



City of Santa Barbara California

CITY OF SANTA BARBARA STAFF HEARING OFFICER

RESOLUTION NO. 030-08
212 ALSTON ROAD
MODIFICATION(S)
APRIL 23, 2008

APPLICATION OF RUSS BANKO FOR MIKE BELTON, 212 ALSTON ROAD,
APN 015-161-041, A-2 ZONES, GENERAL PLAN DESIGNATION: 2 UNITS PER ACRE
(MST2008-00093)

The project site is located on the corner of Alston Road and Alston Place, a private road. Current development on site consists of a single-family residence, attached garage, and swimming pool. The proposed project involves 560 square feet of new first floor habitable space for the residence and a 146 square foot expansion to the garage. The discretionary application required for this project is a Modification to allow the garage expansion to be located within the required interior setback (SBMC §28.15.060).

The Environmental Analyst has determined that the project is exempt from further environmental review pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Guidelines Section 15305.

WHEREAS, the Staff Hearing Officer has held the required public hearing on the above application, and the Applicant was present.

WHEREAS, no one appeared to speak either in favor of the application or opposition thereto, and the following exhibits were presented for the record:

1. Staff Report with Attachments, April 16, 2008.
2. Site Plans
3. Correspondence received in opposition to the project:
Paula Westbury, 650 Miramonte Drive, Santa Barbara, CA 93109

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Staff Hearing Officer:

Approved the project, making the findings that the Modification is necessary to secure an appropriate improvement of regulation sized parking for the property and meets the purpose and intent of the Ordinance by not providing new habitable space within a required setback.

This motion was passed and adopted on the 23rd day of April, 2008 by the Staff Hearing Officer of the City of Santa Barbara.

I hereby certify that this Resolution correctly reflects the action taken by the City of Santa Barbara Staff Hearing Officer at its meeting of the above date.



Kathleen Goo, Staff Hearing Officer Secretary



Date

PLEASE BE ADVISED:

1. This action of the Staff Hearing Officer can be appealed to the Planning Commission or the City Council within ten (10) days after the date the action was taken by the Staff Hearing Officer.
2. If you have any existing zoning violations on the property, other than those included in the conditions above, they must be corrected within thirty (30) days of this action.
3. **PLEASE NOTE: A copy of this resolution shall be reproduced on the first sheet of the drawings submitted with the application for a building permit.** The location, size and design of the construction proposed in the application for the building permit shall not deviate from the location, size and design of construction approved in this modification.
4. **NOTICE OF APPROVAL TIME LIMITS:** The Staff Hearing Officer's action approving the Performance Standard Permit or Modifications shall expire two (2) years from the date of the approval, per SBMC §28.87.360, unless:
 - a. A building permit for the construction authorized by the approval is issued within twenty four months of the approval. (An extension may be granted by the Staff Hearing Officer if the construction authorized by the permit is being diligently pursued to completion.) or;
 - b. The approved use has not been discontinued, abandoned or unused for a period of six months following the earlier of:
 - i. an Issuance of a Certificate of Occupancy for the use, or;
 - ii. one (1) year from granting the approval.