

BUILDING & ZONING DEPARTMENT

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Zoning & Planning Division

Environmental Division

MEMORANDUM

TO: DuPage County Board

FROM: DuPage County Development Committee

DATE: October 17, 2023

RE: ZONING-23-000060 Taft (Milton/ District 4)

DuPage County Board: September 24, 2023:

<u>Development Committee: October 17, 2023:</u> The DuPage County Development Committee recommended to approve the following zoning relief:

Variation to reduce the interior side setback from 3" to approximately 0", for a proposed fence on the property line.

Subject to the following conditions:

- 1. That the property be developed in accordance with the petitioner's site plan made part of Zoning Petition #ZONING-23-000060 Taft dated September 27, 2023.
- 2. That the owner/developer is to apply for and receive a Building Permit for all construction and/or excavation that occurs on the property.
- 3. That the property be developed in accordance with all other codes and Ordinances of DuPage County.

Development Committee VOTE (to Approve): 5 Ayes, 0 Nays, 1 Absent

Zoning Hearing Officer: September 27, 2023: The Zoning Hearing Officer recommended to approve the following zoning relief:

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ZHO Recommendation to Approve

FINDINGS OF FACT:

- A. That petitioner testified that he and his adjacent neighbor, Josh McCann, both requested the same Variation in order to share a fence on their shared interior side property line and that their neighbor's case number is ZONING-23-000058 McCann
 - a. Further, that the Zoning Hearing Officer combined both cases (ZONING-23-000058 McCann and ZONING-23-000060 Taft) to be heard together for the public hearing.
- B. That petitioner testified that he requested the subject zoning relief in order to construct a proposed fence on the shared property line, and that due to the existing driveway location of his adjacent neighbor, the subject fence will be located on the shared property line and that petitioner is required to request the subject zoning relief to meet the technical requirements of a 3" setback.
- C. That the Hearing Officer finds that petitioner demonstrated evidence for a practical difficulty and particular hardship as the location of the adjacent neighbor's driveway and proposed fence on the property line requires petitioner to request the subject zoning relief to construct the proposed fence.

STANDARDS FOR VARIATIONS:

*Per Zoning Code Section 37-1411.3

- 1. That the Zoning Hearing Officer finds that petitioner **has demonstrated** that the granting of the Variation is in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Zoning Ordinance, and will not be injurious to the neighborhood, detrimental to the public welfare, or in conflict with the County's comprehensive plan for development.
- 2. That the Zoning Hearing Officer finds that petitioner **has demonstrated** the granting of the Variation will not:
 - a. Impair an adequate supply of light and air to the adjacent property as petitioner **has demonstrated** that the proposed fence will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to the adjacent properties.

- b. Increase the hazard from fire or other dangers to said property as petitioner **has demonstrated** that the proposed fence will be built pursuant to all current building codes.
- c. Diminish the value of land and buildings throughout the County as petitioner **has demonstrated** that the proposed fence will not diminish the value of land and buildings throughout the County.
- d. Unduly increase traffic congestion in the public streets and highways as petitioner **has demonstrated** that the proposed fence will be located behind the front wall of the house and will not unduly increase traffic congestion in the public streets and highways.
- e. Increase the potential for flood damages to adjacent property as petitioner **has demonstrated** that the proposed fence will not increase the potential for flood damages to adjacent property.
- f. Incur additional public expense for flood protection, rescue or relief as petitioner **has demonstrated** that the proposed fence will not incur additional public expense for flood protection, rescue, or relief.
- g. Otherwise impair the public health, safety, comfort, morals, or general welfare of the inhabitants of DuPage County as petitioner **has demonstrated** that the proposed fence will be built in the rear of the property, will be an added benefit to the area, and will not impair the public health, safety, comfort, morals, or general welfare of the inhabitants of DuPage County.

PETITIONER'S DEVELOPMENT FACT SHEET

	GENERAL ZONING CASE INFORMATION						
	CASE #/PETITIONER ZONING-23-000060 Taft						
ZONING REQUEST		Variation to reduce the interior side setback from 3" to					
Zomio Reguesi		approximately 0" for a proposed fence on the property line.					
OWNER		STEVEN TAFT, 22W541 BALSAM DRIVE, GLEN					
UWINER		ELLYN, IL 60137/ AGENT: JOSH D. MCCANN, 22W531					
		BALSAM DRIVE, GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137					
ADDRESS/LOCATION		22W541 BALSAM DRIVE, GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137					
PIN		05-35-112-004					
TWSP./CTY. BD. DIST.		MILTON	DISTRICT 4				
ZONING/LUP		R-4 SF RES	0-5 DU AC				
AREA							
UTILITIES		0.26 ACRES (11,326 SQ. FT.)					
		WATER AND SEWER					
PUBLICATION DATE PUBLIC HEARING		Daily Herald: SEPTEMBER 12, 2023 WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2023					
		,	BER 21, 2023				
ADDITIONAL IN							
Building:		No Objections.					
DUDOT:		Our office has no jurisdiction in this matter.					
Health:		Our office has no jurisdiction in this matter.					
Stormwater:		bjections with the concept of	±				
		nation may be required at ti					
Public Works:	Our c	Our office has no jurisdiction in this matter.					
EXTERNAL:							
City of Wheaton:		No Comments Received.					
Village of Glen	No Comments Received.						
Ellyn:							
Village of Lisle:		Our office has no jurisdiction in this matter. "Subject property is					
		de of the Village's Boundary					
Village of			planning boundaries, we have no				
Lombard:	comn	nents on the petition."					
Village of	"The	"The Village of Downers Grove has no comment."					
Downers Grove:							
Milton Township:	No C	omments Received.					
Township	No Objections with the concept of the petition. Additional						
Highway:	information may be required at time of permit application.						
Lisle-Woodridge	"N/A"						
Fire Dist.:							
Sch. Dist. 89:	No C	No Comments Received.					
Forest Preserve:	"The	"The Forest Preserve District of DuPage County staff has					
	reviewed the information provided in this notice and due to the						
		le distance between the subj					
		rty, we do not have any specific comments. Thank you."					

GENERAL BULK REQUIREMENTS:

REQUIREMENTS:	REQUIRED	EXISTING	PROPOSED
Int. Side Yard:	3"	NA	0"

LAND USE

Location	Zoning	Existing Use	LUP
Subject	R-4 SF RES	HOUSE	0-5 DU AC
North	BALSAM DRIVE AND BEYOND R-4 SF RES	HOUSE	0-5 DU AC
South	R-4 SF RES	HOUSE	0-5 DU AC
East	R-4 SF RES	HOUSE	0-5 DU AC
West	R-4 SF RES	HOUSE	0-5 DU AC







