

Application for Zoning Board of Appeals Variance

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ZBA-23-001

Property Address 12 Terp Rd
Map OQ Block 14 Lot 5-6 Zone 2 Acres
Applicant Tommaso Progana 860-3013436 Address 12 Terp Ra Email (required) Carrie molloy a rocket mail com
Property Owner Phone
Address
Email (required)
Variance requested: Section 4.2. of the Zoning Regulations Variance relates to: Setbacks: (Front) Rear of Side Required: 5 25 Lot Coverage: Required: Proposed: Prop
Description of the Project
Strict application of the regulations would produce undue hardship because (Definition of a hardship on back):
The hardship created is unique and not shared by all properties alike in the neighborhood because:
Signature(s): Applicant Date
Owner Date

Mr. Tommaso Progano

12 Terp Road, East Hampton, CT 06424

(860) 704-0000

Town of East Hampton Planning & Zoning Commission One Community Drive, East Hampton, CT 06424

March 10, 2023

Re: Garage misplacement

Dear Planning & Zoning Commission,

I would like to begin this letter by apologizing for any and all problems I have caused in the miscalculation of my garage placement.

Approximately 15 years ago, I had received approval from the Planning & Zoning Commission to build a kennel for my dogs, which lay on a concrete foundation. After the dogs passed away, the area remained vacant. I recently tore down the kennel structure, leaving the concrete slab intact.

I am the owner of La Cantina Restaurant in Middletown and own two large trailers to conduct off-site food catering. These trailers are very long and quite heavy, and rather than continuing to park them in my backyard, I decided to utilize the former kennel space. Said trailers weigh approximately 18,000 pounds each and are 30 feet long. It was my understanding that the land in the former kennel area was well-suited to withstand the heavy weight of my work vehicles. By continuing to park them on the lawn, I would be both damaging the greenery as well as my trailers. Please note, said vehicles are up to date with both Department of Motor Vehicle registrations and the Town of East Hampton taxes, respectively.

Lastly, it has come to my attention that the new garage structure is not up to code. This is solely the result of an error on my part, and I will do whatever is needed to rectify it. Again, please accept my sincerest apologies.

Sincerely,

Tommaso Pograno

