

City of Surrey PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT REPORT File: 7908-0091-01

Planning Report Date: June 11, 2012

PROPOSAL:

• Development Variance Permit

in order to vary the minimum lot depth, front yard and rear yard setbacks of the RF-12 Zone for two (2) single family lots.

 LOCATION:
 5904 - 144 Street

 OWNER:
 0749813 B C Ltd.

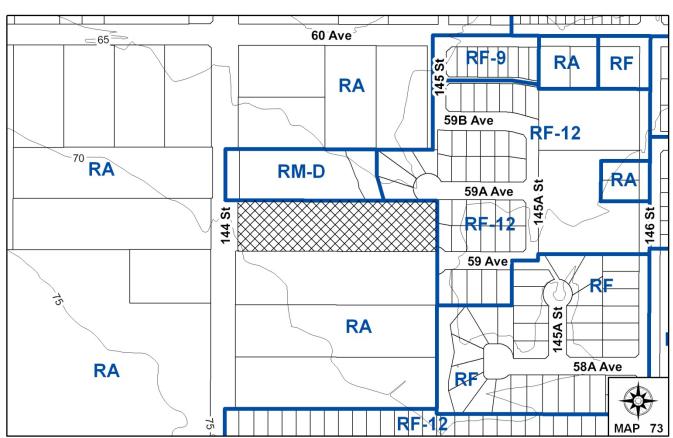
 ZONING:
 RA and RF-12

OCP DESIGNATION: Urban

NCP DESIGNATION: Creeks and Riparian

Setbacks/Townhouses (15 upa)/ Single Family Residential Flex (6-

14.5 upa)



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RECOMMENDATION SUMMARY

• Approval for Development Variance Permit to proceed to Public Notification.

DEVIATION FROM PLANS, POLICIES OR REGULATIONS

• In conjunction with an application to subdivide the subject property, the applicant is requesting a re-approval of a Development Variance Permit for the minimum lot depth, front yard and rear yard setbacks of the RF-12 Zone for two (2) proposed single family lots.

RATIONALE OF RECOMMENDATION

- The proposed lot area for the two lots in question are over 400 m², which is well over the minimum 320 m² (3,445 sq.ft.) lot area required under the RF-12 Zone.
- The proposed variance will enable the site to be subdivided in an efficient way, and will generally match the subdivision to the north and the proposed subdivision to the south.
- A similar DVP was approved by Council, however the previous DVP has expired.

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RECOMMENDATION

The Planning & Development Department recommends that:

- 1. Council approve Development Variance Permit No. 7908-0091-01 (Appendix III) varying the following, to proceed to Public Notification:
 - to reduce the minimum lot depth of the RF-12 Zone from 22 metres (72 ft.) to 19.9 metres (65 ft.) for Lot 2;
 - (b) to reduce the minimum lot depth of the RF-12 Zone from 22 metres (72 ft.) to 21.5 metres (71 ft.) for Lot 3;
 - (c) to reduce the minimum front yard setback of the RF-12 Zone from 6.0 metres (20 ft.) to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for Lot 2;
 - (d) to reduce the minimum rear yard setback of the RF-12 Zone from 7.5 metres (25 ft.) to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for Lot 2; and
 - (e) to reduce the minimum rear yard setback of the RF-12 Zone from 7.5 metres (25 ft.) to 6.5 metres (21 ft.) for 50% of the rear façade and to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for the remaining 50% of the rear façade for Lot 3.

DEVELOPMENT CONSIDERATIONS

Background

- The proposed development was approved by Council previously.
- Final Adoption of Rezoning By-law 16867 was granted on May 28, 2012, however the DVP has expired; therefore the applicant requests that Council re-approve the DVP.

BY-LAW VARIANCE AND JUSTIFICATION

- (a) Requested Variance:
 - To reduce the minimum lot depth of the RF-12 Zone from 22 metres (72 ft.) to 19.9 metres (65 ft.) for Lot 2;
 - To reduce the minimum lot depth of the RF-12 Zone from 22 metres (72 ft.) to 21.5 metres (71 ft.) for Lot 3;
 - To reduce the minimum front yard setback of the RF-12 Zone from 6.0 metres (20 ft.) to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for Lot 2;
 - To reduce the minimum rear yard setback of the RF-12 Zone from 7.5 metres (25 ft.) to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for Lot 2; and

• To reduce the minimum rear yard setback of the RF-12 Zone from 7.5 metres (25 ft.) to 6.5 metres (21 ft.) for 50% of the rear façade and to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for the remaining 50% of the rear façade for Lot 3.

Applicant's Reasons:

• The DVP is required in order to allow the development of these two (2) lots in between the existing cul-de-sac bulbs immediately to the north and south of the lots, and to achieve reasonable building envelopes on these constrained lots.

Staff Comments:

- The lot area for proposed Lot 2 is 403 m² (4,338 sq.ft.) and the lot area for proposed Lot 3 is 404 m² (4,348 sq.ft.); both of which substantially exceed the minimum 320 m² (3,445 sq.ft.) lot area of the RF-12 Zone.
- The proposed variance will enable the site to be subdivided in an efficient way, and will generally match the subdivision to the north and the proposed subdivision to the south.
- The City requested confirmation through a Design Consultant to ensure that there was no negative impact on the streetscape as a result of the reduction of the front yard setback. The City also sought confirmation that the narrower backyards would be adequately offset by the wide rear lot line for Lots 2 and 3.
- The proposed variances to the front and rear yard setbacks are consistent with the neighbourhood and are therefore supportable.

INFORMATION ATTACHED TO THIS REPORT

The following information is attached to this Report:

Appendix I. Lot Owners, Action Summary and Project Data Sheets and Survey Plan

Appendix II. Proposed Subdivision Layout

Appendix III. Development Variance Permit No. 7908-0091-01

original signed by Nicholas Lai

Jean Lamontagne General Manager Planning and Development

<u>Information for City Clerk</u>

Legal Description and Owners of all lots that form part of the application:

ı. (a) Agent: Name: Mike Kompter

Hub Engineering Inc.

Address: #101 - 7485 - 130 Street

Surrey, B.C. V₃W ₁H8

Tel: 604-572-4328

2. Properties involved in the Application

(a) Civic Address: 5904 - 144 Street

(b) Civic Address: 5904 - 144 Street Owner: 0749813 BC Ltd.

> <u>Director Information:</u> Bhupinder Singh Bal Gurcharn Singh Brar

Officer Information as at February 23, 2007

Bhupinder Bal (President)

PID: 006-538-738

Lot 28 Section 10 Township 2 New Westminster District Plan 30302

- 3. Summary of Actions for City Clerk's Office
 - (a) Proceed with Public Notification for Development Variance Permit No. 7908-0091-01

CITY OF SURREY

(the "City")

DEVELOPMENT VARIANCE PERMIT

NO.:	7908-0091-01

Issued To: 0749813 BC LTD

("the Owner")

Address of Owner: 433 -7231 - 120 Street

Delta BC V₄C 6P₅

- 1. This development variance permit is issued subject to compliance by the Owner with all statutes, by-laws, orders, regulations or agreements, except as specifically varied by this development variance permit.
- 2. This development variance permit applies to that real property including land with or without improvements located within the City of Surrey, with the legal description and civic address as follows:

Parcel Identifier: 006-538-738 Lot 28 Section 10 Township 2 New Westminster District Plan 30302

5904 - 144 Street

(the "Land")

3. (a) As the legal description of the Land is to change, the City Clerk is directed to insert the new legal description for the Land once title(s) has/have been issued, as follows:

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(b) If the civic address changes, the City Clerk is directed to insert the new civic address for the Land, as follows:

- 4. Surrey Zoning By-law, 1993, No. 12000, as amended, is varied as follows in accordance with the attached plan (Schedule A), which forms part of this development variance permit:
 - (a) In Section F of Part 17A Single Family Residential (12) Zone (RF-12), the minimum lot depth of the RF-12 Zone is reduced from 22 metres (72 ft.) to 19.9 metres (65 ft.) for Lot 2;

- (b) In Section K.2 of Part 17A Single Family Residential (12) Zone (RF-12), the minimum lot depth of the RF-12 Zone is reduced from 22 metres (72 ft.) to 21.5 metres (71 ft.) for Lot 3;
- (c) In Section K.2 of Part 17A Single Family Residential (12) Zone (RF-12), the minimum front yard setback of the RF-12 Zone is reduced from 6.0 metres (20 ft.) to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for Lot 2;
- (d) In Section F of Part 17A Single Family Residential (12) Zone (RF-12), the minimum rear yard setback of the RF-12 Zone is reduced from 7.5 metres (25 ft.) to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for Lot 2; and
- (e) In Section F of Part 17A Single Family Residential (12) Zone (RF-12), the minimum rear yard setback of the RF-12 Zone is reduced from 7.5 metres (25 ft.) to 6.5 metres (21 ft.) for 50% of the rear façade and to 5.0 metres (17 ft.) for the remaining 50% of the rear façade for Lot 3.
- 5. The Land shall be developed strictly in accordance with the terms and conditions and provisions of this development variance permit.
- 6. This development variance permit shall lapse unless the subdivision, as conceptually shown on Schedule B, which is attached hereto and forms part of this development variance permit, is registered in the New Westminster Land Title Office within three (3) years after the date this development variance permit is issued.
- 7. The terms of this development variance permit or any amendment to it, are binding on all persons who acquire an interest in the Land.
- 8. This development variance permit is not a building permit.

AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE COUNCIL, THE $\,$ DAY OF $\,$, 20 $\,$. ISSUED THIS $\,$ DAY OF $\,$, 20 $\,$.

Mayor – Dianne L. Watts

City Clerk – Jane Sullivan

