

VAUGHAN Staff Report Summary

Item #16

Ward #2

A038/21
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Applicant: Bridgette Riga

50 Alpha Court, Woodbridge Address:

The DAKT Group Agent:

Please note that comments and written public submissions received after the preparation of this Staff Report (up until noon on the last business day prior to the day of the scheduled hearing date) will be provided as an addendum.

Commenting Department	Positive Comment	Condition(s)
	Negative Comment	√ ×
Committee of Adjustment	$\overline{\mathbf{V}}$	
Building Standards	V	
Building Inspection	V	
Development Planning		
Development Engineering	V	
Parks, Forestry and Horticulture Operations	V	$\overline{\mathbf{V}}$
By-law & Compliance		
Financial Planning & Development	V	
Fire Department		
TRCA		
Ministry of Transportation		
Region of York	$\overline{\checkmark}$	
Alectra (Formerly PowerStream)	V	
Public Correspondence (see Schedule B)	V	
Adjournment History: None		
Background History: None		

Staff Report Prepared By: Adriana MacPherson Hearing Date: Thursday, April 8, 2021



Minor Variance Application

Agenda Item:16

A038/21 Ward: 2

Staff Report Prepared By: Adriana MacPherson, Assistant Secretary Treasurer

Date & Time of Live Stream Hearing:

Thursday, April 8, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.

As a result of COVID-19, Vaughan City Hall and all other City facilities are closed to

the public at this time.

A live stream of the meeting is available at Vaughan.ca/LiveCouncil

Please submit written comments by mail or email to:

City of Vaughan

Office of the City Clerk – Committee of Adjustment 2141 Major Mackenzie Drive, Vaughan, ON L6A 1T1

cofa@vaughan.ca

To make an electronic deputation at the meeting please contact the Committee of

Adjustment at cofa@vaughan.ca or 905-832-8504. Ext. 8332

Written comments or requests to make a deputation must be received by noon on

the last business day before the meeting.

Applicant: Bridgette Riga

Agent: The DAKT Group

Property: 50 Alpha Court, Woodbridge

Zoning: The subject lands are zoned R1 and subject to the provisions of Exception 9(827)

under By-law 1-88 as amended.

OP Designation: Vaughan Official Plan 2010 ('VOP 2010'): "Low-Rise Residential"

Related Files: None

Purpose: Relief from the By-law is being requested to permit a proposed gazebo, shed and in

ground pool in the rear yard.

The following variances are being requested from By-Law 1-88, as amended, to accommodate the above proposal:

By-law Requirement	Proposal
1. An accessory structure shall be located in the rear	1. The proposed accessory building (storage shed) is
yard. [4.1.1 c)]	not located in the rear yard.
2. The maximum lot coverage shall be 35%. [4.1.9,	2. The proposed lot coverage is 39.05%.
Schedule "A"]	(Dwelling 32.12%, Gazebo 5.44%, Shed 1.49%)

Background (previous applications approved by the Committee on the subject land): None

For information on the previous approvals listed above please visit www.vaughan.ca. To search for a file number, enter it using quotes around it. For example, "A001/17".

To search property address, enter street number and street name using quotes. For example, "2141 Major Mackenzie". Do not include street type (i.e. drive).

Adjournment History: None

Staff & Agency Comments

Please note that staff/agency comments received after the preparation of this Report will be provided as an addendum item to the Committee. Addendum items will shall only be received by the Secretary Treasurer until **noon** on the last business day **prior** to the day of the scheduled Meeting.

Committee of Adjustment:

Public notice was mailed on March 24, 2021

Applicant confirmed posting of signage on March 24, 2021

Property Information					
Existing Structures	Year Constructed				
Dwelling	1996				
Gazebo	TBC				
Shed	TBC				
In- Ground Pool	TBC				

Applicant has advised that they cannot comply with By-law for the following reason(s): The by-law states that the coverage allowable is 35% and with the existing dwelling and garage, the remaining area permissible does not allow for a Gazebo area that would accommodate the space required for a dining and sitting area.

Adjournment Request: N/A

Building Standards (Zoning Review):

Stop Work Order(s) and Order(s) to Comply: There are no outstanding Orders on file.

A Building Permit has not been issued. The Ontario Building Code requires a building permit for structures that exceed 10m².

The applicant shall be advised that additional variances may be required upon review of detailed drawing for building permit/site plan approval.

Building Inspections (Septic):

No comments or concerns

Development Planning:

Vaughan Official Plan 2010 ('VOP 2010'): "Low-Rise Residential"

Application under review, subject to completion of Urban Design review and comment.

Development Engineering:

The Development Engineering (DE) Department does not object to variance application A038/21.

Parks Development - Forestry:

Recommended condition of approval:

Applicant shall obtain a private property tree removal & protection permit from the Forestry Division, which includes tree protection (hoarding) installation prior to tree permit approval. Application received by Forestry on March 3, 2021 approval is pending hoarding installation & approval.

By-Law and Compliance, Licensing and Permit Services:

No Response.

Financial Planning and Development Finance:

No comments, no concerns.

Fire Department:

No Response.

Schedule A - Plans & Sketches

Schedule B - Public Correspondence

Petition in Support (56 Alpha Court, 42 Alpha Court and 88 Harvester Crescent)

Schedule C - Agency Comments

Alectra (Formerly PowerStream) – No concerns or objections Region of York – No concerns or objections

Schedule D - Previous Approvals (Notice of Decision)

None

Staff Recommendations:

Staff and outside agencies (i.e. TRCA) act as advisory bodies to the Committee of Adjustment. Comments received are provided in the form of recommendations to assist the Committee.

The Planning Act sets the criteria for authorizing minor variances to the City of Vaughan's Zoning By-law. Accordingly, review of the application considers the following:

- ✓ That the general intent and purpose of the by-law will be maintained.
- ✓ That the general intent and purpose of the official plan will be maintained.
- ✓ That the requested variance(s) is/are acceptable for the appropriate development of the subject lands.
- ✓ That the requested variance(s) is/are minor in nature.

Should the Committee find it appropriate to approve this application in accordance with request and the sketch submitted with the application as required by Ontario Regulation 200/96, the following conditions have been recommended:

	Department/Agency	Condition
1	Development Planning	Application under review.
	Roberto Simbana	
	905-832-8585 x 8810	
	roberto.simbana@vaughan.ca	
2	Parks Development - Forestry	Applicant shall obtain a private property tree removal &
	Patrick Courchesne	protection permit from the Forestry Division, which includes tree
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Conditions

It is the responsibility of the owner/applicant and/or authorized agent to obtain and provide a clearance letter from respective department and/or agency. This letter must be provided to the Secretary-Treasurer to be finalized. All conditions must be cleared prior to the issuance of a Building Permit.

Please Note:

Relief granted from the City's Zoning By-law is determined to be the building envelope considered and approved by the Committee of Adjustment.

Development outside of the approved building envelope (subject to this application) must comply with the provisions of the City's Zoning By-law or additional variances may be required.

Elevation drawings are provided to reflect the style of roof to which building height has been applied (i.e. flat, mansard, gable etc.) as per By-law 1-88 and the Committee of Adjustment approval. Please note, that architectural design features (i.e. window placement), that do not impact the style of roof approved by the Committee, are not regulated by this decision.

Notice to the Applicant – Development Charges

That the payment of the Regional Development Charge, if required, is payable to the City of Vaughan before issuance of a building permit in accordance with the Development Charges Act and the Regional Development Charges By-law in effect at the time of payment.

That the payment of the City Development Charge, if required, is payable to the City of Vaughan before issuance of a building permit in accordance with the Development Charges Act and the City's Development Charges By-law in effect at the time of payment.

That the payment of the Education Development Charge if required, is payable to the City of Vaughan before issuance of a building permit in accordance with the Development Charges Act and the Boards of Education By-laws in effect at the time of payment

That the payment of Special Area Development charge, if required, is payable to the City of Vaughan before issuance of a building permit in accordance with the Development Charges Act and The City's Development Charge By-law in effect at the time of Building permit issuance to the satisfaction of the Reserves/Capital Department.

PLEASE NOTE: As a result of COVID-19, Vaughan City Hall and all other City facilities are closed to the public at this time.

PUBLIC CONSULTATION DURING OFFICE CLOSURE: Any person who supports or opposes this application, but is unable to attend the hearing, may make a written submission, together with reasons for support or opposition. Written submissions on an Application shall only be received until **noon** on the last business day **prior** to the day of the scheduled hearing. Written submissions can be mailed and/or emailed to:

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ELECTRONIC PARTICIPATION: During the COVID-19 emergency, residents can view a live stream of the meeting <u>Vaughan.ca/LiveCouncil</u>. To make an electronic deputation, residents must complete and submit a <u>Public Deputation Form</u> no later than **noon** on the last business prior to the scheduled hearing. To obtain a Public Deputation Form please contact our office or visit <u>www.vaughan.ca</u>

Presentations to the Committee are generally limited to 5 minutes in length. Please note that Committee of Adjustment meetings may be audio/video recorded. Your name, address comments and any other personal information will form part of the public record pertaining to this application.

PUBLIC RECORD: Personal information is collected under the authority of the Municipal Act, the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (MFIPPA), the Planning Act and all other relevant legislation, and will be used to assist in deciding on this matter. All personal information (as defined by MFIPPA), including (but not limited to) names, addresses, opinions and comments collected will become property of the City of Vaughan, will be made available for public disclosure (including being posted on the internet) and will be used to assist the Committee of Adjustment and staff to process this application.

NOTICE OF DECISION: If you wish to be notified of the decision in respect to this application or a related Local Planning Appeal Tribunal (LPAT) hearing you must complete a Request for Decision form and submit to the Secretary Treasurer (ask staff for details). In the absence of a written request to be notified of the Committee's decision you will **not** receive notice.

For further information please contact the City of Vaughan, Committee of Adjustment Adriana MacPherson

T 905 832 8585 Extension 8360 E CofA@vaughan.ca

Schedule A: Plans & Sketches

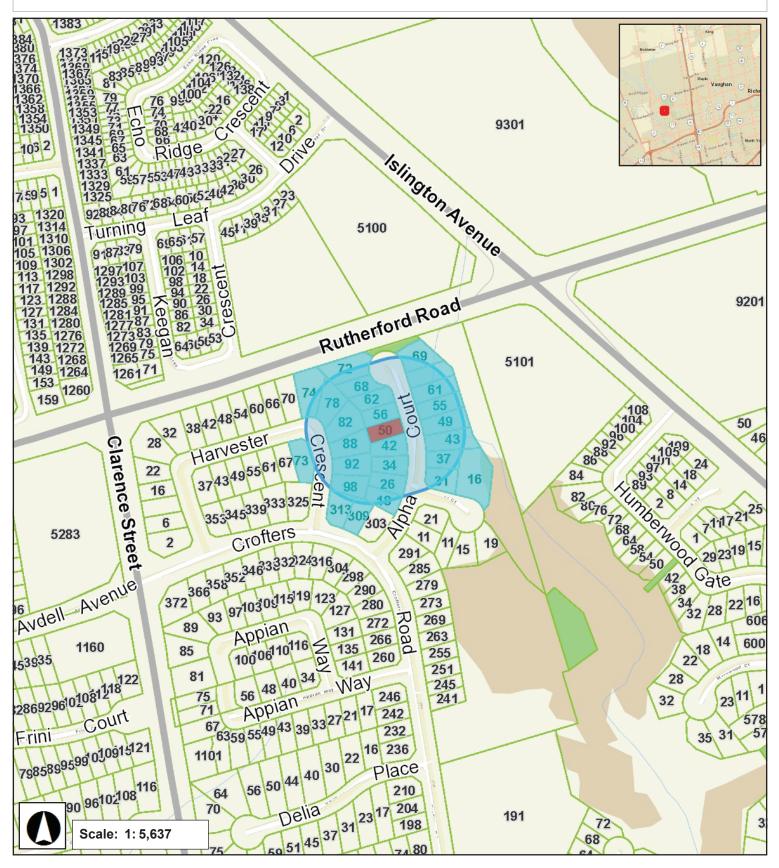
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Location Map Plans & Sketches



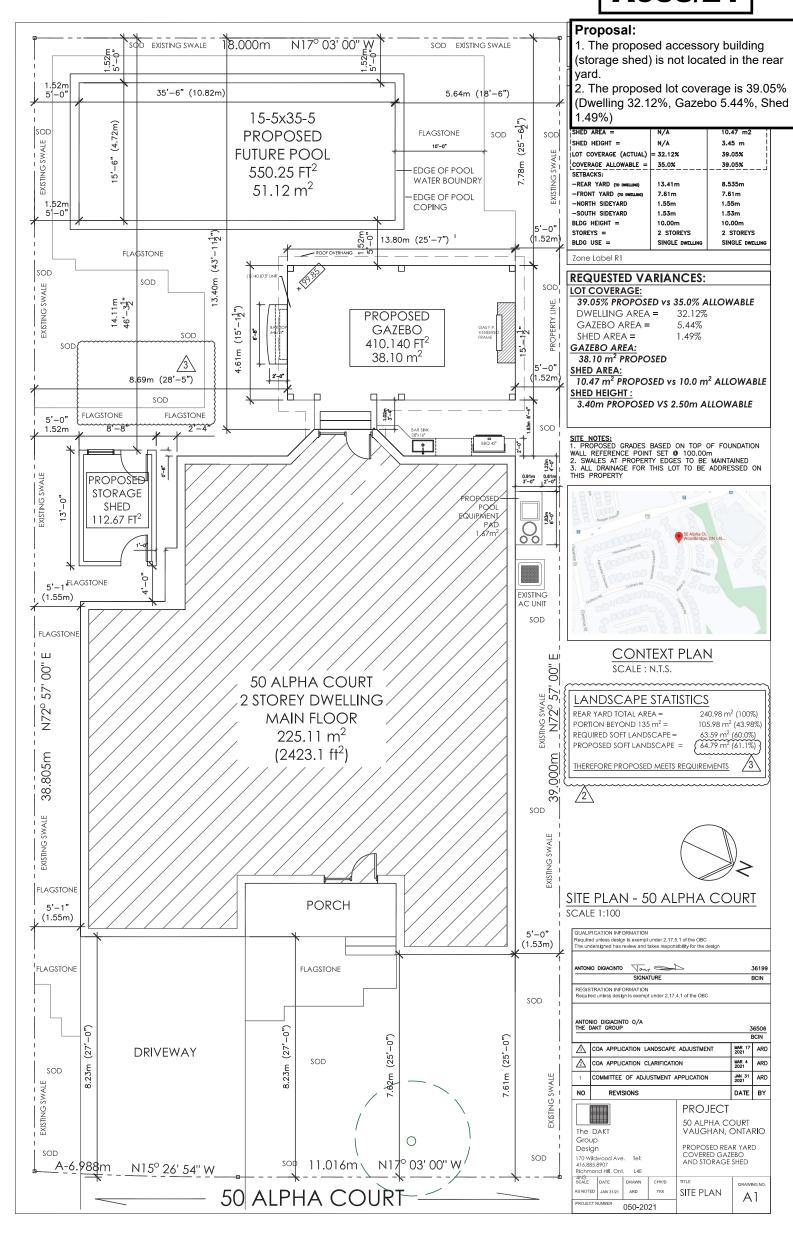
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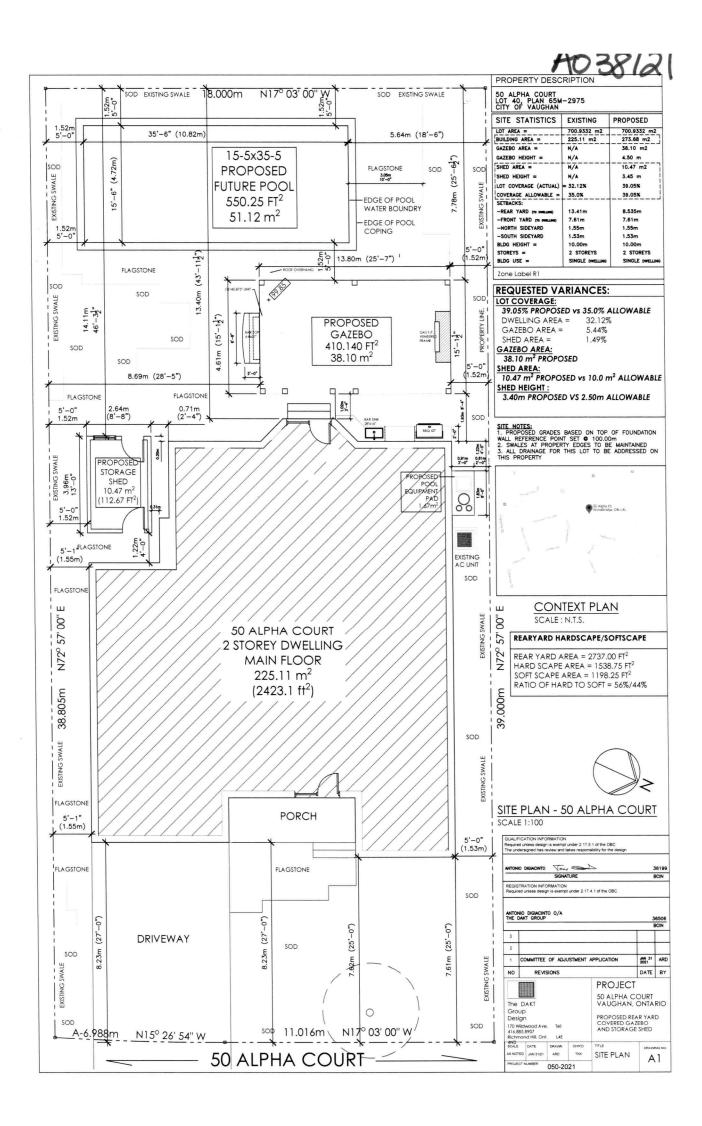
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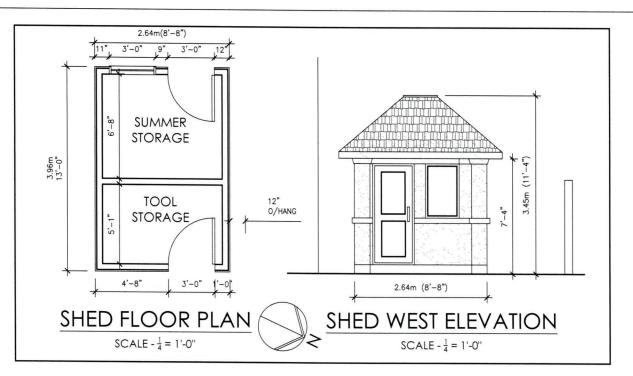


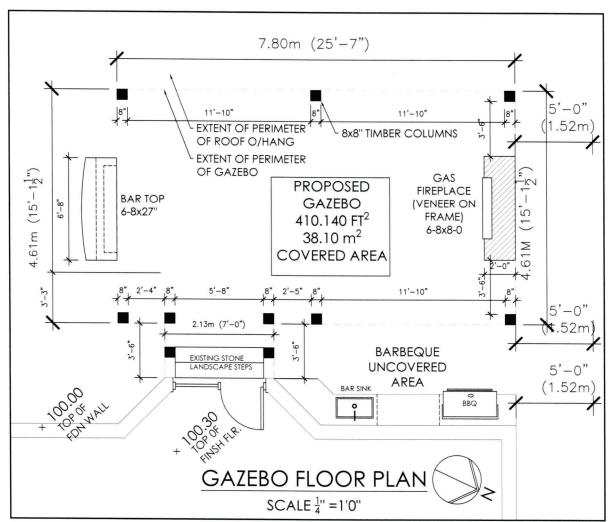
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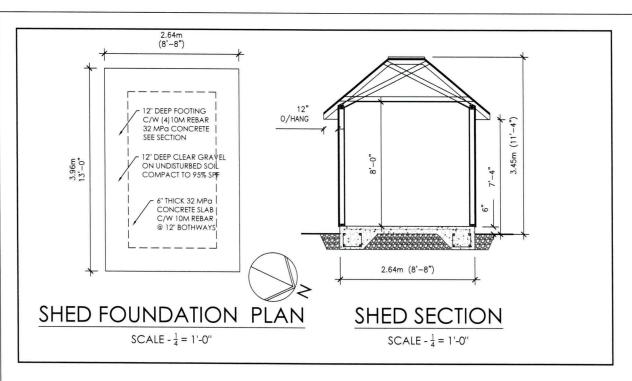


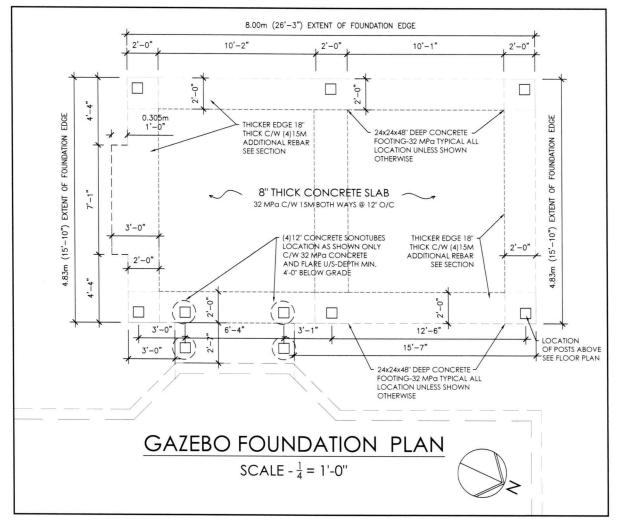




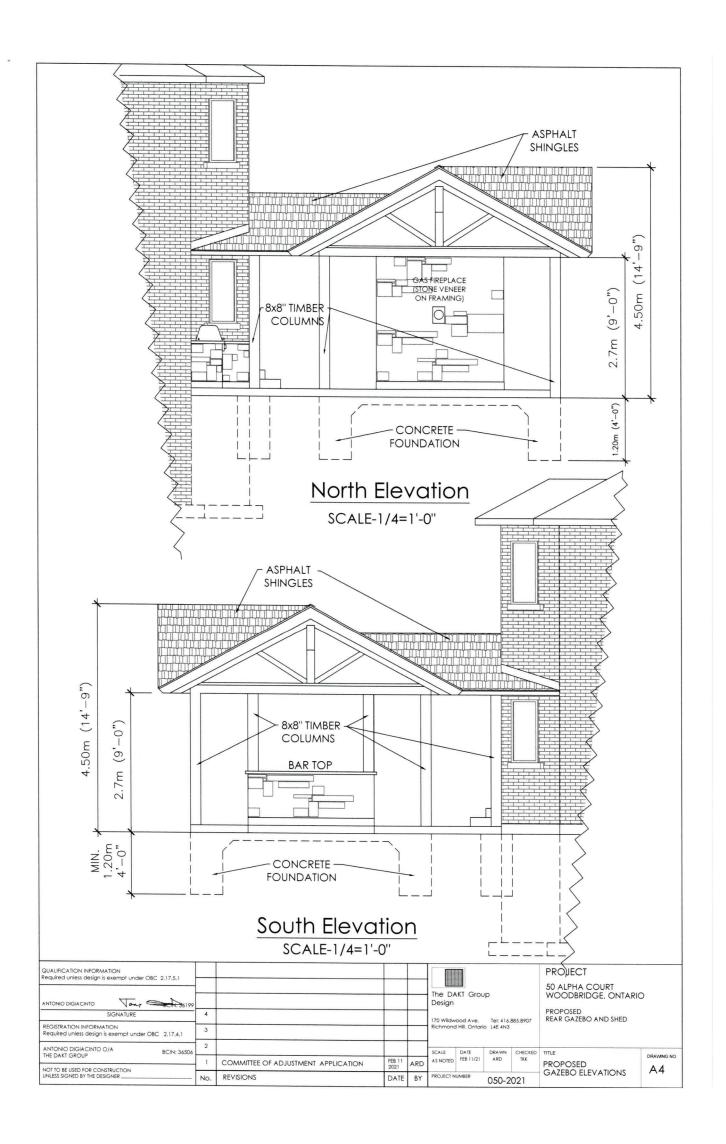


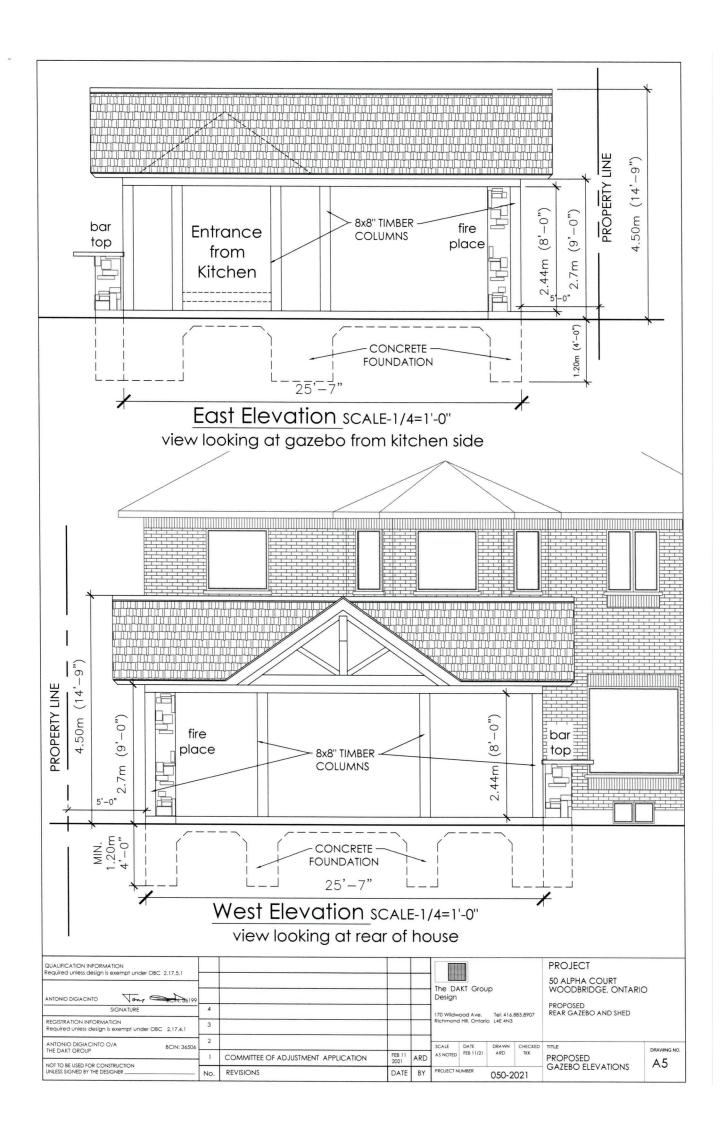
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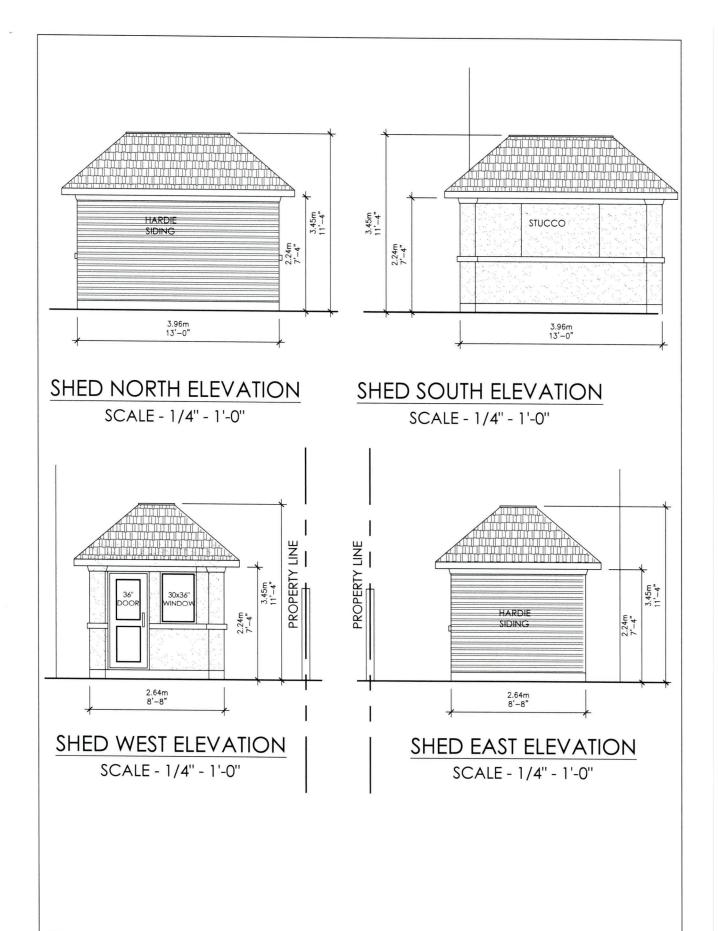




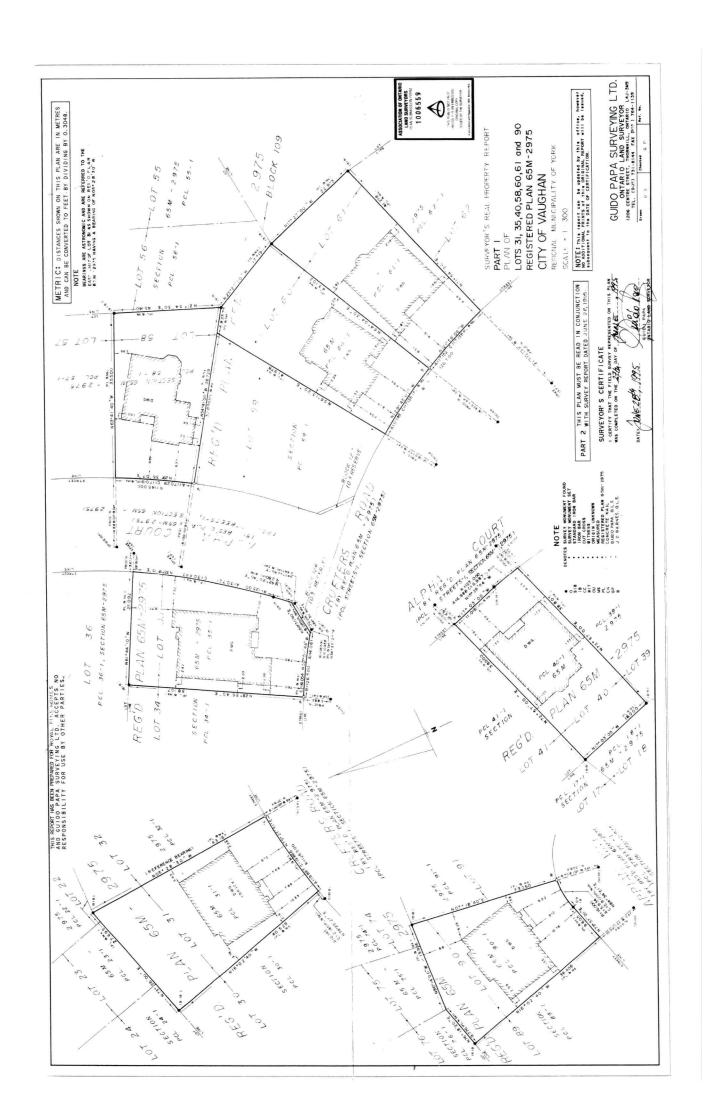
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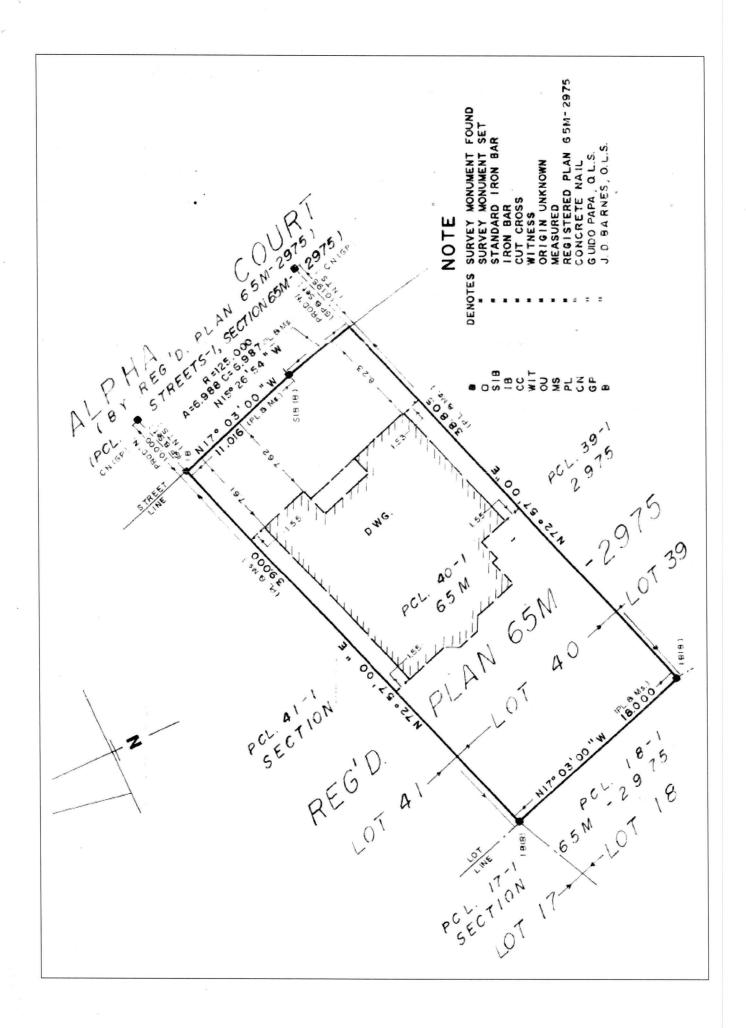






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50 ALPHA COURT VAUGHAN, ONTARIO

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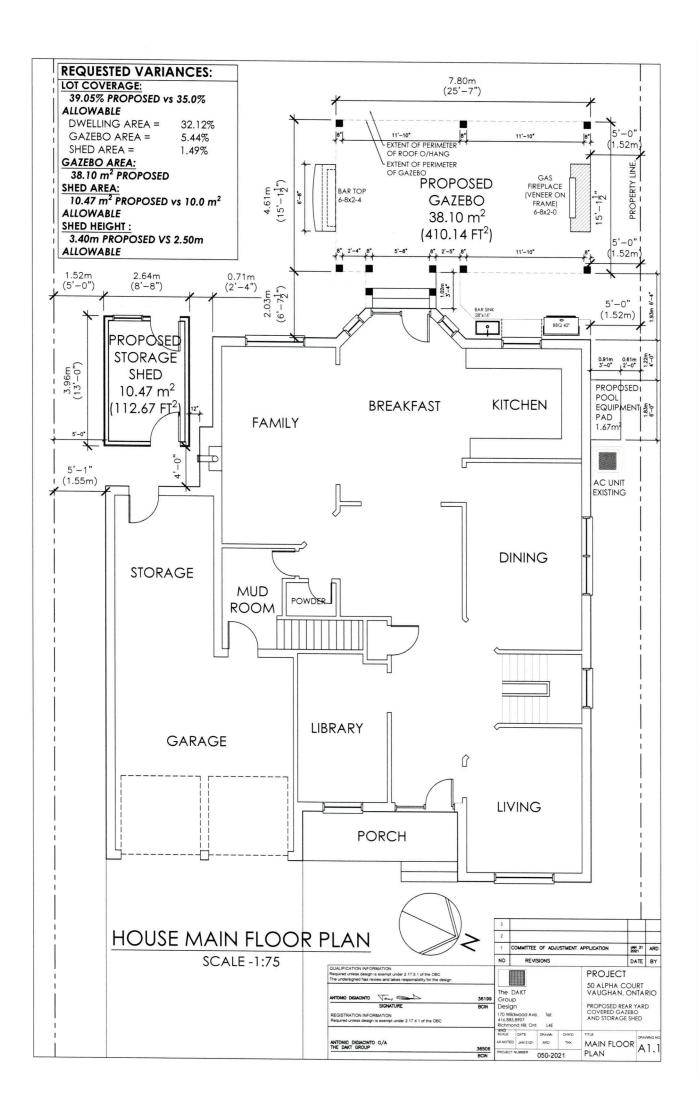
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ISSUED: FEB 11, 2021

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Schedule B: Public Correspondence Received

Please note that the correspondence listed in Schedule B is not comprehensive. Written submissions received after the preparation of this staff report will be provided as an addendum.

Petition in Support (56 Alpha Court, 42 Alpha Court and 88 Harvester Crescent)

RE: 50 Alpha Court, Minor Variance Application Request for Support

Regarding the Committee of Adjustment Minor variance application, please see the summary of supporters for the application at the above noted property and as per the attached plan.

- 1. Lot Coverage: Proposed 39.05% vs Allowable 35.0%
 - a. Dwelling Area = 32.12%
 - b. Gazebo Area= 5.44% at 38.10 sq.m.
 - c. Shed Area = 1.49%
- 2. Shed Area is proposed at 10.47 sq.m. vs Allowable 10.0sq.m.
 - 3. Shed Height is 3.40m proposed vs 2.50m Allowable.

By signing this document, you acknowledge the application, and are affixing your signature in support of said application. Thank you for your support.

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Schedule C: Agency Comments

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Alectra (Formerly PowerStream) – No concerns or objections Region of York – No concerns or objections



COMMENTS:

	We have reviewed the proposed Variance Application and have no comments or objections to its approval.
X	We have reviewed the proposed Variance Application and have no objections to its approval, subject to the following comments (attached below).
	We have reviewed the proposed Variance Application and have the following concerns (attached below).

Alectra Utilities (formerly PowerStream) has received and reviewed the proposed Variance Application. This review, however, does not imply any approval of the project or plan.

All proposed billboards, signs, and other structures associated with the project or plan must maintain minimum clearances to the existing overhead or underground electrical distribution system as specified by the applicable standards, codes and acts referenced.

In the event that construction commences, and the clearance between any component of the work/structure and the adjacent existing overhead and underground electrical distribution system violates the Occupational Health and Safety Act, the customer will be responsible for 100% of the costs associated with Alectra making the work area safe. All construction work will be required to stop until the safe limits of approach can be established.

In the event construction is completed, and the clearance between the constructed structure and the adjacent existing overhead and underground electrical distribution system violates the any of applicable standards, acts or codes referenced, the customer will be responsible for 100% of Alectra's cost for any relocation work.

References:

- Ontario Electrical Safety Code, latest edition (Clearance of Conductors from Buildings)
- Ontario Health and Safety Act, latest edition (Construction Protection)
- Ontario Building Code, latest edition (Clearance to Buildings)
- PowerStream(Construction Standard 03-1, 03-4, 03-9), attached
- Canadian Standards Association, latest edition (Basic Clearances)

If more information is required, please contact either of the following:

Mr. Stephen Cranley, C.E.T

Supervisor, Distribution Design, ICI & Layouts (North)

Phone: 1-877-963-6900 ext. 31297

E-mail: stephen.cranley@alectrautilities.com

Mr. Tony D'Onofrio

Supervisor, Subdivisions (Alectra East) *Phone*: 1-877-963-6900 ext. 24419

Email: tony.donofrio@alectrautilities.com

MacPherson, Adriana

Subject: FW: A038/21 - Request for Comments

From: Hurst, Gabrielle <Gabrielle.Hurst@york.ca>

Sent: March-30-21 11:27 AM

To: MacPherson, Adriana < Adriana. MacPherson@vaughan.ca>

Cc: Committee of Adjustment <CofA@vaughan.ca> **Subject:** [External] RE: A038/21 - Request for Comments

Good Morning Adriana,

The Regional Municipality of York has completed its review of the above minor variance and has no comment.

Gabrielle

Gabrielle Hurst MCIP RPP | Community Planning and Development Services | The Regional Municipality of York | 1-877 464 9675 ext 71538 | Gabrielle.hurst@york.ca | www.york.ca | <a h