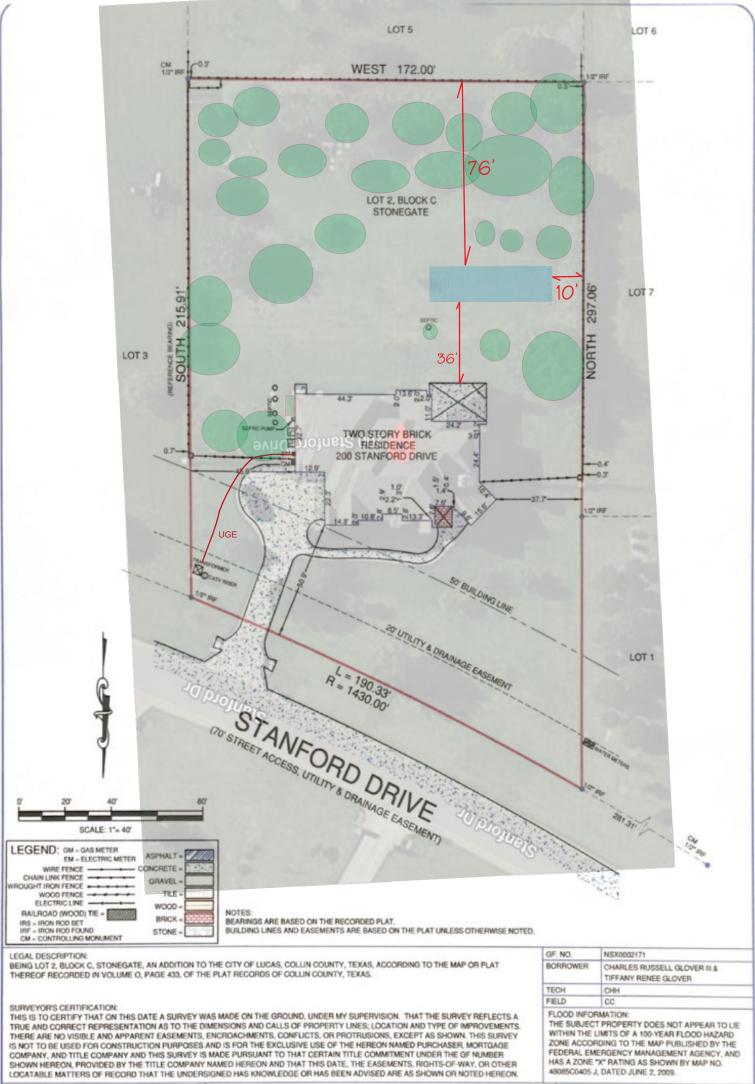
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DECISION OF THE BOARD:	DATE:
If not granted by the Board, state reason why:	
	CHAIRMAN

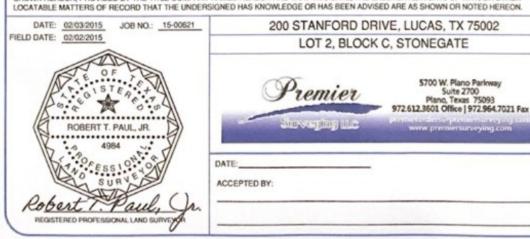


The Glover Family 200 Stanford Lucas

5 Bubblers In Sun Bench 520 Sq. Ft. Pentair Cartridge Filter 400,000 BTU Pentair Heater Choice of Tile (\$8.00 sq. ft. Allowance)
400 Sq. Ft. Salt FinishConcrete Decking 6- LED Lights In Pool Elec. 2 - 220 Volt Time Clocks With Freeze 6 Return Lines - Dual Main Drains Plumbing 2 Skimmers Steel 10" o.c. 4 Bar Box Beam Surface Area 880 Sq. Ft. 3 Sheer Decents Per Plan Pool Equip. Pentair Pump Pool Sweep Line- Auto fill Line Plaster Standard Color Pebble Or Equal Glacler Chiller Pentair Racer Pool Sweep Chaice of Coping Perimeter 141 10 Deck jets Per Plan SPECS

QUALITY SWIMMING POOLS (972) 527-4800









200 Stanford Drive









City of Lucas Board of Adjustments Agenda Request November 18, 2020

Requester: City Secretary Stacy Henderson

Agenda Item Request
Consider approval of the minutes of the September 21, 2020 Board of Adjustments meeting.
Background Information
NA
Attachments/Supporting Documentation
1. Minutes from the September 21, 2020 Board of Adjustments meeting.
Budget/Financial Impact
NA
Recommendation
NA
Motion
I make a motion to approve/deny the minutes from the September 21, 2020 Board of Adjustments meeting as presented.



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Minutes

Call to Order

In the absence of Chairman Bierman, a motion was made by Mr. Foster calling for Mr. Blythe to act as Committee Chairman for the evening. The motion was seconded by Mr. Redman and passed unanimously with a vote of 4 to 0.

Acting Chairman Blythe called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. and noted that Alternate Member Michael Dunn would be serving as a voting member. Acting Chairman Blythe led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Members Present:

Staff Present:

James Foster Brian Blythe Tom Redman City Manager Joni Clarke Development Services Director Joe Hilbourn City Secretary Stacy Henderson City Attorney Courtney Morris

Present via Teleconference:

Michael Dunn

Absent:

Chairman Chris Bierman Ron Poteete Brenda Rizos

Acting Chairman Blythe identified all witnesses that would be presenting before the Board, including City staff members, residents Teagon Counts, Tom Tolson and Kent Poteet, and conducted the swearing in process for all witnesses.

Public Hearing Agenda

1. Public hearing to consider an application submitted by Teagan Counts for a variance from the literal interpretation of Section 14.04.304(3) of the City's Code of Ordinances to reduce the required side yard setback for an accessory building from 20 feet to 16 feet for a parcel of land located at 511 Oakbrook in the Forest Creek Estates, Blk 4, Lot 3, being all of a 2.0520-acre tract of land.

Development Services Director Joe Hilbourn gave a presentation noting that the applicant had applied for a variance from Section 14.04.0304(3) of the City's Code of Ordinances to reduce the required side yard setback for an accessory building from 20 feet to 16 feet for the property located at 511 Oakbrook in the Forest Creek Estates. Mr. Hilbourn noted that the applicant was requesting to deviate from the ordinance due to not having adequate space to get into his garage with the 20-foot setback and being forced to conduct a three-point turn to get into the proposed detached garage.

Mr. Hilbourn noted that City staff was recommending denial of the variance request as presented, as there was not a legal hardship.

The applicant, Teagon Counts, explained that he had approached the homeowners association to alter the plans for placement of the garage with the garage doors facing another direction, but was denied. With the garage doors having to be placed towards the home, per the homeowners association requirements, garage access was more difficult, and a three-point turn was required. The Board discussed possible alternatives for placement of the garage on the property as well as continuing to work with the homeowners association to receive accommodations for an alternate plan.

Acting Chairman Blythe opened the public hearing at 6:35 pm and read letters into the record from the following individuals:

Tommy Tolson: opposed to the request. Kent Barnes: opposed to the request.

There being no one wishing to speak, the public hearing was closed at 6:45 pm.

MOTION:

A motion was made by Mr. Foster, seconded by Mr. Redman to deny the variance from Section 14.04.304(3) of the City's Code of Ordinances requested by Teagan Counts to reduce the required side yard setback from 20 feet to 16 feet for the property located at 511 Oakbrook, Lucas, Texas. The motion to deny passed unanimously by a 4 to 0 vote.

Regular Agenda

2. Consider approval of the minutes of the August 25, 2020 Board of Adjustments meeting.

MOTION: A motion was made by Mr. Foster, seconded by Mr. Dunn to approve the minutes as presented. The motion passed unanimously by a 4 to 0 vote.

3.	Consider setting a monthly meeting day and time to hold Board of Adjustment meetings.		
MOT	ION:	A motion was made by Mr. Redman, seconded by Mr. Foster to establish the 4 th Wednesday of each month at 6:30 pm as the regular day and time for Board of Adjustment meetings. The motion passed unanimously by a 4 to 0 vote.	
Exec	utive	Session Agenda	
4.	Exec	eutive Session.	
An Ex	ecutiv	e Session did not occur at this meeting.	
5.	Adjo	ournment.	
		as made by Mr. Foster, seconded by Mr. Redman to adjourn the meeting at 6:51 pm. passed unanimously by a 4 to 0 vote.	

Stacy Henderson, City Secretary

Brian Blythe, Acting Chairman