The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes Committee of Adjustment Report – Martinsons and Turylo

Report Number COA2020-020

Public Meeting

Meeting Date:

August 19, 2020

Time:

1:00 pm

Location:

Council Chambers, City Hall, 26 Francis Street, Lindsay

Ward 6 - Geographic Township of Fenelon

Subject: The purpose and effect is to request relief from the following provisions in order to permit the construction of a detached garage:

- 1. Section 13.2.1.3(a) to reduce the minimum front yard setback from 7.5 metres to 2.68 metres; and
- 2. Section 3.1.4.1(b) to increase the distance eaves and gutters are permitted to project into a required yard from 0.6 metres to 0.92 metres. The result being that the garage eaves will be 1.7 metres from the front lot line.

The variances are requested at 17 Gardiner Shore Avenue, geographic Township of Fenelon (File D20-2020-016).

Author: David Harding, Planner II, RPP, MCIP

Signature:

Jamil Harding

Recommendation:

Resolved That Report COA2020-020 Valdis Martinsons and Catharine Turylo be received;

That minor variance application D20-2020-016 be GRANTED, as the application meets the tests set out in Section 45(1) of the Planning Act.

Conditions:

- 1) That the construction of the detached garage related to this approval shall proceed substantially in accordance with the sketch in Appendix C and elevation in Appendix D submitted as part of Report COA2020-020, which shall be attached to and form part of the Committee's Decision; and
- 2) That the building construction related to the minor variance shall be completed within a period of twenty-four (24) months after the date of the Notice of Decision, failing which this application shall be deemed to be refused. This condition will be considered fulfilled upon completion of the first Building Inspection.

This approval pertains to the application as described in report COA2020-020. Fulfillment of all conditions is required for the Minor Variances to be considered final and binding.

Background:

The application was deemed complete May 15, 2020.

Proposal:

To construct an approximately 14.02 x 7.92 metre (46' x 26') detached garage within the front yard. The garage is proposed

to have eaves deeper than 0.6 metres.

Owners:

Valdis Martinsons and Catharine Turylo

Applicant:

Gerald Hood - Integrity Home and Cottage

Legal Description: Plan 295, Lot 12

Official Plan:

Waterfront within the City of Kawartha Lakes Official Plan

(2012).

Zone:

Rural Residential Type Three (RR3) Zone within the Township

of Fenelon Zoning By-law 12-95.

Site Size:

1,777 square metres

Site Servicing:

Private individual sewage system and lake-based water supply

Existing Uses:

Vacant Land

Adjacent Uses:

North – Cameron Lake

South - Vacant Rural Land

East and West - Shoreline Residential

Rationale:

1) Are the variances minor in nature? Yes And

2) Is the proposal desirable and appropriate for the use of the land? Yes

The subject property is within a shoreline residential neighbourhood on the southern shores of Cameron Lake.

A dwelling spanning most of the width of the lot is proposed closer to the shoreline, with a sewage system to the immediate south of the dwelling's footprint. The garage is proposed in the yard area that remains after the appropriate setbacks to the proposed sewage system are applied.

The proposed garage will provide additional storage and workshop space on the property.

The placement of the garage will not impede the ability to provide maintenance to its east and southern walls nor the yard abutting these walls.

Staff understands that the eave projections are proposed for architectural reasons, and do not increase the functionality of the outside of the building along the south and eastern faces where the eave reductions are sought.

Due to the above analysis, the variances are minor in nature and desirable and appropriate for the use of the land.

3) Do the variances maintain the intent and purpose of the Zoning By-law? Yes

The property is zoned Rural Residential Type Three (RR3) Zone within the Township of Fenelon Zoning By-law 12-95.

The General Provisions section permits a detached garage within the front yard of a shoreline lot provided it complies with the setback provisions of the RR3 Zone. The intent of the by-law is to ensure the detached garage does not adversely impact the character of the neighbourhood, impact sight lines, or snow storage.

The garage door is proposed to face west, perpendicular to the road. As such no vehicle will be backing out onto the road directly from the garage. The orientation of the garage also permits snow storage along the majority of the lot's road frontage, save and except the small width where the driveway entrance connects with the road.

While the garage wall facing the road is long (~14 metres), the lot is quite wide at about 28 metres. This leaves 11.14 metres between the garage face and the west lot line. The wide frontage allows a longer building face to be absorbed on the lot. Façade work is proposed to the south-facing wall to add visual interest and ensure a more residential rather than utilitarian appearance for the purposes of maintaining the residential character of the neighbourhood. Cultured stone is proposed on approximately 60% of the lower part of the wall, with vinyl cladding above. The two materials break up the façade to add visual interest to the wall. Two frosted windows are also proposed to add further visual interest and residential character.

The garage will compliment the residential streetscape of the neighbourhood and no adverse massing impacts are anticipated as a result of its construction.

The eaves, while projecting further into the front and eastern interior side yard, are not anticipated to cause any adverse massing impacts or maintenance issues as 1.77 and 2.11 metres respectively remains within each yard between the eave and respective lot lines.

Therefore, the variances maintain the general intent and purpose of the Zoning By-Law.

4) Do the variances maintain the intent and purpose of the Official Plan? Yes

The property is within the Waterfront designation of the City of Kawartha Lakes Official Plan. Within this designation, shoreline residential uses along with their accessory uses are anticipated.

In consideration of the above the variances maintain the general intent and purpose of the Official Plan.

Other Alternatives Considered:

No other alternatives have been considered at this time.

Servicing Comments:

The property is proposed to be serviced by a private sewage system and lake-based water supply.

Consultations:

Notice of this application was circulated in accordance with the requirements of the Planning Act. Comments were received from:

Agency Comments:

Development Engineering Division (August 11, 2020): No objections.

Kawartha Region Conservation Authority (August 7, 2020): No concerns.

Building Division, Part 8 Sewage Systems (July 1, 2020): No concerns with the application. The proposed Class 4 sewage system cannot be placed in an alternative location and maintain the required clearance distance to the lake.

Public Comments:

No comments were received as of August 11, 2020.

Attachments:



Appendices A-E to Report COA2020-02

Appendix A – Location Map

Appendix B – Aerial Photo

Appendix C – Applicant's Sketch

Appendix D – Applicant's Elevations

Appendix E – Department and Agency Comments

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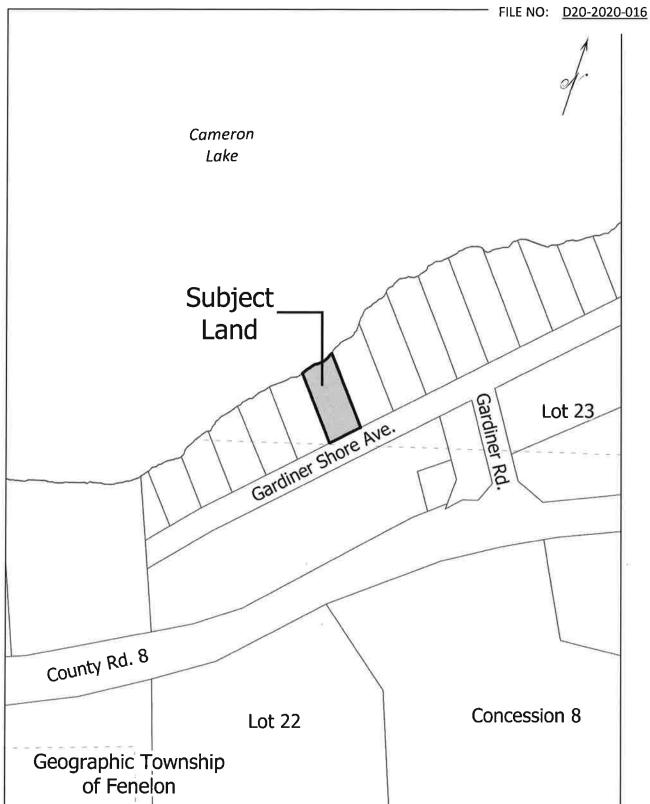
Chris Marshall, Director of Development Services

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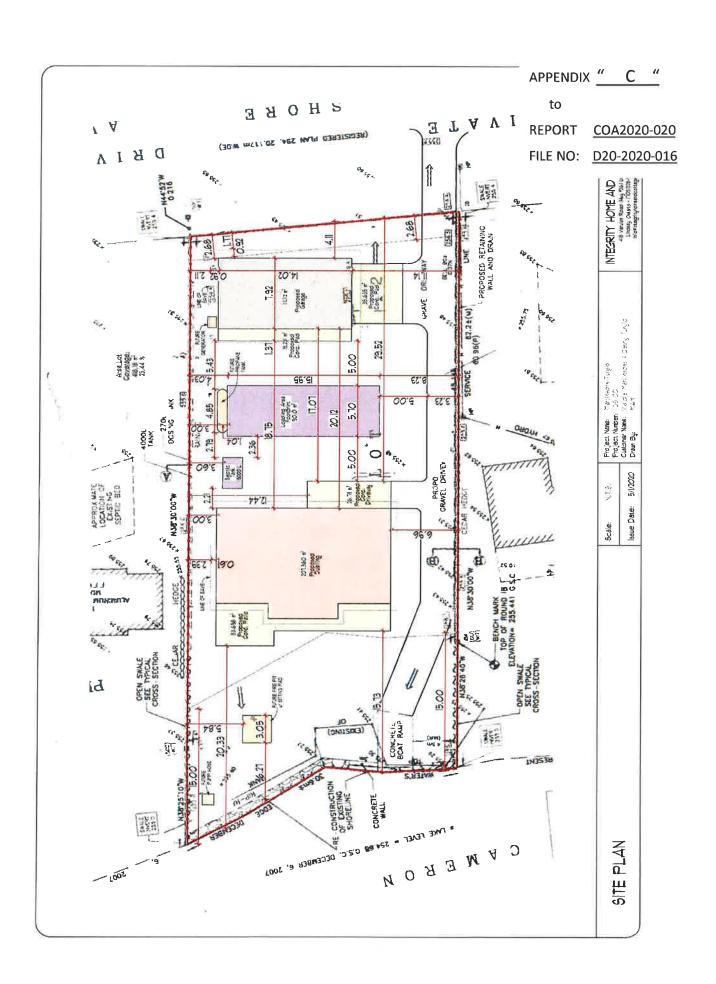
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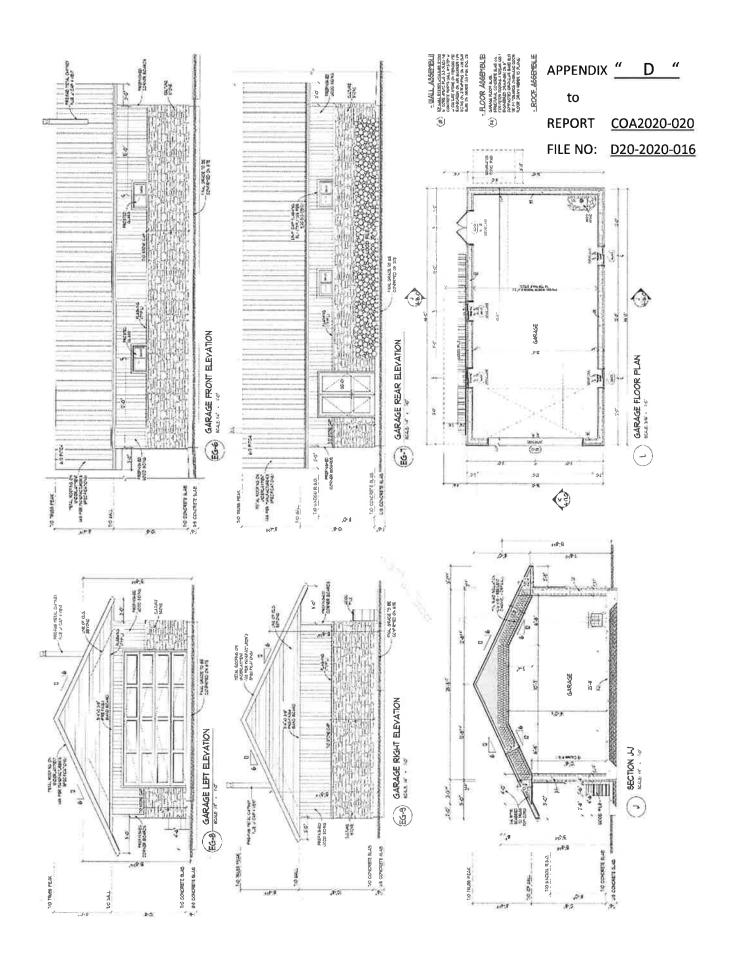
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Kent Stainton

From:

Erin McGregor <emcgregor@kawarthaconservation.com>

Sent:

Friday, August 7, 2020 9:13 AM

To:

Charlotte Crockford-Toomey Comments for D20-2020-016 and D20-2020-021 KRCA

Subject:

APPENDIX *

Good Morning Charlotte,

FILE NO. 120-2020-016

I'm working remotely with reduced hours still, so I hope you can accept this email in lieu of the letter we would normally

D20-2020-016 - 17 Gardiner Shore Rd No concern D20-2020-021 - 15 Rockaway Trail No concern

Erin McGregor **Resources Planner Technician KAWARTHA CONSERVATION** 277 Kenrei Road Lindsay, ON K9V 4R1

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D20-2020-021 - From an engineering perspective, we have no objection to the proposed Minor Variance.

Please do not hesitate to contact our office if you have any questions.

Thanks, Kirk

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Kent Stainton

From:

Anne Elmhirst

Sent:

Wednesday, July 1, 2020 11:42 PM

To:

Charlotte Crockford-Toomey

Subject:

D20-2020-016 - 17 Gardiner Shore Road

Follow Up Flag:

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Hello Charlotte.

I have received and reviewed the application for minor variance to request allowances for the construction of the garage in closer proximity to the road and side yard property lines.

I have received an application for a sewage system permit to install a Class 4 Alternative Sewage System to service the proposed dwelling. The site plan included with the application demonstrates the required size for the proposed system. As well, the sewage system cannot be placed in an alternate location and maintain the required clearance distances to the lake.

As such, the Building Division – Sewage System Program has no concerns with the minor variance proposal.

Best Regards,

Anne Elmhirst C.P.H.I.(C), B.A.Sc., B.Sc.

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