



SITE ADDRESS: 1762 W. UNION BLVD. BETHLEHEM PA 18018

Office Use Only:

DATE SUBMITTED: MAY 29, 2019

HEARING DATE: JUNE 26, 2019

PLACARD: YES

FEE: 250⁰⁰

ZONING CLASSIFICATION: RS

LOT SIZE: 8,450 Sq. Ft.



**APPLICATION FOR APPEAL TO THE CITY OF BETHLEHEM ZONING HEARING BOARD,
10 E. CHURCH STREET, BETHLEHEM, PA 18018**

1. Return one (1) original and seven (7) copies of this application and all supporting documentation to the Zoning Officer, along with the filing fee. Include site plans and/or floor plans as necessary.
2. The application is due by 4PM the 4th Wednesday of the month. The hearing will be held the 4th Wednesday of the next month.
3. If you are submitting MORE THAN 10 exhibits at the hearing, you MUST place them in an indexed binder and submit at one time.

Appeal/Application to the City of Bethlehem Zoning Hearing Board is hereby made by the undersigned for: (check applicable item(s):

- Appeal of the determination of the Zoning Officer
- Appeal from an Enforcement Notice dated _____
- Variance from the City of Bethlehem Zoning Ordinance
- Special Exception permitted under the City Zoning Ordinance
- Other: _____

SECTION 1

APPLICANT:	
Name	<u>MICHAEL LEUPOLD</u>
Address	<u>1762 W. UNION BLVD</u>
	<u>BETHLEHEM PA 18018</u>
Phone:	
Email:	
OWNER (if different from Applicant): Note. If Applicant is NOT the owner, attach written	

authorization from the owner of the property when this application is filed.
Name
Address
Phone:
Email:
ATTORNEY (if applicable):
Name
Address
Phone:
Email:

SECTION 2. INFORMATION REGARDING THE REAL ESTATE

1. Attach a site plan, drawn to scale, of the real estate. Include existing and proposed natural and man-made features.
2. Attach photographs.
3. If the real estate is presently under Agreement of Sale, attach a copy of the Agreement.
4. If the real estate is presently leased, attached a copy of the present lease.
5. If this real estate has been the object of a prior zoning hearing, attach a copy of the Decision.

SECTION 3.

THE RELIEF SOUGHT:

If the Applicant seeks a dimensional variance for any setback, lot coverage, distance between certain uses, etc., please state the following:

Section of Code	Dimension Required by Code	Dimension Proposed by Applicant	Variance Sought
<u>1306.01(a)(2)</u>	<u>25% MAX BLDG CVG.</u>	<u>30% MAX BLDG CVG.</u>	<u>5%</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

If the Applicant seeks a use or other variance, please state the **specific section(s)** of the Zoning Ordinance applicable and describe the variance sought.

If the Applicant seeks a Special Exception, please state the **specific section (s)** of Zoning Ordinance applicable: _____

If the Applicant seeks an appeal from an interpretation of the Zoning Officer, state the remedy sought in accordance with Sec. 1325.11 (b):

NARRATIVE

A brief statement reflecting why zoning relief is sought and should be granted must be submitted.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained in and attached to this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I also certify that I understand that any and all federal, state or local rules and regulations, licenses and approvals shall be obtained if the appeal is granted.

Michael Suel
Applicant's Signature

4/29/2019
Date

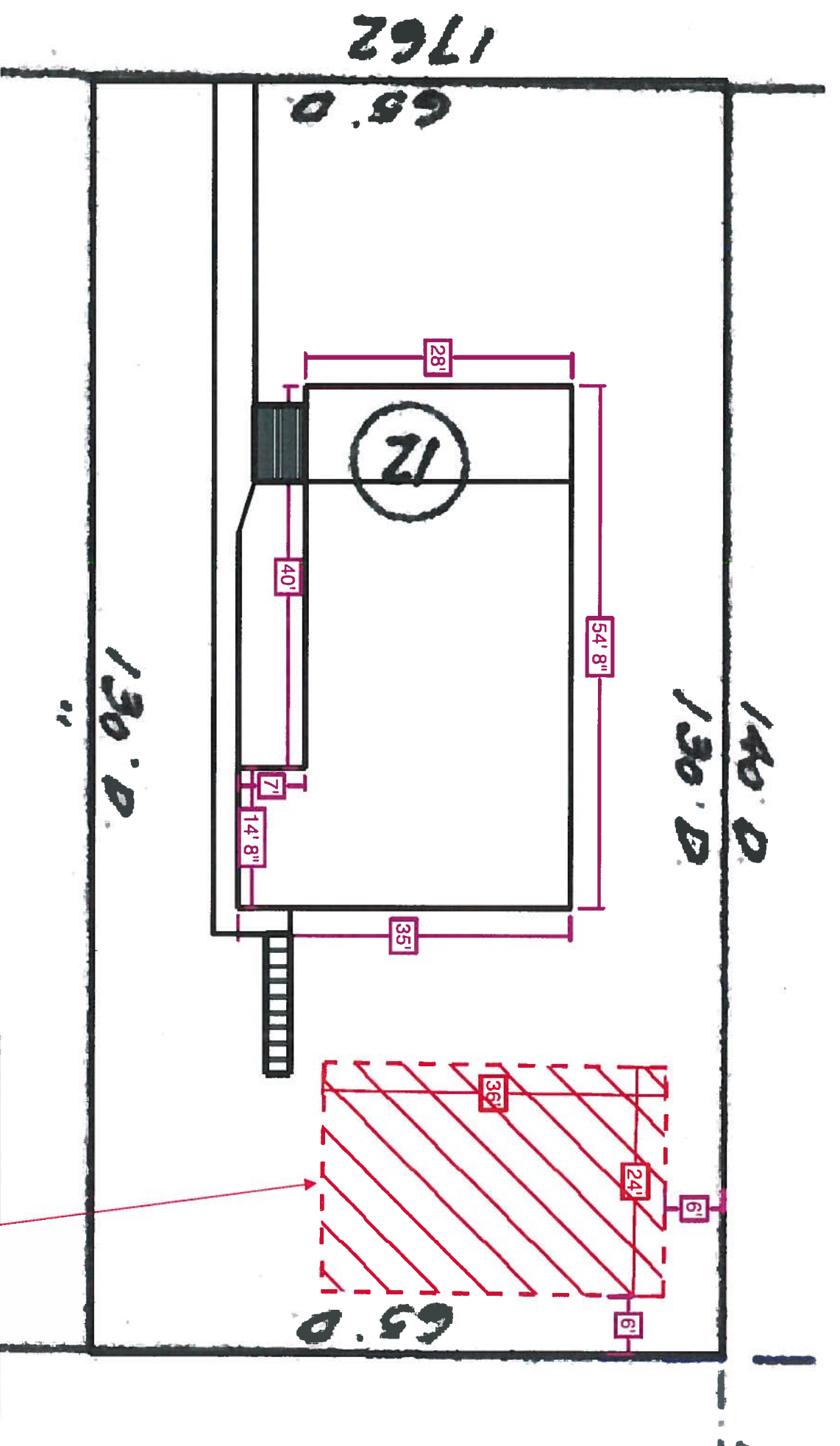
Suel Suel
Property owner's Signature

4/29/2019
Date

Received by

Date

NOTICE: If the Decision of the Zoning Hearing Board is appealed, the appellant is responsible for the cost of the transcript.



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Lot Size: 8450 ft²

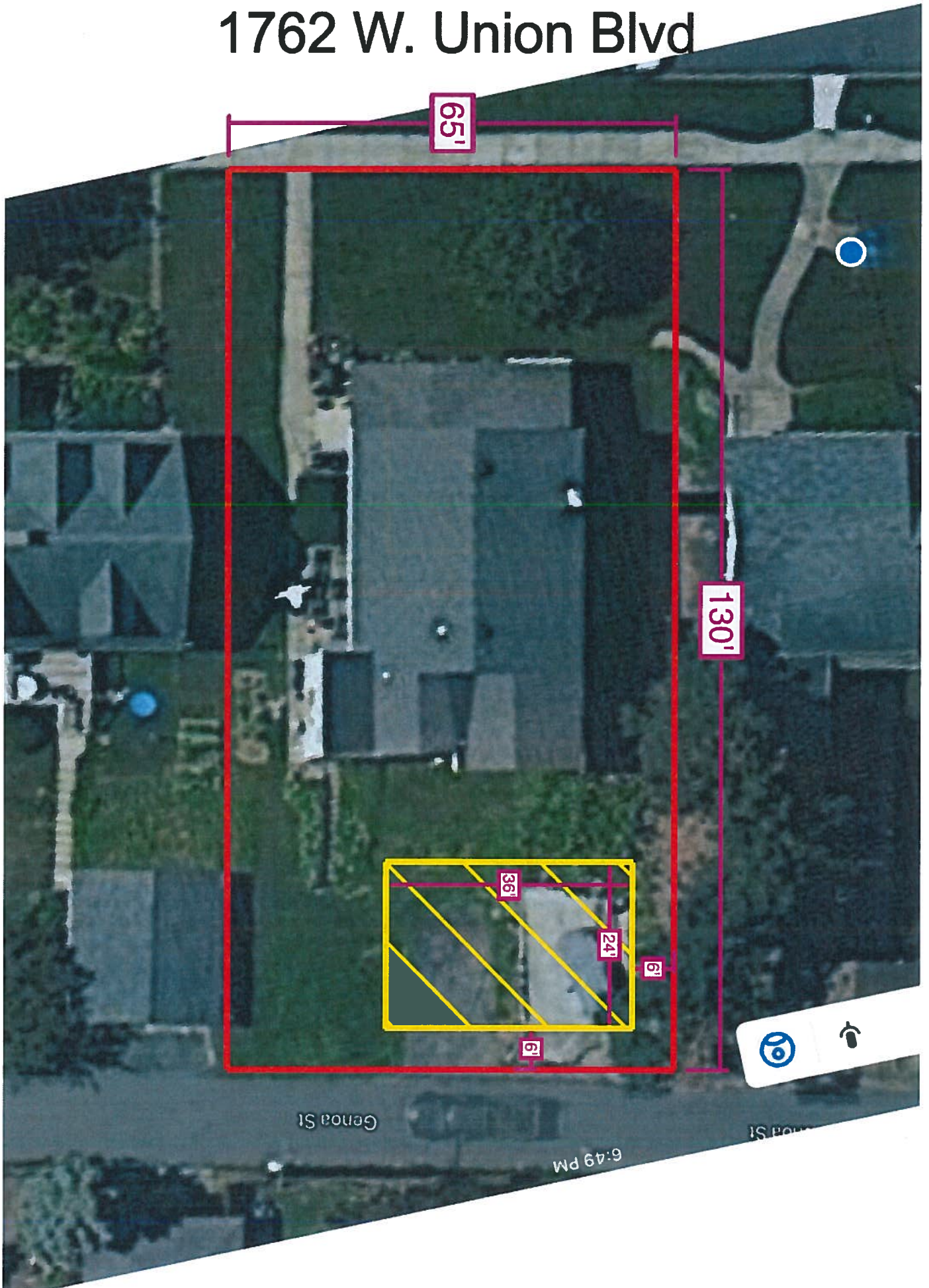
Existing Building Coverage: 1633.33 ft²

Proposed New Garage Size: 864 ft²

Proposed New Building Coverage: 2497.33 ft² (29.55% of Lot)

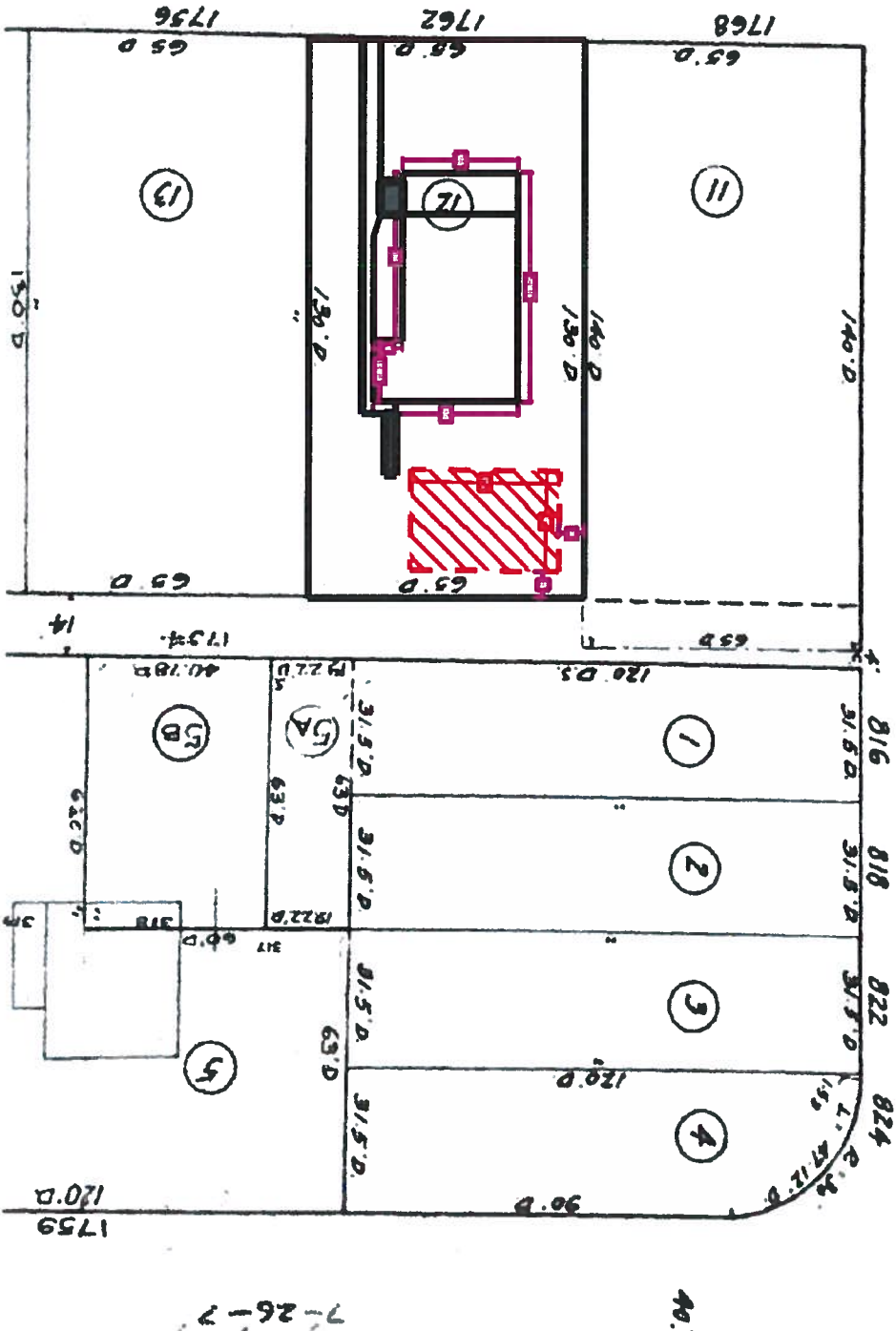
Proposed new garage location and size

1762 W. Union Blvd



Block 32

HIGHLAND 7-26-7 AVE. S.



Site Address: 1762 W. Union Blvd. Bethlehem, PA, 18018

Block





Narrative

I am looking to obtain a dimensional variance to increase the maximum building coverage at 1762 W. Union Blvd, Bethlehem, PA from 25% to 30%. This request is to accommodate a 24' x 36' garage in the rear of the property. Currently there is 20' x 20' pad in the rear where a garage existed at one point, as well as a 14' x 20' paved parking pad. Both of these would be removed and a new pad would be installed as part of the building construction. The area of these two aged and degraded pads would be enclosed by the new garage. The property is two residential units, thus the request for the larger garage is to be able to provide the opportunity for enclosed parking for both units. While the garage will provide year around functionality and safety, moving cars off the street, it will be especially practical as Union Blvd is a snow emergency route, not allowing parking during severe snowstorms and other emergencies. The aggregate effect of this is the need for additional enclosed parking then would typically be allotted for a single residential unit.

Additionally, it should be noted that this property is owner occupied and will be tastefully constructed to match the exterior of the house and blend into the surrounding neighborhood.

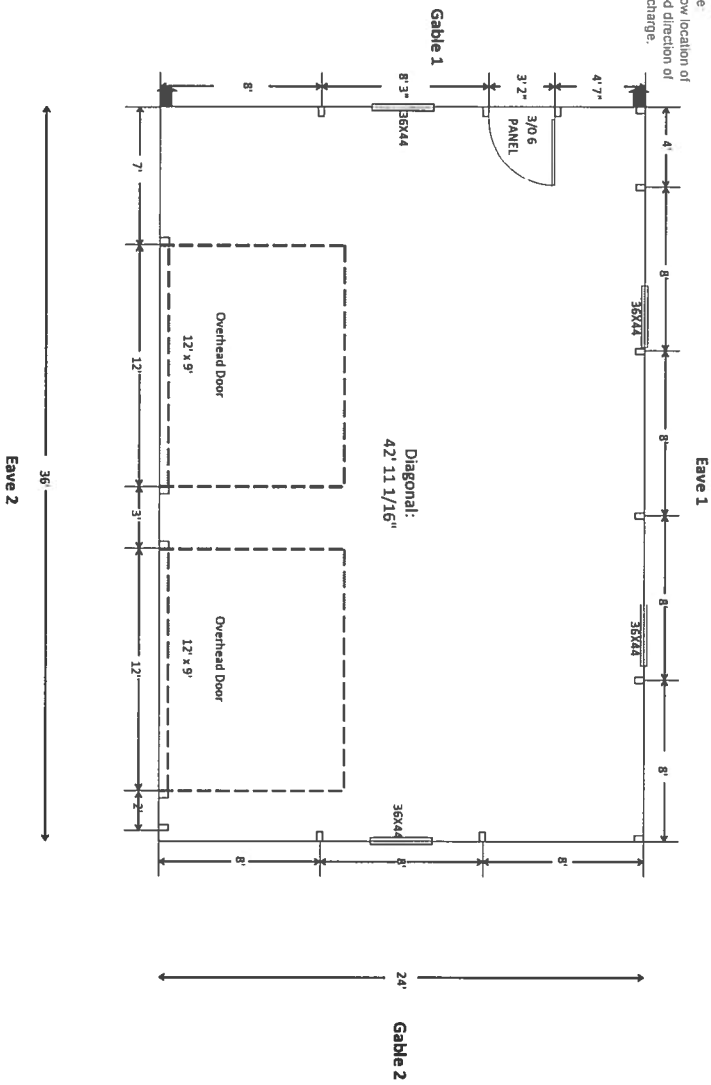
Thank you,

Michael Leupold

Floor Plan / Post Layout

Dimensions:
 24' wide x 36' long x
 10' 2" inside height
 (above finished floor)

Note:
 Blue arrows show location of
 downspouts and direction of
 water discharge.



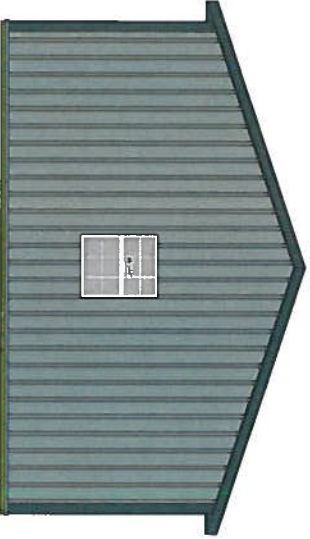
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Elevation Plan

Gable 1



Gable 2



Eave 1

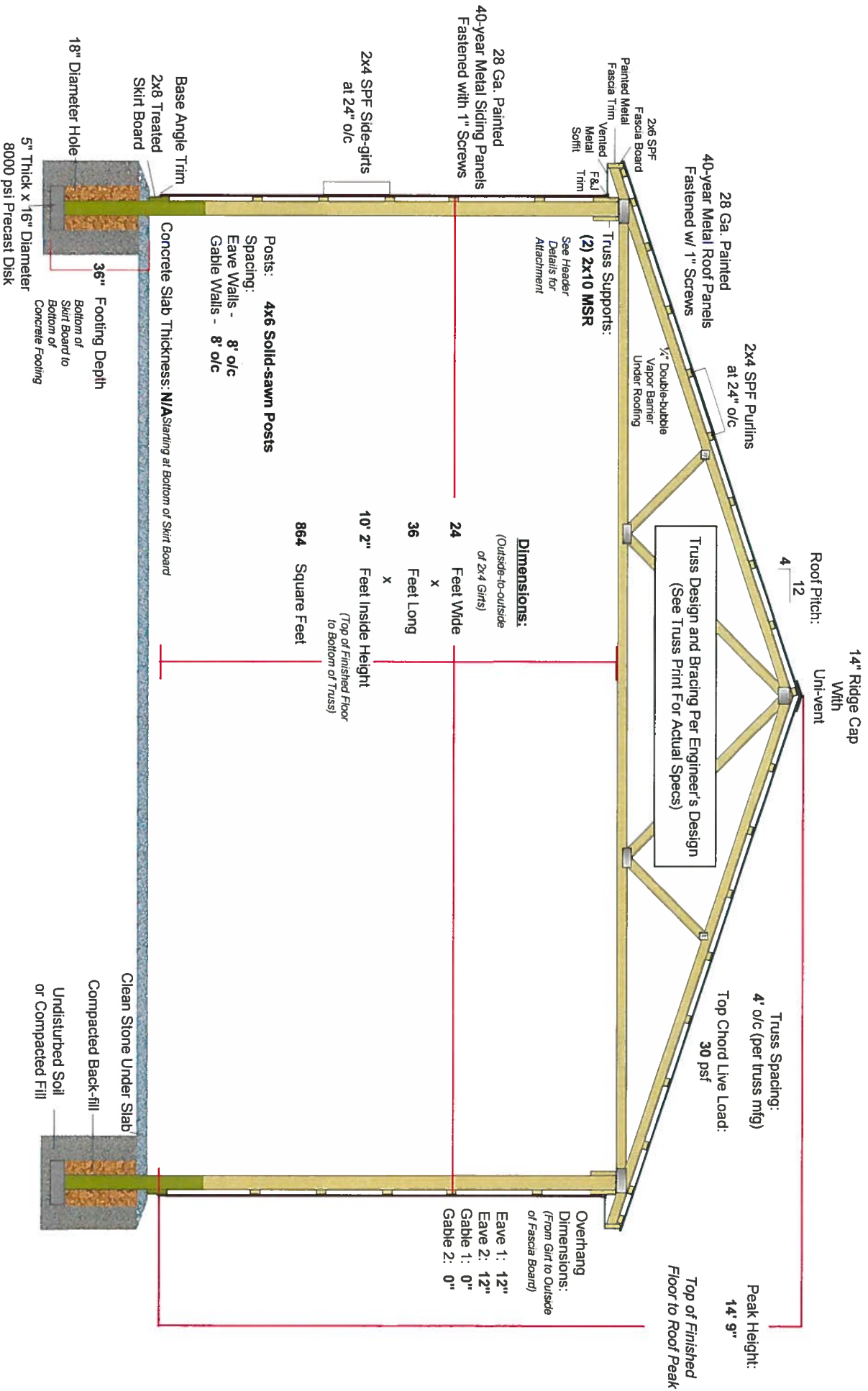


Eave 2



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Pole Building Cross Section (Not To Scale)



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TRUSS SUPPORT CONNECTION DETAILS

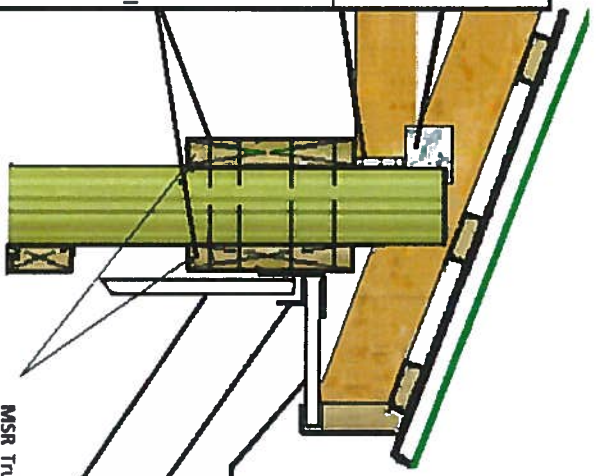
Attaching Trusses at Post
 Engineered wooden roof truss attached to post or truss block w/ (8) 12D nails

Truss tied to support with the Simpson H2.5 hurricane ties fastened per mfg specifications

Truss Supports
 8 ft span on eaves: Double 2x10 MSR
 12 ft span on eaves: Double 2x12 MSR

(2) Truss supports (1) attached to each side of post. If additional supports are required, optional locations are as follows:
 a) notched into post along side of main support
 b) stacked under main support and attached per schedule

All Supports are MSR



Install soffit panel into F/J trim Nail into fascia board

Install F/J Trim to Girder with roofing nails

Install wall panels, attach to girts with 1" screws

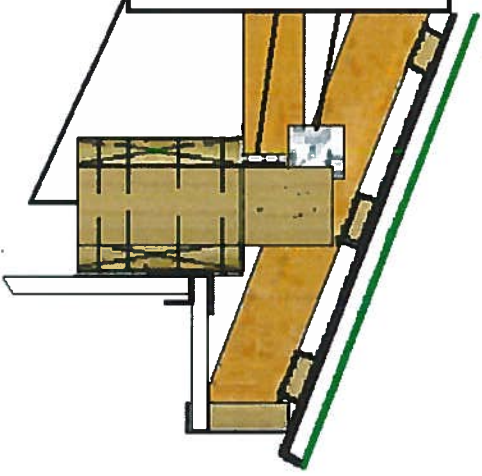
MSR Truss Supports

Truss Connection at Post

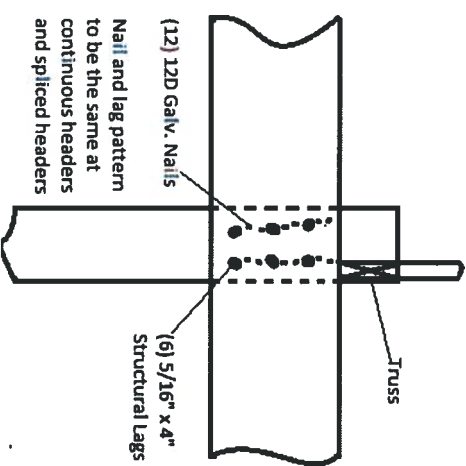
Attaching Trusses at Truss Block
 Engineered wooden roof truss attached to post of truss block w/ (8) 12D nails

Truss tied to support with Simpson H2.5 hurricane ties fastened per mfg specifications

Truss connection block installed between supports with (8) 12D nails



Truss Connection at Truss Block



Truss Support Fasteners

Job	Truss	Truss Type	Qty	Ply	Stock Trusses	
B504135	T24	FINK	1	1		123976302

Superior Trusses, Ephrata, PA 17522

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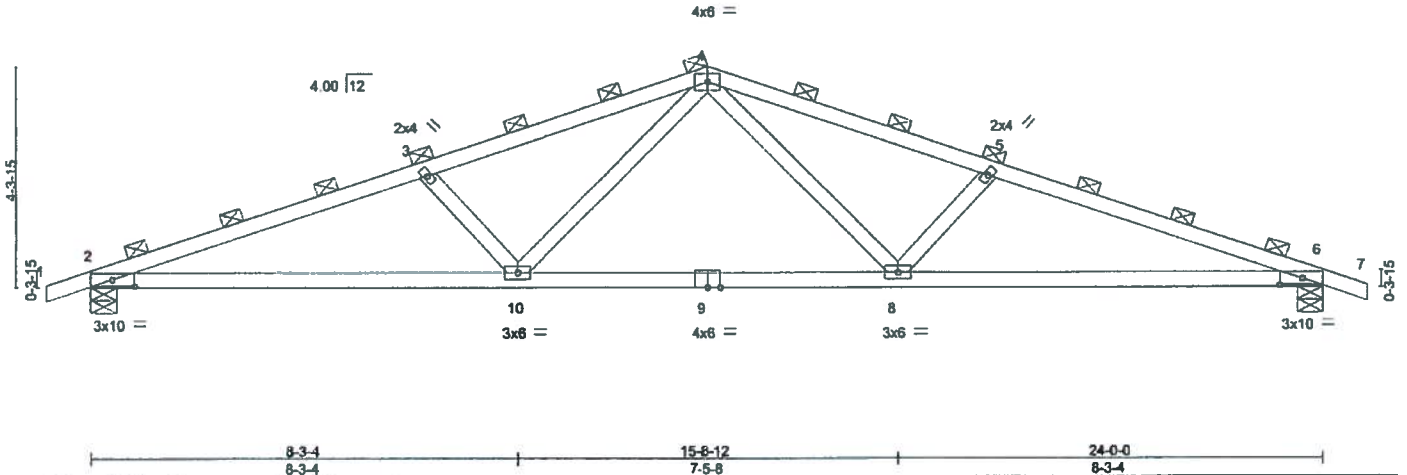


Plate Offsets (X,Y)- [2:0-5-2,0-1-8], [6:0-5-2,0-1-8]

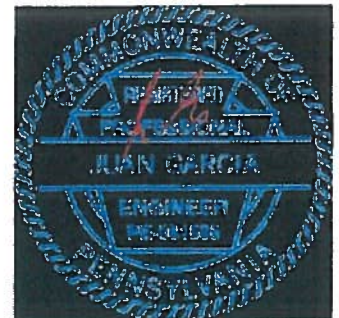
LOADING (psf)	SPACING-	CSI.	DEFL.	PLATES	GRIP
TCLL 30.0 (Roof Snow=30.0)	4-0-0 Plates Increase 1.15 Lumber Increase 1.15	TC 0.95 BC 0.97 WB 0.33 (Matrix)	in (loc) l/defl L/d Vert(LL) -0.32 8-10 >888 240 Vert(TL) -0.55 6-8 >512 180 Horz(TL) 0.17 6 n/a n/a Wind(LL) 0.15 8-10 >999 360	MT20	197/144
TCDL 5.0 BCLL 0.0 BCDL 5.0	Code IBC2009/TPI2007			Weight: 77 lb	FT = 0%

LUMBER-	BRACING-
TOP CHORD 2x4 SPF 2100F 1.8E BOT CHORD 2x4 SPF 1650F 1.3E WEBS 2x4 SPF No.2	TOP CHORD 2-0-0 oc purlins (2-3-2 max.) (Switched from sheeted: Spacing > 2-8-0). BOT CHORD Rigid ceiling directly applied or 7-7-6 oc bracing.

REACTIONS. (lb/size) 2=2038/0-6-0, 6=2038/0-6-0
Max Horz 2=107(LC 7)
Max Uplift 2=466(LC 9), 6=466(LC 9)

FORCES. (lb) - Max. Comp./Max. Ten. - All forces 250 (lb) or less except when shown.
TOP CHORD 2-3=-4464/918, 3-4=-3855/821, 4-5=-3855/821, 5-6=-4464/918
BOT CHORD 2-10=-773/4083, 8-10=-429/2753, 6-8=-773/4093
WEBS 3-10=-1062/319, 4-10=-201/1330, 4-8=-201/1330, 5-8=-1062/319

- NOTES-**
- 1) Wind: ASCE 7-05; 90mph; TCDL=3.0psf; BCDL=3.0psf; h=15ft; B=45ft; L=24ft; eave=4ft; Cat. II; Exp C; enclosed; MWFRS (all heights); cantilever left and right exposed; end vertical left and right exposed; Lumber DOL=1.60 plate grip DOL=1.60
 - 2) TCLL: ASCE 7-05; Pf=30.0 psf (flat roof snow); Category II; Exp C; Fully Exp.; Ct=1.2
 - 3) Unbalanced snow loads have been considered for this design.
 - 4) This truss has been designed for greater of min roof live load of 20.0 psf or 1.00 times flat roof load of 30.0 psf on overhangs non-concurrent with other live loads.
 - 5) Dead loads shown include weight of truss. Top chord dead load of 5.0 psf (or less) is not adequate for a shingle roof. Architect to verify adequacy of top chord dead load.
 - 6) Plates checked for a plus or minus 2 degree rotation about its center.
 - 7) This truss has been designed for a 10.0 psf bottom chord live load nonconcurrent with any other live loads.
 - 8) Provide mechanical connection (by others) of truss to bearing plate capable of withstanding 100 lb uplift at joint(s) except (jt=lb) 2=466, 6=466.
 - 9) "Semi-rigid pitchbreaks including heels" Member end fixity model was used in the analysis and design of this truss.
 - 10) Graphical purlin representation does not depict the size or the orientation of the purlin along the top and/or bottom chord.



April 13, 2015

WARNING - Verify design parameters and READ NOTES ON THIS AND INCLUDED MITEK REFERENCE PAGE MI-7473 rev. 02/16/2015 BEFORE USE.
Design valid for use only with Mitek connectors. This design is based only upon parameters shown, and is for an individual building component. Applicability of design parameters and proper incorporation of component is responsibility of building designer - not truss designer. Bracing shown is for lateral support of individual web members only. Additional temporary bracing to insure stability during construction is the responsibility of the erector. Additional permanent bracing of the overall structure is the responsibility of the building designer. For general guidance regarding fabrication, quality control, storage, delivery, erection and bracing, consult ANS/TP1 Quality Criteria, D58-89 and SCS Building Component Safety Information available from Truss Plate Institute, 781 N. Lee Street, Suite 312, Alexandria, VA 22314.



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