



MINUTES

The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County

Board of Fire and Building Code Appeals

Meeting Date: **Tuesday – September 9, 2025**
Place: Development Service Conference Center, Metro office Building
800 President Ronald Reagan Way
Time: 9:00 A.M.

FIRE AND BUILDING BOARD MEMBERS	MEMBER TERM EXPIRES	MEMBER ATTENDANCE	STAFF PRESENT
Andy Berry Ilke Hanloser Marina Ntoupis - Chairman Tim Prow -Vice Chairman Devinder Sandhu Christopher Dunn Anthony Locke Laura Hollier Amy Hardin	July 20, 2029 July 19, 2026 June 20, 2025 July 19, 2026 July 20, 2029 March 1, 2027 March 1, 2026 March 2, 2027 March 1, 2029	Absent Present Absent Present Absent Absent Present Present Present	Nelson Gonzalez Shannon Roberts John Tyler Macy Amos Kelli Woodward Joe Almon Billy Burns Michael Figlio Will Dodd Theresa Hayes

AGENDA TOPICS

- I. **Call Meeting To Order**
- II. **Open Public Comment Period**
- III. **Appeal Cases**
- IV. **Other Business**
- V. **Approval Of Last Month's Minutes**
- VI. **Adjournment**

I. CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER

II. OPEN PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD – No one to comment at start of meeting. PERSONS WHO WISH TO COMMENT ON MATTERS THAT ARE GERMANE TO ITEMS ON THE AGENDA, MUST SIGN UP PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF THE MEETING. PLEASE SEE SECRETARY FOR SIGN UP SHEET.

TIME LIMIT ON TESTIMONY: The appellant along with all persons in support shall have 15 minutes total time to present their case. The appellant may petition the Board for additional time. If there is opposition, both sides shall be granted equal time. Any member of the Board may directly question a witness at any time during the testimony. Upon the conclusion of testimony, the public hearing shall be closed, and no further testimony or evidence shall be admitted except as the Board may permit.

III. APPEAL CASES

Appeal Case No. 20250071304

Site Address: **476 McMurray Drive**
Nashville, TN 37211

Represented by: Randy Williams
Father Boutros
Pishoy Saad

Map/Parcel Number: 16103003101

Appellant: Fr. Boutros/Randy Williams

Parcel Owner: St. Mina Coptic Orthodox Church

Code Provision: Per ICC A117.1 - 2017 -(1)-Section 405.3 - Cross slope of ramp runs shall not be steeper than 1:48. (2)-Section 405.7 - Ramps shall have landings at the bottom and top of each ramp run. (3)-Section 405.7.1 - Landings shall have a slope not steeper than 1:48 and shall comply with Section 302. (4)-Section 406.2.2 - The running slope of a curb ramp shall be 1:20 minimum and 1:12 maximum. (5)-Section 406.4.1 - The running slope of blended transitions shall be 1:20 maximum. (6)-Section 502.4.2 - Access aisles serving car and van parking spaces shall be 60 inches minimum in width. (7)-Section 502.5-Parking spaces and access aisles shall comply with Section 302 and have surface slopes not steeper than 1:48. Access aisles shall be at the same level as the parking spaces they serve. (8)- Curb ramps shall not encroach on accessible aisles.

Applicant Appeals: The appellant seeks relief from various ICC A117.1 - 2017 accessibility requirements due to existing site conditions.

Discussion:

Motion: Deny

Approved / Denied:

First: Hardin
Second: Hollier

Denied
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Appeal Case No. 20250073819

Site Address: **918 Woodland Street**
Nashville, TN 37206

Represented by: Amos Atkins
Cody Driggers
Michael Johnson

Map/Parcel Number: 08216007400

Appellant: Andy Atkins

Parcel Owner: Allen, Judy Twilley

Code Provision: Per the 2018 IBC - Table 602, requires exterior walls located less than 5 feet from a property line to have a 1-hour fire rating. Per 2018 IBC - Table 705.8, openings are not allowed where exterior walls are located less than 3 feet from a property line.

Applicant Appeals: Appellant would like to locate food truck on property line without fire rated exterior wall and also have an unprotected wall opening.

Discussion:

All code provisions were resolved before the meeting except for the variance of 10 ft. property line setbacks. Applicant sought approval for 9 ft. instead of 10 ft. from property line.

Motion: Approve

First: Hanloser
Second: Locke

Approved / Denied:

Approved
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IV. <u>OTHER BUSINESS</u>		
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V. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES:</u> Changes: Approval By: Signature of Chairman _____	
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VI. <u>MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT:</u>		
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