

# BUILDING CODE BOARD OF APPEALS REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Theodore Dziurman, Chair, Michael Culpepper Gary Abitheira, Teresa Brooks, Michael Carolan

November 7, 2012

3:00 PM

# LOWER LEVEL CONFERENCE ROOM

- 1. ROLL CALL
- 2. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u> October 3, 2012 Regular Meeting
- 3. <u>HEARING OF CASES</u>
  - A. <u>VARIANCE REQUEST, RANDY ORAM FOR INTERNATIONAL OUTDOOR INC.</u>, <u>500 WEST LONG LAKE</u> – A variance for relief of Chapter 85, Section 85.02.05 (c) (5) (e) to place a 70 foot tall, 1608 square foot ground sign.

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- A 1308 square foot variance from the requirement that the sign not exceed 300 square feet in area
- A 45 foot variance from the requirement that the sign not exceed 25 feet in height
- B. <u>VARIANCE REQUEST, MAURICE BANKS AND MIKE FRAZIER, 1929 HAZEL</u> <u>NUT LANE</u> – A variance for relief of Chapter 83 to place a 4 foot high nonobscuring fence in the front setback along Sutherland Drive where the fence height is limited to 30 inches.
- C. VARIANCE REQUEST, ROBERT J. BONGIORNO FOR B-B SIGN & LIGHTING, INC., 1401 E. FOURTEEN MILE – A variance to place a 127 square foot, 13 foot, 4 inch, tall ground sign, set back 7 feet 6 inches from the front property line. The sign code limits ground signs set back less than 20 feet to a 10 foot maximum height and a maximum size of 50 square feet.

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- D. <u>VARIANCE REQUEST, JOHN GAVIN FOR CUSTOM SIGN CENTER, INC., 1905</u> <u>E. MAPLE ROAD</u> – A variance for relief of the Sign Code to place a second ground sign (Menu Board) on the property measuring 41 square feet in size. Section 85.02.05 (C) (4) (b) limits the size of a second ground sign to 36 square feet.
- E. <u>VARIANCE REQUEST, AFRAH ALBANNA FOR AUTOMOTIVE CASTLE, 1251</u> <u>ROCHESTER</u> – A variance for relief of the Sign Code to place a third ground sign measuring 40 square feet in size on the property. Section 85.02.05 (C) limits the maximum number of ground signs on this parcel to two signs.
- 4. <u>COMMUNICATIONS</u>
- 5. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 6. <u>MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS</u>
- 7. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

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Chair Dziurman called the Regular meeting of the Building Code Board of Appeals to order at 3:00 p.m. on October 3, 2012 in the Lower Level Conference Room of the Troy City Hall.

## 1. ROLL CALL

Members Present: Theodore Dziurman, Chair Gary Abitheira Teresa Brooks Michael Carolan Mike Culpepper

<u>Support Staff Present:</u> Mitch Grusnick, Building Official/Code Inspector Kathy L. Czarnecki, Recording Secretary

Also Present:

Attached and made a part hereof is the signature sheet of those present and signed in at this meeting.

## 2. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</u>

Moved by: Carolan Seconded by: Brooks

**RESOLVED**, To approve the minutes of the September 5, 2012 Regular meeting as submitted.

Yeas: All present (5)

## **MOTION CARRIED**

Chair Dziurman announced the applicant for Agenda item 3.B. requested to postpone the item to the November 7, 2012 Regular meeting.

# 3. <u>HEARING OF CASES</u>

# A. <u>VARIANCE REQUEST, PROPERTY OWNER SAM KALEF, 4020 BRISTOL</u> – For relief of Chapter 83 to place a 6 foot high privacy fence.

Mr. Grusnick reported the applicant is requesting a variance to install a 6 foot high privacy fence set back 6 feet from the property line along Wattles Road. City Code requires fences placed in the 30 foot Wattles Road setback to not exceed 30 inches in height. Mr. Grusnick reported there were two written responses to the public hearing notices. The neighbors at 4066 Bristol have no objections to the requested variance. The written comments from the neighbors at 4052 Bristol were conflicting; therefore, Mr. Grusnick personally visited 4052 Bristol to clarify

the comments. Mr. Grusnick explained the residents object to the yard fence but not the 6 foot privacy fence on Wattles. He informed the residents the yard fence is in compliance and does not require a variance. The relationship of those neighbors who responded to the requested variance at 4020 Bristol was displayed on the monitor.

The applicant, Sam and Jessica Kalef, were present. Mr. Kalef said it is their desire to extend their yard and install a privacy fence to block sound and provide security. Mr. Kalef said vehicular and pedestrian traffic and noise has increased since the widening of Wattles Road. Mr. Kalef confirmed the 6 foot high fence would be along Wattles Road only, and the remainder of the fence would be 4 foot high. He noted their neighbor to the north, 4034 Bristol, submitted written documentation stating no objection to the variance request.

There was discussion on:

- Lot dimensions and placement of fence along east property line.
  - Inside existing landscaping (pine trees).
  - Within 6 to 10 feet from sidewalk.
- Utility easement on east and north sides.
- No visual obstruction for neighboring driveways.
- Transition of fence height from 6 feet to 4 feet, within the proposed variance request.
- Style of 6 foot high fence; decorative wood, no gaps, no shadow boxes.

Chair Dziurman opened the floor to public comment.

There was no one present who wished to speak.

Moved by: Abitheira Seconded by: Culpepper

**RESOLVED**, To approve the variance request to install the 6 foot high fence 10 feet off the lot line along Wattles, and the rear yard to have 16 feet of transition area to get height of fence down to four feet, both on the east and west sides.

Yeas: All present (5)

## **MOTION CARRIED**

## B. VARIANCE REQUEST, RANDY ORAM FOR INTERNATIONAL OUTDOOR INC., 500 WEST LONG LAKE

Item postponed to the November 7, 2012 Regular meeting.

# C. VARIANCE REQUEST, IBRAHIM MCHAIMECH FOR BRIGHT STAR, INC, 3160 <u>ROCHESTER</u> – For relief of Chapter 85 to place a 99.5 square foot, 24 foot tall ground sign.

Mr. Grusnick reported the applicant revised the request from the original submission. The applicant is requesting a variance to install a 99.5 square foot, 24 foot tall ground sign set back 16 feet from Hartland and 6.17 feet from Rochester Road rights of way. Mr. Grusnick said the foundation has been moved out of a 10 foot utility easement along Rochester and the sign face itself would project 3.83 feet into the 10 foot utility easement. Mr. Grusnick reported the City Engineer has no objection to the overhanging projection with respect to City utilities but noted the applicant needs signed permission from any other utilities prior to the issuance of any permits.

The applicant, Michael Zacks of Bright Star Inc., was present. Mr. Zacks said the hardship is meeting the requirements of Table 85.02.05, which would place the sign in the middle of the parking and drive through area. He believes the request is within the intent and spirit of the Zoning Ordinance and the sign is aesthetically pleasing. Mr. Zacks said DTE, the only utility company on the easement, has agreed to give them permission to use the easement. Mr. Zacks indicated the reader message board is 32 square feet (4 feet x 8 feet) in size. He said messages would relate to the business only and all City regulations with respect to frequency and message changing would be followed.

Wesam Issa, property owner for Magical Touch Oil Change, was present. Mr. Issa addressed other businesses and their respective signage along Rochester Road, and shared a photograph of digital signage of a business competitor. Mr. Issa indicated the request for a higher sign is to avoid obstructing the signage of a neighboring business. He stressed the importance of signage for his business because the building sets back from the street line. Mr. Issa addressed the new trend in message board signage and business competition. He said they are an independent and family owned business with eight locations throughout the metropolitan area.

Chair Dziurman said he considers message board signage to be a traffic distraction.

Mr. Culpepper indicated his personal opinion is "no higher, no bigger than anything else near by". He also indicated that driving to an oil change service is not a spurof-a-moment driving decision. There was discussion on:

- Dimensions, height, size, square footage of sign and allowable setbacks.
- History of other variance requests (approvals) along Rochester Road.
  - Conduct study of existing surrounding signs; height in relation to setback.
  - Responsible party to conduct study; City or applicant.
- Closeness to curb; curb line to the proposed location is 23 feet.
- City regulations relating to frequency and message changing.
- Issuance of permit only with public utility permission to use easement.
- Easement only on subject parcel; not all the way along Rochester.
- Visual obstruction and/or corner clearance; no visual obstruction exists.
- Post locations within easement, overhead power lines.
- Cantilevered sign with foundation on easement, closer to Rochester.
- Due diligence responsibility of applicant at time of property purchase.

Chair Dziurman opened the floor to public comment.

There was no one present who wished to speak.

After further discussion, the applicant agreed to an 82 square foot sign, 18 feet high, with a 3 foot x 8 foot message board, and an 8 foot under clearance.

Moved by: Carolan Seconded by: Culpepper

**RESOLVED**, To approve variance request for a sign setback 6.17 feet from the Rochester Road property line with the footing setback 10 feet, of no greater height than 18 feet, a message board of no greater size of 3 foot x 8 foot, with an overall sign size of 82 square feet; further, approval is subject to signing off of the easement by all utility companies and verification by the City of Troy of such.

Yeas: Abitheira, Carolan, Culpepper, Dziurman Nay: Brooks

# MOTION CARRIED

Member Brooks voted no because she feels the overall square footage of the sign is too large.

Chair Dziurman stated the intent of the Board was to reach a consensus on a more conforming sign to existing signs along Rochester Road.

# D. <u>VARIANCE REQUEST, HAITHAM SITTO FOR HARDY & SON SIGN SERVICE,</u> <u>1650 RESEARCH</u> – For relief of Chapter 85 to install a 176 square foot wall sign on the building.

Mr. Grusnick reviewed the variance request to install a second 176 square foot wall sign. Chapter 85, Section 85.02.05 allows one wall sign on this building, not to exceed 10% of the area of the front of the building, to a maximum size of 200 square foot. There is currently a 200 square foot wall sign on the building. Mr. Grusnick noted the Zoning Ordinance would allow the proposed signage if it was "stacked" with the existing signage, and not at opposite ends of the building elevation.

The applicant, Haitham Sitto representing Northrop Grumman, was present. Mr. Sitto provided a brief description of Northrop Grumman, a global government defense manufacturer. He said the requested signage on the east building elevation would offer the company identity and exposure off of I-75. He indicated the tenant uses approximately 12,000 square feet of the existing 27,000 square foot building. Mr. Sitto said the proposed signage would be shared at opposite ends of the building, totaling 2.7% of the fascia.

Moved by: Carolan Seconded by: Brooks

**RESOLVED**, To approve the variance request.

Yeas: All present (5)

# MOTION CARRIED

Mr. Sitto offered to provide information on LED signage to appropriate City officials for future reference.

4. <u>COMMUNICATIONS</u>

None.

5. <u>PUBLIC COMMENT</u>

None.

# 6. <u>MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS</u>

Chair Dziurman said the postponed item from this meeting would be placed on the November 7, 2012 agenda.

# 7. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

The Regular meeting of the Board of Building Appeals adjourned at 4:07 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Theodore Dziurman, Chair

Kathy L. Czarnecki, Recording Secretary

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# BUILDING CODE BOARD OF APPEALS SIGN-IN SHEET

October 3, 2012

NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	ADDRESS
Wesam Isst	1609 whitefold St.
MICHAEL ZAEKS	1609 Whitefield St. 13300 Lover Der, M. 101 W. Bis, Bean Troy MI
Haithorn Sitto	101 m. B.S. Bean Troy MI
Ron Harsch (KAMAXL.P)	500 W. Long Lake Rol Troy MI 4020 Bristol Tray MI
SAM Nessica Kalef	4020 Bristol Tray MI
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BUILDING CODE BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING SIGN-IN SHEET October 3, 2012

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October 30, 2012

City of Troy Attn: Mitch Grusnick 500 W. Big Beaver Road Troy, MI 48084

Re: Building Code of Appeals case Removal

Dear Mr. Grusnick,

Our case is item B on the agenda aka International Outdoor, Inc., 500 W. Long Lake. Pursuant to our conversation, please accept this letter as our formal request to be pulled from the November 7<sup>th</sup> agenda or to be tabled at the above said meeting for one month or until the next scheduled meeting. If there is an additional fee for re-review or to re-advertise please contact me at 248-489-8989 or by email as to what the additional fee will be.

Thank you,

Patrick Depa Site Development/Real Estate

# CITY OF TROY BUILDING INSPECTION DEPARTMENT CITY OF TROY PLANNING DEPARTMENT BUILDING CODE BOARD OF APPEALS APPLICATION

SIGN APPEALS FEE \$50 CITY OF TROY PLANNING DEPARTMENT 500 W. BIG BEAVER ROAD TROY, MICHIGAN 48084 PHONE: 248-524-3344 FAX: 248-689-3210 E-MAIL: <u>evanspm@troymi.gov</u> http://www.troymi.gov/CodeEnforcement/



CONSTRUCTION OR FENCE CODE APPEALS FEE: \$50 CITY OF TROY BUILDING DEPARTMENT 500 W. BIG BEAVER ROAD TROY, MICHIGAN 48084 PHONE: 248-524-3344 FAX: 248-689-3210 E-MAIL: <u>GrusnickME@troymi.gov</u> http://www.troymi.gov/BuildingInspection/

# NOTICE TO THE APPLICANT

REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE BUILDING CODE BOARD OF APPEALS ARE HELD ON THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 3:00 P.M. AT CITY HALL.

PLEASE FILE A COMPLETE APPLICATION, TOGETHER WITH THE APPROPRIATE FEE, NOT LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE (21) DAYS BEFORE THE MEETING DATE.

A COMPLETE APPLICATION THAT MEETS CODE REQUIREMENTS IS PLACED ON THE NEXT AVAILABLE AGENDA OF THE BUILDING CODE BOARD OF APPEALS.

1. ADDRESS OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY: 500 West Long Lake Road

ACREAGE PROPERTY: Attach legal description if this an acreage parcel

- 2. PROPERTY TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S): 88-20-09-451-018
- 3. CODE NAME (e.g. "BUILDING CODE", "SIGN CODE", etc.) AND SECTION(S) RELATED TO THE APPEAL: 85.02.05.C.5.e.1 85.02.05.C.5.e.3 85.02.05.C.5.e.4
- 4. REASONS FOR APPEAL/VARIANCE: On a separate sheet, please describe the reasons justifying the requested action. See Submittal Checklist
- 5. HAVE THERE BEEN ANY PREVIOUS APPEALS INVOLVING THIS PROPERTY? YES



APPLICANT INFORMATION:		
NAME Randy Oram		
COMPANY International Outdoor	Inc.	
ADDRESS 28423 Orchard Lake	Road Suite 200	
CITY Farmington Hills	STATE MI	ZIP 48334
TELEPHONE 248-489-8989		4IP
E-MAIL randy@iobillboard.com		
APPLICANT'S AFFILIATION TO THE PROF	PERTY OWNER: Lessee	
APPLICANT'S AFFILIATION TO THE PROF	PERTY OWNER: Lessee	
OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY:	PERTY OWNER: Lessee	
OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY: NAME Tony Palomba, CFO	PERTY OWNER: Lessee	
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The undersigned hereby declare(s) under penalty of perjury that the contents of this application are true to the best of my (our) knowledge, information and bellef.

The applicant accepts all responsibility for all of the measurements and dimensions contained within this application, attachments and/or plans, and the applicant releases the City of Troy and its employees, officers, and consultants from any responsibility or llability with respect thereto.

I, Tony Palomba, CFO, Kamax LP (PROPERTY OWNER), HEREBY DEPOSE AND SAY THAT ALL THE ABOVE STATEMENTS AND STATEMENTS CONTAINED IN THE INFORMATION SUBMITTED ARE TRUE AND CORRECT AND GIVE PERMISSION FOR THE BOARD MEMBERS AND CITY STAFF TO CONDUCT A SITE VISIT TO ASCERTAIN PRESENT CONDITIONS.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT Start & "RINDY" OLDEM	DATE	9-12-2012
PRINT NAME: BANdy Oram		
SIGNATURE OF PROPERTY OWNER Fronald L. Hausch	DATE	9-12-2012
PRINT NAME: RONALD L. HArsch, - Corp Safety/E	nv. & Faci	lity Manager

Fallure of the applicant or his/her authorized representative to appear before the Board, as scheduled, shall be justifiable cause for denial or dismissal of the case with no refund of appeal fee(s). If the person appearing before the Board is not the applicant or property owner, signed permission must be presented to the Board.

The applicant will be notified of the time and date of the hearing by first class mail.

Revised 5/24/2012

# **Practical Difficulty**

- **1.** Setback from the Road:
  - The proposed billboard location is located at the rear of the Kamax LP property screened by the building itself but is proposed to face I-75.
  - The practical difficultly is that I-75 curves away to the west from the Kamax LP property at a significant rate right where the proposed sign would be.
  - The proposed sign even at o' setback will still be over 175' from the edge of pavement or the I-75 freeway.
- 2. Speed and Width of the Corridor:
  - The speed of I-75 at this mile marker is 70 mph which requires the sign to be at a desired height and setback, in which we are proposing, to <u>not</u> <u>adversely</u> <u>impact the safety of the drivers</u> and vehicles commuting along this stretch of the corridor. The width of I-75 at this location is 300' with a 45' wide grassed median.
  - Billboards are allowed by MDOT adjacent to a freeway and regulated to be so.
  - Billboards are meant to be visible from the freeway.
  - The advertising is designed to catch the eye of a driver.
  - If a billboard is not clearly visible it will take a driver's eyes off the road for a longer period of time.
  - This is why we truly believe that our request is within the spirit of the Ordinance for the health and safety of Troy residents and their visitors.

# **Geographical Hardship – IS THE EXISTING TERRAIN**

- 3. Terrain or Trees and Vegetation:
  - The current or existing terrain conditions of our site along this section of I-75 also creates a practical difficulty for the visibility of our billboard that is also not experienced by the other billboards in the City.
  - Existing conditions: It is as simple as there are many mature trees blocking the view of our sign.
  - This area along I-75 has mature trees and vegetation that obstruct the line of site of our sign from the MDOT ROW

- The Highway Advertising Act, PA 106 of 1972 as amended in June of 2008 states that one cannot remove vegetation that <u>existed before</u> the billboard was erected.
- For the above said reasons describing our situation you can clearly see that these unique conditions do create a practical hardship which severally obstructs and handicaps the visibility of our proposed sign.
- The amount of variance requested is the <u>minimum amount</u> we would need to <u>remedy the difficult line of sight issues</u> and make the sign meet its true value.
- 4. Topography or Grade Difference at W Long Lake Road:
  - The grade difference from the proposed billboard location to the point where I-75 crosses W Long Lake Road is roughly 18' below the Long Lake Road Overpass.
  - This creates a <u>line of sight impediment</u> which is caused by the grade differences which even intensifies the obstructions of the MDOT signs In addition there is a grade difference between our site and I-75 of 15' meaning that our board is further compromised by being below the I-75 Freeway grade.

# In Summary I would like to say that:

This line of sight impediment combined with the required setback of our sign justifies the variation to the City's Zoning Ordinance by reason of exceptional undue hardship.

- This creates a situation that severally obstructs and handicaps the visibility of our proposed sign.
- The amount of variance requested is the minimum amount we would need to remedy the difficult line of sight issues to make the sign meet its true value as outlined in the City's Ordinance.

Granting the variance does not substantially impair the intent or purposes of this ordinance because the sign will face I-75 only and will not interfere with any residents in the general area.

We believe we have met and exceed the burden of proof and demonstrated that that our site has multiple practical difficulties not experienced by the other billboards or ground signs within the City which should lead you to grant our request.

# 500 W Long Lake Road



Oakland County One Stop Shop 2100 Pontiac Lake Road Bldg. 41 West Waterford, MI 48328 Phone: 248-858-0720 Web: http://www.oakgov.com/oss



# Site Plan for Billboard (Kamax LP) 500 W Long Lake Road Troy, MI 48098

Applicant: International Outdoor, Inc. Randy Oram, President 28423 Orchard Lake Road Farmington Hills, MI 48334 Phone: 248-489-8989

Property Owner: Kamax LP Anthony Palomba (CFO) 500 W Long Lake Road Troy, MI 48098 Phone: 248-813-1825



Existing Zoning: IB (Integrated Industrial Business) & R-1B (One Family Residential) Adjacent Zoning: N: R-1B S: R-1B/R-1C/O E: R-1BW: RC

Setbacks: Front: 0' Side: 410'/1175' Rear: 350'

Billboard Height: 70'

Legal Description: Parcel I.D. # 88-20-09-451-018

Legal: T2N, R11E, SEC 9 BEAVER HILLS LOTS 84 TO 97 INCL, ALSO LOTS 110 TO 121 INCL EXC S 27 FT OF SD LOT 121 TAKEN FOR RD, ALSO S 382 FT OF W 114.60 FT OF SW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 EXC N 27 FT OF S 60 FT, ALSO ALL OF VAC DEINMORE ADJ TO LOTS 88 TO 94 INCL, ALSO ALL OF VAC FAUBUS AVE ADJ TO LOTS 91 & 115, ALSO S 1/2 OF VAC FAUBUS ADJ TO LOT 84 2-25-97 FR 013, 405-012 & 406-013

No Scale

Date Drawn: September 12, 2012





INTERNATIONAL OUTDOOR, INC. 28423 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 200, Farmington Hills, MI 48334 (hereinafter referred to as "Lessee")

and

# KAMAX LP

500 West Long Lake Road, Troy, MI 48098-4599 (hereinafter referred to as "Lessor")

provides

### WITNESSETH

**DESCRIPTION** (2) "LESSOR hereby leases to LESSEE, it successors or assigns, as much of the hereinatter described lease premises as may be necessary for the construction of an outdoor advertising structure with two faces and measuring at least 14' X 48' per face ("sign"), including necessary structures, advertising devices, utility service, power poles, communications devices and connections, with the right of access to and egress from the sign by LESSEE'S employees, contractors, agents and vehicles and the right to survey, post, illuminate and maintain advertisements on the sign, and to modify the sign to have as many advertising faces, including changeable copy faces or electronic faces, as are allowed by local and state law, and to maintain telecommunications devices or other activities necessary or useful in LESSEE'S use of the sign. Any discrepancies or errors in the location and orientation of the sign are deemed waived by LESSOR upon LESSOR'S acceptance of the first rental payment due after the complete construction of the sign including electrical power to the sign.

The premises are a portion of the property located in the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, more particularly described as:

500 West Long Lake Road, Troy, MI 48098-4599

Parcel I.D. # 88-20-09-451-018

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(Legal description also referenced as Exhibit A, which description may also include a sketch or more detailed survey of the location of the sign on the LESSOR's property)

TERM (3) This lease shall be for a term of ten (10) years, which shall begin after Lessee has obtained all required permits and licenses, completed construction of the sign structure and all utilities are connected and functional. These tasks shall be done promptly with no unnecessary delay. Lessee shall notify Lessor of the completed construction date. This date shall be the lease commencement date.

RENEWAL (4) Lessee shall have the exclusive and irrevocable option to renew this Lease for one (1) additional term of ten years as well as two (2) additional term(s) of five years each by giving Landlord written notice within three (3) months prior to the expiration date of the preceding term. All renewals shall be on the same terms and conditions of the initial Term, except that the rent for first ten (10) year renewal Term shall equal one hundred ten percent (110%) of the rent charged for the initial Term, the first five year renewal Term the rent charged shall be one hundred twenty percent (120%) of the rent charged for the initial Term.

**RENT** (5) **LESSEE** shall pay to **LESSOR** an annual rental of Fifteen Thousand 00/100 Dollar \$15,000.00 payable in advance if the sign is static or Twenty Thousand 00/100 Dollar \$20,000.00 payable in advance if the sign is digital. Rent shall be considered tendered upon due mailing or attempted hand delivery during reasonable business hours at the address designated by **LESSOR**, whether or not actually received by **LESSOR**. Should **LESSEE** fail to pay rent or perform any other obligation under this lease within thirty (30) days after such performance is due, **LESSEE** will be in default under the lease. In the event of such default, **LESSOR** must give **LESSEE** written notice by certified mail and allow **LESSEE** thirty (30) days thereafter to cure any default.

USE ANDOCCUPANCY (6) If LESSEE is prevented from constructing or maintaining a sign at the premises by reason of any final governmental law, regulation, subdivision or building restriction, order or other action, LESSEE may elect to terminate this lease.

REPAIRS, MAINTENANCE, FIXTURES (7) All structures, equipment and materials placed upon the premises by the LESSEE or its predecessor shall remain the property of LESSEE and may be removed by LESSEE at any time prior to or within 60 days after termination or cancellation of this agreement or within a reasonable time after expiration of the term hereof or any renewal. At the termination of this lease, LESSEE agrees to restore the surface of the premises. The LESSEE shall have the right to make any necessary applications with, and obtain permits from, governmental bodies for the construction and maintenance of LESSEE's sign, at the sole discretion of LESSEE.

PREMISES, ACCESS, CONDITION (8) LESSOR represents that he is the owner or lessee under written lease of the premises and has the right to make this agreement and to grant LESSEE free access to the premises to perform all acts necessary to exercise its rights pursuant to this lease. LESSOR is not aware of any unrecorded rights, servitudes, easements, subdivision or building restrictions, or agreements affecting the premises that prohibit the erection, posting, painting, illumination or maintenance of the sign. LESSOR acknowledges that the terms and conditions of this agreement are confidential and proprietary and shall not be disclosed to any third-party without the written consent of LESSEE. LESSOR agrees not to erect or allow any other obstruction of highway view or any vegetation that may obstruct the highway view of

LESSEE'S sign. LESSEE is hereby authorized to remove any such other structure, obstruction or vegetation at LESSEE'S option.

ASSIGNMENT, SUBLEASE, SALE (9) In the event of any change of ownership of the property herein leased, LESSOR agrees to notify LESSEE promptly of the name, address, and phone number of the new owner, and LESSOR further agrees to give the new owner formal written notice of the existence of this lease and to deliver a copy thereof to such new owner at or before closing. In the event that LESSEE assigns this lease, assignee will be fully obligated under this Lease and LESSEE will no longer be bound by the lease. One or more waivers of any covenant or condition by the Lessor shall not be construed as a waiver of a further breach of the same covenant or condition. This lease is binding upon the personal representatives, heirs, executors, successors, and assigns of both LESSEE and LESSOR and shall be construed under the laws of the state of Michigan.

EMINENT DOMAIN (10) In the event of condemnation of the subject premises or any part thereof by proper authorities, or relocation of the highway, the LESSOR grants to the LESSEE the right to relocate its sign on LESSOR'S remaining property adjoining the condemned property or the relocated highway. Any condemnation award for LESSEE'S property shall accrue to LESSEE.

**UTLITIES** (11) The Lessee will pay all charges made against said leased premises, pertaining to the billboard only, for electricity during the continuance of this lease, as the same shall become due. Lessee shall provide all utility service connections to the Leased Premises and shall pay any hookup charges or connection fees for such utilities and Lessor shall give Lessee access to neighboring lands under the control of Lessor for such purposes.

TAXES (12) Lessor shall pay when due all real and personal property taxes and assessments with respect to the Premises and the improvements and structures thereon, but not including the Sign, the personal property taxes for which shall remain the obligation of Lessee.

NON-DISTURBANCE (13) Upon request by Tenant, Landlord shall obtain and deliver to Tenant from any present or future mortgagee, trustee, fee owner, prime landlord or any person having an interest in the Premises superior to this Lease a written non-disturbance agreement in recordable form providing that so long as Tenant performs all of the terms, covenants and conditions of this Lease and agrees to attorn to the mortgagee, beneficiary of the deed of trust, purchaser at a foreclosure sale, prime landlord or fee owner, Tenant's rights under this Lease shall not be disturbed and shall remain in full force and effect for the term of this Lease, and Tenant shall not be named or joined by the holder of any mortgage or deed of trust in any action or proceeding to foreclose thereunder.

INDEMNITY (14) LESSEE shall, at its sole cost and expense, procure, pay for and keep in full force and effect during the term of this Lease, commercial general liability insurance for the benefit of LESSOR and LESSEE, with limits of \$1,000,000 for each occurrence and \$2,000,000 general aggregate. Within the first one hundred eight (180) days of each option period, the amount of insurance may be increased above the amounts herein specified at LESSEE'S discretion. LESSOR and LESSEE's mortgagee shall each be named as an additional insured under all such insurance contracts. A current Certificate evidencing such coverage and any renewals thereof shall be furnished to LESSOR from time to time. In the event LESSEE fails to maintain such insurance in force, LESSOR may at LESSEE's expense, secure such insurance and the premium paid by LESSOR as additional rent. LESSEE shall reimburse LESSOR within ten (10) days after receipt of written notice by LESSOR to avoid being in default.

LEASE MEMORANDUM (15) LESSOR will execute and acknowledge a memorandum of Lease suitable for recordation.

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS (16) Landlord does hereby Lease and demise to Tenant, the portion(s) of the Premises which will be described on Exhibit A attached hereto (the "Leased Premises") to build a billboard on the property of which Landlord shall cooperate fully with Tenant in obtaining any necessary permits, licenses or other approvals for Tenant's use of the Leased Premises at no cost or expense to Landlord including without limitation, the application for variances of which enables Tenant to erect, operate and maintain the sign structure(s) on the Premises in accordance with this Lease. Landlord hereby authorizes Tenant to apply to the City of Troy for any such permits, licenses, variance, or other approvals on Landlord's behalf without further consent or authorization from Landlord. Landlord does hereby Lease and demise to Tenant the portion of the Premises particularly identified and described on Exhibit A attached hereto, which Premises will be identified by Tenant within existing Parcel ID # 88-20-09-451-018 with any necessary approvals to be first obtained from the City of Troy or the County of Oakland.

NOTICES (17) Wherever this Lease requires notice to be served on LESSORS, notice shall be sufficient if mailed by firstclass mail with postage fully paid. Notice to Lessees can be completed by mailing by first-class mail with postage fully paid to the following:

#### LESSEE

International Outdoor, Inc. 28423 Orchard Lake Rd., Suite 200 Farmington Hills, MI 48334 Attn: Latif Z. "Randy" Oram LESSOR

KAMAX LP 500 West Long Lake Road Troy, MI 48098-4599 Attn: Accounting

COVENANTS, CONDITIONS AND AGREEMENTS (18) The covenants, conditions and agreements made and entered into by the parties hereto are declared binding on their respective heirs, successors, representatives and assigns. This Lease shall be construed under the Laws of the State of Michigan. If any provision of this Lease or portions of this Lease or their application to any person or circumstances shall, to any extent, be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Lease shall not be affected and each provision of this Lease shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The parties have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

WITNESSED BY: 8/29/12

WITNESSED BY:

Lessor: KAMAX LP

Asc 8/29/12 4 Its: President

Lessee: INTERNATIONAL OUTDOOR INC.

Its: President Lanf Z. "Randy" Oram



### **EXHIBIT A**

### **DESCRIPTON OF PREMISES**

Owner: KAMAX LP

Parcel I.D. # 88-20-09-451-018

Legal Description:

T2N, R11E, SEC 9 BEAVER HILLS LOTS 84 TO 97 INCL, ALSO LOTS 110 TO 121 INCL EXC S 27 FT OF SD LOT 121 TAKEN FOR RD, ALSO S 382 FT OF W 114.60 FT OF SW 1/4 OF SE 1/4 EXC N 27 FT OF S 60 FT, ALSO ALL OF VAC DEINMORE ADJ TO LOTS 88 TO 94 INCL, ALSO ALL OF VAC FAUBUS AVE ADJ TO LOTS 91 & 115, ALSO S 1/2 OF VAC FAUBUS ADJ TO LOT 84 2-25-97 FR 013, 405-012 & 406-013



B. VARIANCE REQUEST, MAURICE BANKS AND MIKE FRAZIER, 1929 HAZEL NUT LANE – A variance for relief of Chapter 83 to place a 4 foot high non-obscuring fence in the front setback along Sutherland Drive where the fence height is limited to 30 inches.

# CITY OF TROY BUILDING INSPECTION DEPARTMENT CITY OF TROY PLANNING DEPARTMENT RECEIVED BUILDING CODE BOARD OF APPEALS APPLICATION

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1. ADDRESS OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY: 1929 Hazel Nut Lane

ACREAGE PROPERTY: Attach legal description if this an acreage parcel

- 2. PROPERTY TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S): \_
- 3. CODE NAME (e.g. "BUILDING CODE", "SIGN CODE", etc.) AND SECTION(S) RELATED TO THE APPEAL: Chapter 83 - Fence
- 4. REASONS FOR APPEAL/VARIANCE: On a separate sheet, please describe the reasons justifying the requested action. See Submittal Checklist
- 5. HAVE THERE BEEN ANY PREVIOUS APPEALS INVOLVING THIS PROPERTY? YES



COMPANY		
ADDRESS 1929 Hazel Nut	Lane	
CITY Troy	STATE MI	<sub>ZIP</sub> 48083
TELEPHONE 248-670-6828		
E-MAIL mfrazier23@yahoo	.com	
APPLICANT'S AFFILIATION TO TH		
APPLICANT'S AFFILIATION TO TH OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY NAME Kings Investments In	:	
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OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY NAME Kings Investments In COMPANY	nc. LLC/Maurice Banks	<sub>ZIP</sub> 48083
OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY NAME Kings Investments In COMPANY ADDRESS 1929 Hazel Nut	nc. LLC/Maurice Banks Lane	48083

The undersigned hereby declare(s) under penalty of perjury that the contents of this application are true to the best of my (our) knowledge, information and belief.

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#### Mike Frazier I.

(PROPERTY OWNER), HEREBY DEPOSE AND SAY THAT ALL THE ABOVE STATEMENTS AND STATEMENTS CONTAINED IN THE INFORMATION SUBMITTED ARE TRUE AND CORRECT AND GIVE PERMISSION FOR THE BOARD MEMBERS AND CITY STAFF TO CONDUCT A SITE VISIT TO ASCERTAIN PRESENT CONDITIONS.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT MANY	DATE 10/9/12
SIGNATURE OF PROPERTY OWNER Malerice Barba	_ DATE_ 10/9/12

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To the City of Troy Building Department,

Our fence permit application was recently denied and we are graciously requesting relief from the chapter 83, Fence ordinance. We believe we can satisfactorily show a need for a variance in the ordinance to allow us to erect a fence in the area shown on our attached application.

The property in question is located at 1929 Hazel Nut Lane, on a corner lot in the new Hidden Park subdivision. It is located on the corner of Hazel Nut Lane and Sutherland Dr. Sutherland Dr. is a dead end street, which ends at the back of the property line. The property backs up to a wooded area owned by a party store (see attached pictures.)

We would like to erect a 48" high black, aluminum decorative fence (see attached design) that would encompass our back yard as well as a portion of the side yard. The backyard is small and would not be functional if it is the only portion of the property that our five young kids and two dogs (former Leader Dogs for the Blind) would be able to use. There is no rear deck, patio or steps off the back door of the property and will not be in the near future. We plan on using the side garage door to access the back yard area. Having a fence that encompasses the side yard, including the side garage door, as well as the back yard would allow our children and pets to safely access the back yard while being protected in a fenced in area from vehicular and pedestrian traffic. We are also requesting relief from the height requirement of 30. We feel that a 30" high fence that is allowed by the current ordinance would not be tall enough to safely contain our young children as well as two pets.

The proposed fence will not impair an adequate supply of light and air to adjacent property, or unreasonably increase to congestion in public streets, or increase the danger of fire or endanger the public safety, or unreasonably diminish or impair established property value within the surrounding area, or in any other respect impair the public health, safety, comfort, morals or welfare of the inhabitants of the city.

We also purpose to extend the fence that traverses the rear property line to be 6' high for the entire length of the property. This would be more aesthetically appealing than having two different styles/heights (wood privacy/black aluminum) of fence across the rear property line.

Thank you in advance for taking the time to consider our appeal in creating a full of character, curb appealing and safe area for our children and pets to grow and play.

Sincerely,

Maurice Barks

Maurice Banks





be approved before a fence permit is issued.

Please use the box below as if it were a drawing of your lot.

Draw in the proposed fencing using the symbols from the chart. BAck

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C. VARIANCE REQUEST, ROBERT J. BONGIORNO FOR B-B SIGN & <u>LIGHTING, INC., 1401 E. FOURTEEN MILE</u> – A variance to place a 127 square foot, 13 foot 4 inch tall ground sign, set back 7 feet 6 inches from the front property line. The sign code limits ground signs set back less than 20 feet to a 10 foot maximum height and a maximum size of 50 square feet.

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- 2. PROPERTY TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S): \_
- 3. CODE NAME (e.g. "BUILDING CODE", "SIGN CODE", etc.) AND SECTION(S) RELATED TO THE APPEAL:
- 4. REASONS FOR APPEAL/VARIANCE: On a separate sheet, please describe the reasons justifying the requested action. See Submittal Checklist
- 5. HAVE THERE BEEN ANY PREVIOUS APPEALS INVOLVING THIS PROPERTY? YES

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3. APPLICANT INFORMATION:		
NAME_Robert J. Bongiorno		
		- -
COMPANY B-B Sign & Lighting, In		
ADDRESS 1528 E. Eleven Mile R	oad	
CITY Madison Heights	STATE MI	<sub>ZIP</sub> 48071
TELEPHONE 248.548.4170		
E-MAIL bbsigns@ameritech.net	······································	
OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY:		
OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY:		
COMPANY Emergency Restoration	and the second	
ADDRESS 1401 Fourteen Mile Ro	ad	
CITY Troy	STATE MI	<sub>ZIP</sub> 48083
TELEPHONE		
E-MAIL		

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PRINT NAME: Robert J. Bongiorno		
SIGNATURE OF PROPERTY OWNER	DATE	
PRINT NAME:		

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#### **PROPOSED MONUMENT SIGN**



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#### 3. <u>HEARING OF CASES</u>

D. <u>VARIANCE REQUEST, JOHN GAVIN FOR CUSTOM SIGN CENTER, INC.</u>, <u>1905 E. MAPLE ROAD</u> – A variance for relief of the Sign Code to place a second ground sign (Menu Board) on the property measuring 41 square feet in size. Section 85.02.05 (C) (4) (b) limits the size of a second ground sign to 36 square feet.

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1. ADDRESS OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY: 1905 E. Maple Rd

ACREAGE PROPERTY: Attach legal description if this an acreage parcel .96Ac

- 2. PROPERTY TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S): 88-20-26-483-048
- 3. CODE NAME (e.g. "BUILDING CODE", "SIGN CODE", etc.) AND SECTION(S) RELATED TO THE APPEAL: Sign Code -Chapter 85 - Signs; Section 85.02.04 A
- 4. REASONS FOR APPEAL/VARIANCE: On a separate sheet, please describe the reasons justifying the requested action. See Submittal Checklist
- 5. HAVE THERE BEEN ANY PREVIOUS APPEALS INVOLVING THIS PROPERTY? YES



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6.	APPLICANT INFORMATION: NAME_ John Gavin		PLANNING
	COMPANY Custom Sign Center, Inc		
	ADDRESS 3200 Valleyview Dr		
	CITY Columbus	STATE OH	ZIP 43204
	телернове 614-300-4235		
	E-MAIL john@customsigncenter.com		
7.	APPLICANT'S AFFILIATION TO THE PROPERTY OW	NER: Sign manufact	terer
8.	OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY:		
	NAME TH Troy LLC Tim Hortons		
	COMPANY Tim Horton's		
	ADDRESS 4036 Telegraph Suite 201		
	CITY Bloomfield Hills	STATE MI	ZIP 48302
	TELEPHONE (810) 360-8705		
	E-MAIL bell_patrick@timhortons.com		

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I, Patrick Bell, Agent (PROPERTY OWNER), HEREBY DEPOSE AND SAY THAT ALL THE ABOVE STATEMENTS AND STATEMENTS CONTAINED IN THE INFORMATION SUBMITTED ARE TRUE AND CORRECT AND GIVE PERMISSION FOR THE BOARD MEMBERS AND CITY STAFF TO CONDUCT A SITE VISIT TO ASCERTAIN PRESENT CONDITIONS.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	<sub>DATE</sub> 10/13/2012
PRINT NAME: John Gavin	
SIGNATURE OF PROPERTY OWNER A A AM PRINT NAME: Patrick Bell	DATEDATEDATE

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#### Variance Statement

We are appealing for relief from the sign code, Chapter 85.02.04(A) Sign Area and 85.02.05(4)(a).

The code reads as follows; "the area of the sign shall include the total area within any circle, triangle, rectangle, or other geometric shape enclosing the extreme limits of writing, representation, emblem or any similar figure, together with any frame or other material forming an integral part of the display or used to differentiate such sign from the background against which it is placed".

The code does not specifically address menu boards, but does state that no ground sign in a business district shall be more than 36 square feet, Chapter 85.02.05(4)(a). The message part of the ISMB menu is 36.83 square feet. The structural mounting to the footer is by rectangular steel tubes welded to a 41" steel plate bolted to anchor bolts in the concrete footer. This 4.25 square foot area is being included in the total square footage for the menu unit.

We conclude the area below the written messages of the menu is electrical and communications connections, and structural, but is covered with a metal panel front and back, for aesthetic and safety purposes. If this area of the unit were not included in the total square footage, the menu would be less than one square foot over the code requirement. We are asking for relief to allow this standard menu for the Tim Horton's Restaurant to be installed at its standard size and configuration.

Thank you.

Tim Horton's Café and Bake Shop











#### 3. <u>HEARING OF CASES</u>

E. <u>VARIANCE REQUEST, AFRAH ALBANNA FOR AUTOMOTIVE CASTLE,</u> <u>1251 ROCHESTER</u> – A variance for relief of the Sign Code to place a third ground sign measuring 40 square feet in size on the property. Section 85.02.05 (C) limits the maximum number of ground signs on this parcel to two signs.

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2. PROPERTY TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S):

88-20-34-201-036

- 3. CODE NAME (e.g. "BUILDING CODE", "SIGN CODE", etc.) AND SECTION(S) RELATED TO THE APPEAL:
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NOX

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6.	APPLICANT INFORMATION:
	NAME_AFrahAlbanna
	COMPANY Automotive Castle - Alsaham Inc.
	ADDRESS 1251 Rochester Rd.
	CITY_ TOY STATE MI. JP 48083
	CITYSTATESTATE
	E-MAIL Automotive Castle @ G. Mail. Com
7.	APPLICANT'S AFFILIATION TO THE PROPERTY OWNER:
8.	OWNER OF SUBJECT PROPERTY:
	NAME
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	ADDRESS
	E-MAIL

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PRINT NAME: Afrah Albanna	

SIGNATURE OF PROPERTY OWNER

DATE

PRINT NAME:

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PLANNING DEPARTMENT 500 W BIG BEAVER TROY MI 48084 248 524 3359 <u>evanspm@troymi.gov</u> SIGN ORDINANCE ONLINE <u>Ctrl+click here</u>



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- 1. COMBINE OR SCAN APPLICATION AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS INTO ONE FILE
- 2. E-MAIL THE FILE TO evanspm@troymi.gov
- 3. SIGN PERMIT WILL BE E-MAILED TO YOU

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**APPLICANT INFORMATION:** 

NAME			
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ADDRESS	13300 F	sley 5+ [	Detroit ME 48227
	13300 Fole	St STATE	
TELEPHONE	313-80	52 -5000	·
E-MAIL	Chris@Ra.	indouhi-1	tech- cun
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ARE OTHER SIGNS ON THE PR	ROPERTY ?: YES	NO IF YES, DESCRIBE TYPE AND SIZE BELOW:	

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The applicant accepts all responsibility for all of the measurements and dimensions contained within this application, attachments and/or plans, and the applicant releases the City of Troy and its employees, officers, and consultants from any responsibility or liability with respect thereto

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT	Ali	DATE 01112
PRINT NAME: Florahim	Uchainech	

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**Snell Industrial Ct** 

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16'

7<sup>'sign</sup> 20'

40'

20' setback to propose Sign W

85'

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## (Construction Detail)

### Galvanized framing tubing with .063 Aluminum Covering



# Lexan Sign 18 Grade

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