

Guidelines for Requesting Variance

In 2005, the Trades Advisory Council membership recommended the creation of a process to provide the development community with a method for requesting consideration to vary from accepted procedures and guidelines in a specific situation. These situations may include but are not limited to backflow location, business hazard status, meter location, split services, sewer accessibility status and placement of service lines.

The membership of the Variance Review Committee is representative of the Engineering, System Services and Customer Service sections of MWS. The appropriate variance must be completed and submitted to the appropriate Permits staff member by fax 615-862-7257 or mary.jackson@nashville.gov. The request is reviewed and response communicated within two working days when possible.