18VARIANCE1070 1709 Lytle Street



Louisville Metro Board of Zoning Adjustment
Public Hearing

Steve Hendrix, Planning Coordinator September 4, 2018

Requests

Variance: from Land Development Code to allow a proposed chain link fence to have a height of 76 inches at its highest point in the required front yard, Chapter 4.4.3.A.1.a.i.

Location	Requirement	Request	Variance
Fence Height	42 inches	76 inches	34 inches



Case Summary / Background

Fence to be approximately 5 feet from the Lytle Street pavement.

Does not create any type of sight distance concern.

Chain link fences and wooden privacy fences are adjacent to the property.

6 foot high chain link fence with 4 inch caps, placed behind the existing rose bushes.

Attempt to limit theft, drug use, squatters, and containment for the dogs.

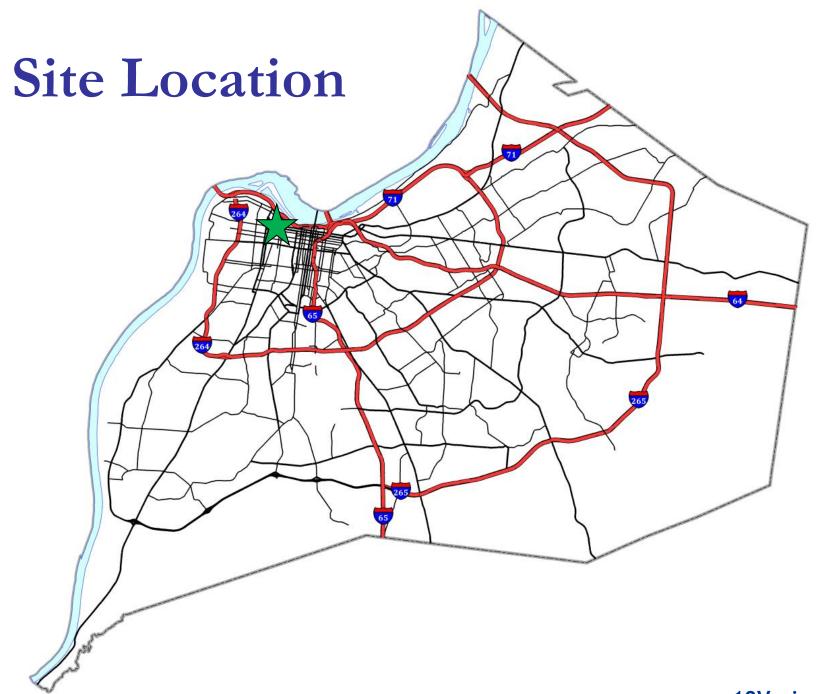
Improve the look of the property.

Allow a sense of security.

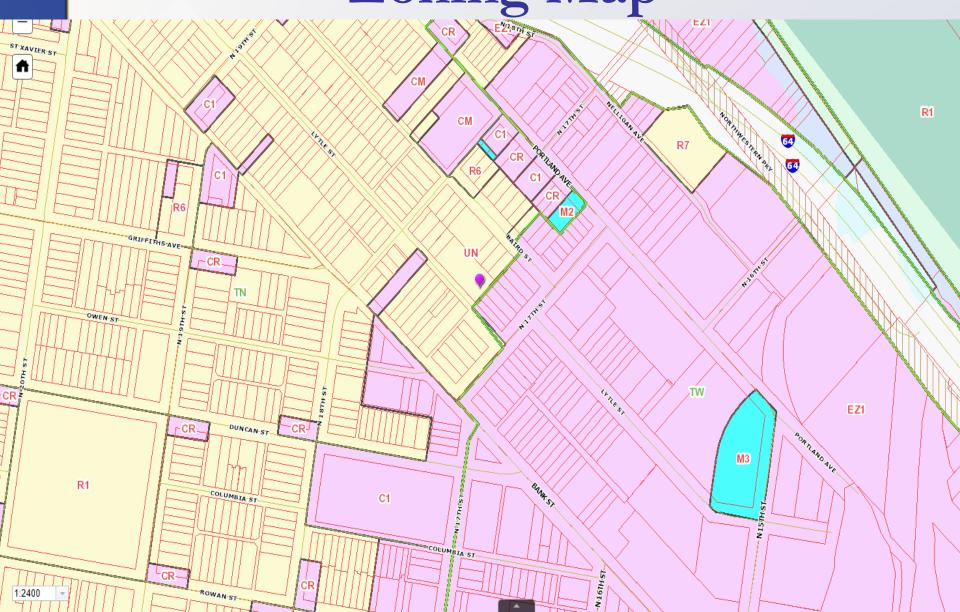
This portion of Lytle Street serves more like an alley.

Transportation has approved.

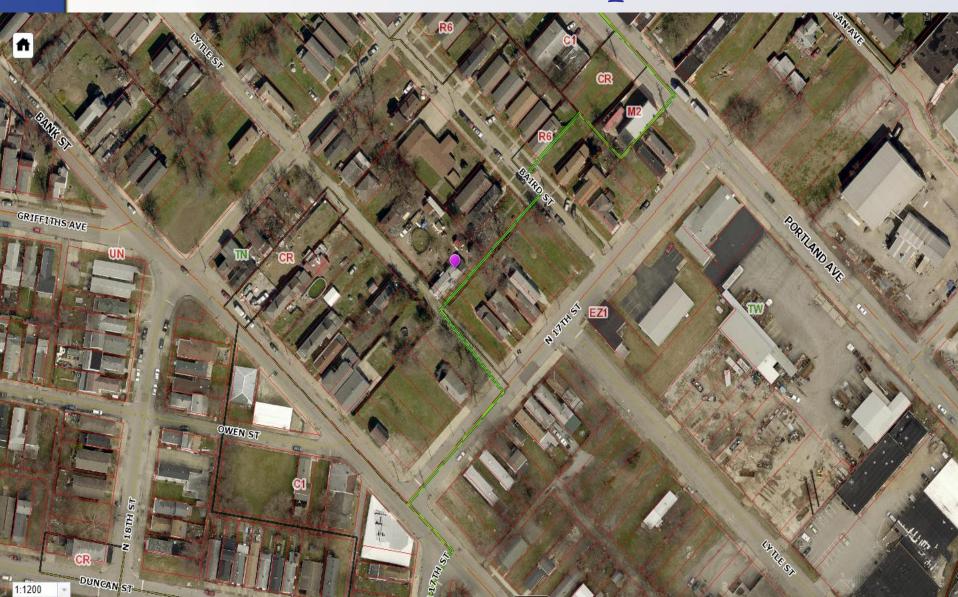




Zoning Map



Aerial Map





Existing Gate & Fence



View from 17th Street, looking west



Existing Fence



New Fence



Conclusions

 The variance request appears to be adequately justified and meets the standard of review.

• Must determine if the proposal meets the standard of review for granting a variance as established in the Land Development Code.



Required Actions

Variance: from Land Development Code to allow an existing fence to have an overall height of 76 inches in the required front yard—Chapter 4.4.3.A.1.a. (Traditional Neighborhood).

(6 foot fence with 4 inch caps on poles)

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