REPORT OF THE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

APPLICATION FOR WAIVER OF MINIMUM REQUIRED ROAD FRONTAGE

ORDINANCE 2022-0676 (WRF-22-24)

OCTOBER 18, 2022

Location: 4817 Kingsbury Street

Between Cassat Avenue and Woodruff Avenue

Real Estate Number(s): 062553-0000

Waiver Sought: Reduce minimum road frontage from 48 feet to 25

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Present Zoning: Residential Low Density-60 (RLD-60)

Current Land Use Category: Low Density Residential (LDR)

Planning District: 5- Northwest

Applicant: Hunter Faulkner

1 Independent Drive, Suite 1400 Jacksonville, Florida 32202

Owner: BCEL 5A, LLC

7563 Philips Highway, Suite 208

Jacksonville, FL 32256

Staff Recommendation: Deny

GENERAL INFORMATION

Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage Ordinance 2022-0676 (WRF-22-24) seeks to reduce the required minimum road frontage from 48 feet to 25 feet in order to allow for the development of a single-family dwellings in the Residential Low Density-60 (RLD-60) Zoning District. The subject property is approximately 0.08± acres (3,275 square feet) and is the East ½ of Lot 243, Block 127 of Murray Hill Heights Plat, not a legal lot of record. The original platted lots of Murray Hill Heights were 50 feet in width and this established pattern of development has continued for the surrounding neighborhood. Due to the property being zoned RLD-60 lots would be required to provide a minimum of 48 feet of road frontage or be considered a lot of record. Approval of this waiver request would set a precedence for future property owners to subdivide their properties to create out of character lots for the Murray Hill Heights neighborhood.

There is a companion Administrative Deviation application (2022-0678/AD-22-61) seeking to reduce the minimum lot width from 60 feet to 25 feet and reduce required minimum lot area from 6,000 square feet to 3275 The department is also recommending Denial on the Administrative Deviation Application.

Additionally there is a companion Waiver of Architectural and Aesthetic Requirements (2022-0677/WAAR-22-01) seeking a waiver of the architectural and aesthetic requirements for perpendicular orientation. The department is also recommending Denial on the Application.

DEFINITION

According to Section 656.1601 of the Zoning Code, the term *waiver* means a relaxation of the Zoning Code minimum distance requirements for liquor license locations, pursuant to Section 656.805 of the Zoning Code, and for minimum street frontage, pursuant to Section 656.407 of the Zoning Code. Waivers of Road Frontage are granted by the City Council pursuant to the criteria set forth in Section 656.133 of the Zoning Code.

STANDARDS, CRITERIA AND FINDINGS

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 656.133 of the Zoning Code, a waiver for minimum required street frontage may be granted if the City Council makes a positive finding based on substantial, competent evidence that the application meets all of the following criteria:

(i) Are there practical or economic difficulties in carrying out the strict letter of the regulation?

No. The only difficulty in carrying out the strict letter of the regulation is that the lot is not the required 48 feet of frontage of the RLD-60 Zoning Category. No other lot on the block has previously been granted a waiver that the applicant seeks, it is not seen as a practical or economic difficulty that this lot was subdivided from the historically platted lot losing its lot of record status.

(ii) Is the request based exclusively upon the desire to reduce the cost of developing the site or to circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654 (Code of Subdivision Regulations)?

No. The request does not have the effect of reducing the cost of development, and it does not circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654. The property is currently vacant and the grant of this waiver would allow a new single family structure to be built. There is a companion Administrative Deviation application that is seeking to reduce the minimum lot width from 60 feet in width to 25 feet in width and reduce required minimum lot area from 6,000 square feet to 3275.

(iii) Will the proposed waiver substantially diminish property values in, or alter the essential character of, the area surrounding the site and will the waiver substantially interfere with or injure the rights of others?

Yes. The subject property is a not considered a lot of record due to being subdivided from the original platted lot 243, Block 127 of Murray Hill Heights. All other lots in the surrounding area are either considered lots of record or meet the minimum road frontage for the RLD-60 zoning district. This would be creating a lot out of character for the surrounding area and there have been no other waiver approved for similar request.

(iv) Is there a valid and effective easement for adequate vehicular access connected to a public street maintained by the City or an approved private street?

Not applicable as the lot has frontage on Kingsbury Street.

(v) Will the proposed waiver be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, result in additional expense, the creation of nuisances or conflict with any other applicable law?

No. Staff finds the proposed waiver will not be detrimental to the public health, safety, or welfare. Given the general development pattern in the area, as well as the existing land use categories and zoning district contiguous to the site, the proposed waiver would not result in the creation of a nuisance. However the proposed waiver would have an effect on the overall character of the block, which has not been granted a Waiver or Variance for Road frontage since the establishment of the City for Road Frontage Requirements.

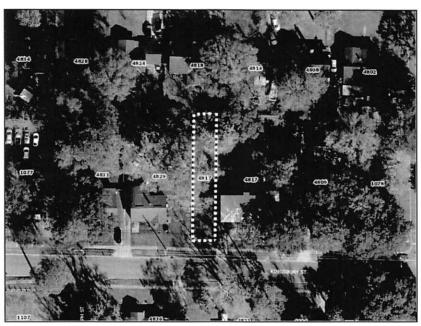
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Upon visual inspection of the subject property on October 3, 2022 by the Planning and Development Department the required Notice of Public Hearing sign was posted.

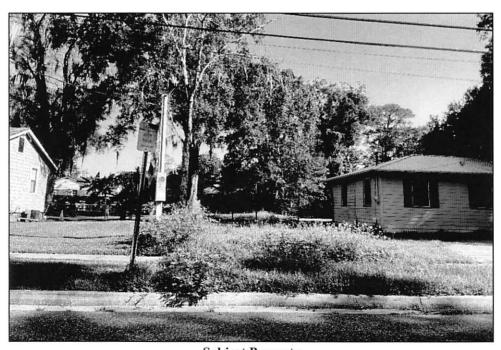


RECOMMENDATION

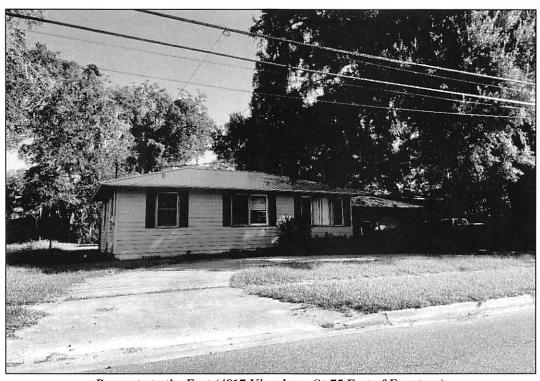
Based on the foregoing, it is the recommendation of the Planning and Development Department that Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage **Ordinance 2022-0676 (WRF-22-17)** be **DENIED.**



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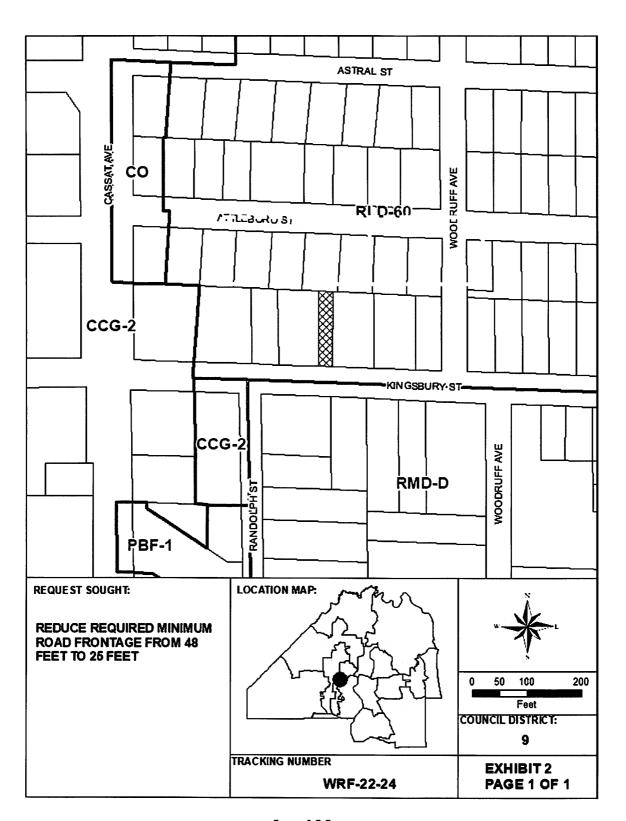
Subject Property
Source: Staff, Planning and Development Department, COJ
Date: 09/21/2022



Property to the East (4817 Kingsbury St-75 Feet of Frontage)
Source: Staff, Planning and Development Department, COJ
Date: 09/21/2022



Property to the West (4829 Kingsbury St-75 Feet of Frontage)
Source: Staff, Planning and Development Department, COJ
Date: 09/21/2022



Legal Map

Ord.#2022-0676

Date Submitted: 08-08-7	2
Date Filed:	

Application Num	ber: WRI	F.22-	4
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Application for Waiver of Minimum Required Road Frontage

City of Jacksonville, Florida Planning and Development Department

Please type or print in ink. Instructions regarding the completion and submittal of this application are located at the end of this form. For additional information, please contact the Planning and Development Department at (904) 255-7865.

For Officia	al Use Only		
Current Zoning District: RUD-60	Current Land Use	e Category: UR	
Council District: 0			
Previous Zoning Applications Filed (provide applications)	ion numbers):		
N/A			
Applicable Section of Ordinance Code:	de.133		
Notice of Violation(s): NIA			
Neighborhood Associations: Murm Hill Prese	emation Ass	Sn. Holy Girls Rock Purity I	
Overlay: NIA			
LUZ Public Hearing Date:	City Council Publ	lic Hearing Date:	
Number of Signs to Post: Amount of Fee	2:	Zoning Asst. Initials:	
PROPERTY INFORMATION	* *		
1. Complete Property Address:	2. Real Estate No	umber:	
4817 Kingsbury St., Jacksonville, FL 32205			
3. Land Area (Acres):	4. Date Lot was I	Recorded:	
0.08	6/25/1969		
5. Property Located Between Streets:	6. Utility Service	s Provider:	
Kingsbury St. and Attleboro St.	City Water / City	Sewer 🗸	
	Well / Septic		
7. Waiver Sought:	8	25	
Reduce Required Minimum Road Frontage from	feet to	. 25 feet.	
8. In whose name will the Waiver be granted?	EL 5A, LLC)	
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9. Name:	10. E-mail:
BCEL 5A, LLC	hfaulkner@jimersonfirm.com
11. Address (including city, state, zip):	12. Preferred Telephone:
7563 Philips Highway, Suite 208 Jacksonville, FL 32256	(904) 389-0050

13. Name:	14. E-mail:
Hunter Faulkner	hfaulkner@jimersonfirm.com
15. Address (including city, state, zip):	16. Preferred Telephone:
1 Independent Dr., Suite 1400 Jacksonville, FL 32202	(904) 389-0050

CRITERIA

Section 656.101(I), Ordinance Code, defines a waiver as "a relaxation of the Zoning Code minimum street frontage, pursuant to Section 656.407, Ordinance Code."

Section 656.133(d)1 through 5, Ordinance Code, provides that, with respect to action upon Applications for Waivers, the City Council shall grant a waiver for reduction of the minimum requirements for road frontage, if the Council makes a positive finding based upon substantial, competent evidence that the application meets all of the following five (5) criteria:

- i. There are practical or economic difficulties in carrying out the strict letter of the regulation;
- ii. The request is not based exclusively upon the desire to reduce the cost of developing the site or to circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654 (Code of Subdivision Regulations);
- iii. The proposed waiver will not substantially diminish property values in, nor alter the essential character of the area surrounding the site and will not substantially interfere with or injure the rights of others whose property would be affected by the waiver;
- iv. There is a valid and effective easement for adequate vehicular access connected to a public street which is maintained by the City or approved private street;
- v. The proposed waiver will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, result in additional expense, the creation of nuisances or conflict with any other applicable law.

17. Given the above definition of a "waiver" and the aforementioned criteria by which the request will be reviewed against, please describe the reason that the waiver is being sought. Provide as much information as you can; you may attach a separate sheet if necessary. Please note that failure by the applicant to adequately substantiate the need for the request and to meet the criteria set forth may result in a denial.

The Owner respectfully requests a Waiver of Road Frontage based upon the following:

- 1. There are practical and economical difficulties carrying out the strict letter of the regulation because the lot is substandard in width, and is only twenty-five feet (25') wide. There is no possibility of gaining additional road frontage due to the width of the lot.
- 2. The request is not based exclusively upon the desire to reduce the cost of developing the site or to circumvent the requirements of Chapter 654. Again, the lot is substandard in width, and there is no ability to gain additional road frontage to meet the code requirement.
- 3. The proposed waiver will not substantially diminish the property values in, nor alter the essential character of the area surrounding the site and will not interfere with or injure the rights of others whose property would be affected by the waiver. Property values would not diminish upon the granting of the waiver. Upon the granting of the waiver, the subject property can be improved with a new single-family home, which would enhance the surrounding property values.
- 4. There is valid and legal access from the property, which is connected to a public street (Kingsbury Street) that is maintained b the city.
- 5. The proposed waiver will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, result in additional expense, the creation of nuisances or conflict with any other applicable law. The access parcel provides sufficient width for emergency vehicle access to the subject property. The granting of the waiver would simply provide access to the subject property that would otherwise be unavailable, and, therefore, unusable.

last update: 1/10/2017

ATTACHMENTS
The following attachments must accompany each copy of the application.
√ Survey
Site Plan – two (2) copies on 8 ½ x 11 and two (2) copies on 11 x 17 or larger
Property Ownership Affidavit (Exhibit A)
Agent Authorization if application is made by any person other than the property owner (Exhibit B)
Legal Description – may be written as either lot and block, or metes and bounds (Exhibit 1)
Proof of property ownership – may be print-out of property appraiser record card if individual
owner, http://apps.coi.net/pao_propertySearch/Basic/Search.aspx, or print-out of entry from the
Florida Department of State Division of Corporations if a corporate owner,
http://search.sunbiz.org/inquiry/CorporationSearch/ByName.
Proof of valid and effective easement for access to the property.

*Applications filed to correct existing zoning violations are subject to a double fee.		
Base Fee	Public Notices	<u>Advertisement</u>
Residential Districts: \$1,161.00 Non-residential Districts: \$1,173.00	\$7.00 per Addressee	Billed directly to owner/agent

last update: 1/10/2017

AUTHORIZATION

Please review your application. No application will be accepted until all of the requested information has been supplied and the required fee has been paid. The acceptance of an application as being complete does not guarantee its approval by the City Council. The owner and/or authorized agent must be present at the public hearing.

The required public notice signs must be posted on the property within five (5) working days after the filing of this application. Sign(s) must remain posted and maintained until a final determination has been made on the application.

<u>I hereby certify that I have read and understand</u> the information contained in this application, that I am the owner or authorized agent for the owner with authority to make this application, and that all of the information contained in this application, including the attachments, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Owner(s) Print name: BCEL 5A, LLC Signature: Column Regue	Applicant or Agent (if different than owner) Print name: Hunter Fautkner Signature:
Owner(s) Print name:	*An agent authorization letter is required if the application is made by any person other than the property owner.

SUBMITTAL

This application must be typed or printed in ink and submitted along with three (3) copies for a total of four (4) applications. Each application must include all required attachments.

Submit applications to:

Planning and Development Department, Zoning Section 214 North Hogan Street, 2nd Floor Jacksonville, Florida 32202 (904) 255-8300

EXHIBIT 1

Legal Description

The East 1/2 of Lot 243, Block 127, MURRAY HILL HEIGHTS, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 87 and Replat of Murray Hill Heights, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 5, Page 86, of the current public records of Duval County, Florida.

last update: 1/10/2017

Property Ownership Affidavit - Limited Liability Company (LLC)

Date:			
City of Jacksonville			
Planning and Development Department			
214 North Hogan Street, Suite 300,			
Jacksonville, Florida 32202			
Re: Property Owner Affidavit for the follo Address: 4817 Kingsbury St, Jacksonville, FL 3	owing site location in Jackson 2256 RE#(s): 062553-000	nville 00	e, Florida:
To Whom it May Concern:			
Adam Rigel as	Authorized Member	of _	BCEL 5A, LLC
a Limited Liability Company organized un	der the laws of the state of	Flo	rida hereby certify
that said LLC is the Owner of the property	described in Exhibit 1 in co	ภกค	tion with filing application(s)
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(print name)Adam Rigel			
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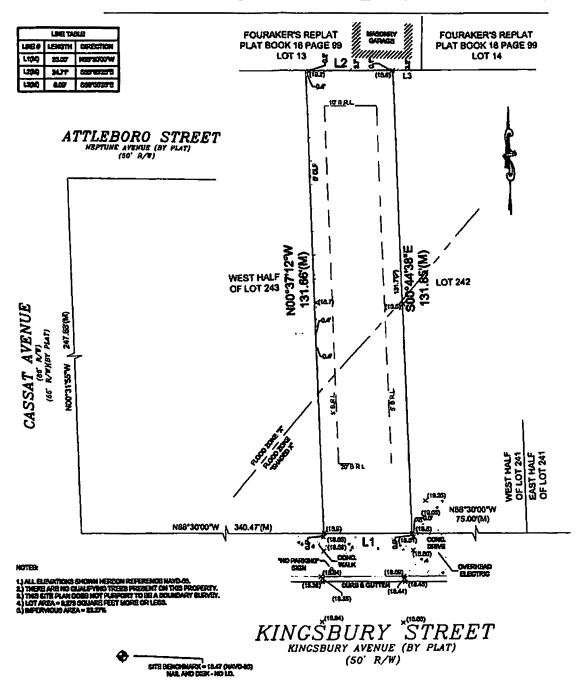
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Waiver of Architecture Requirements and V				
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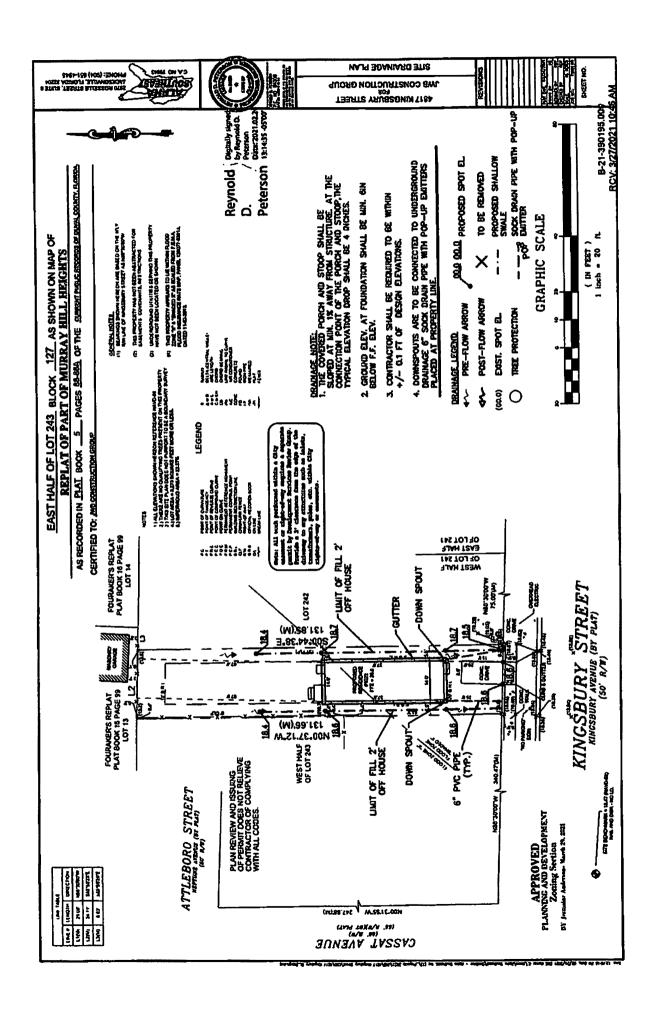
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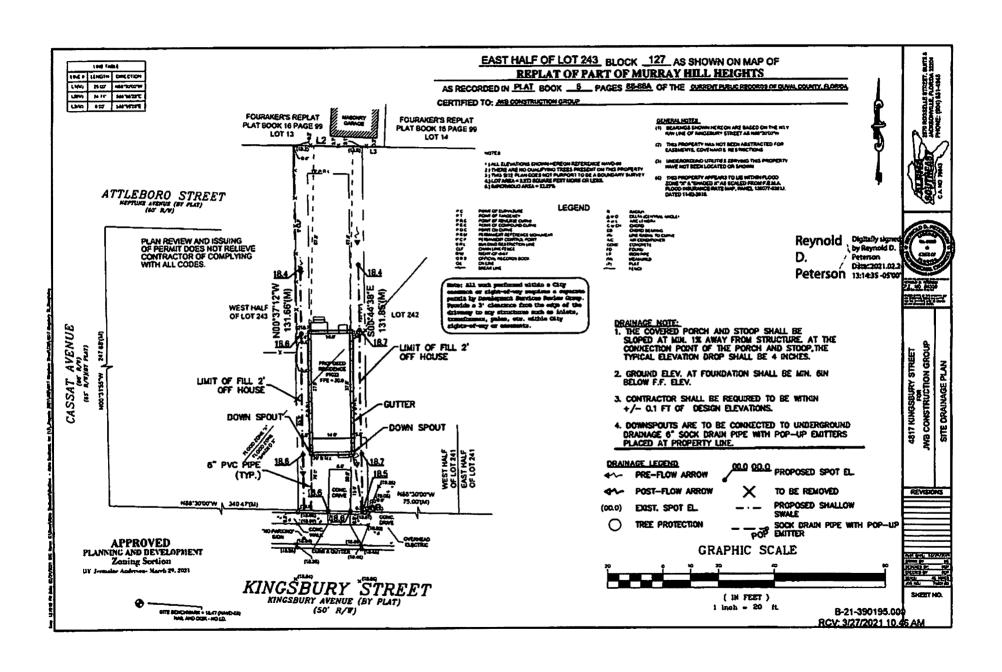
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Prepared under the direction of and return to:
Ian McKillop
McKillop Low Firm, PL
7563 Philips Highway
Building 500
Jacksonvillo, FL 32256
File Number: 18-1025
Consideration: \$8,900.00

WARRANTY DEED

This Warranty Deed made this 13th day of November, 2019 between Aaron Rokozz, Individually and as Trustee of Zachary Rokosz Father Established Education, Medical Insurance, and Child Support Irrevocable Trust dated December 6, 2018, whose post office address is 1340 South Ocean Boulevard, Apt 1605, Pompano Beach, FL 33062 (whether singular or plural, "Grantor"), and BCEL 5A, LLC, a Florida Limited Limbility Company, whose post office address is 7563 Philips Highway, Suite 208, Jacksonville, FL 32256 (whether singular or plural, "Grantce"):

(Whenever used herein the terms "Grantor" and "Grantee" include all the parties to this instrument and the heirs, legal representatives, and assigns of individuals, and the successors and assigns of corporations, trusts, and trustees)

WITNESSETH, that said Grantor, for and in consideration of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other good and valuable considerations to said Grantor in hand paid by said Grantee, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained, and sold to the said Grantee, and Grantee's heirs and assigns forever, the following described land, situate, lying and being in Duval, FL, (the "Property"):

The East 1/2 of Lot 243, Block 127, MURRAY HILL HEIGHTS, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page 87 and Replat of Part of Murray Hills Heights, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 5, Page 86, of the current public records of Duval County, Florida.

RE#: 062553-0000

Address: 4817 Kingsbury Street, Jacksonville, FL 32205

Together with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in otherwise appertaining.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the same in fee simple forever. And the Grantor hereby covenants with said Grantee that the Grantor is lawfully seized of said land in fee simple, that the Grantor has good right and lawful authority to sell and convey said land, that the Grantor hereby fully warrants the title to said land and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever, and that said land is free of all encumbrances except taxes for 2019 and subsequent years and covenants, restrictions, easement and reservations of record, if any, without the intention of creating or reimposing same.

This Property is not the constitutional homestead of the Grantor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Grantpr has hereunto set Grantor's hand and seal-the day and year first above written.
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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this day of November, 2019, by Aaron Rokosz,
Individually and as Trustee of Zachary Rokosz Father Established Education, Medical Insurance, and Child
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identification set forth below.
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Signature of Notary Public Express 08/18/2020
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