

# BEFORE THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



# **FORM 141 - INTERVENOR REQUEST**

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I hereby request to appear and participate as an intervenor in Appeal No.:				19818						
Signature: Swell Date:				9/18/18						
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ADVANCED INTEVENOR STATUS CONSIDERATION PURSUANT TO: Subtitle Y § 502.2										
I hereby request advance Intervenor Status consideration at the public meetings scheduled for:  Set 1, 26, 2018										
INTEVENOR CRITERIA:										
On a separate piece of paper, please answer <u>all</u> of the following questions referencing why the above person should be granted intervenor status, pursuant to 11 DCMR Subtitle Y § 502.1(i):										
1. What legal interest does the person (i.e., owner, tenant, trustee, or mortgagee) have in the property?										
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2. How will the property owned or occupied by such person, or in which such person has an interest, be affected if the Appeal before the Board is approved or denied?										
3. Describe any other relevant matters that demonstrate how the person will likely be affected or aggrieved if the Appeal before the										
Board is appro	ved or denied.									
4. What are the environmental, economic, or social impacts that are likely to affect the person and/or the person's property if the action requested of the Board is approved or denied?										
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5. What is the distance between the person's property and the property that is the subject of the Appeal before the Board? (Preferably no										
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**Board of Zoning Adjustment** 

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#### **Attached Answers**

## Appeal Number 19818

1. What legal interest does the person have in the property?

We are the owners of the property next door (1265 Penn Street N.E.). Any decision regarding zoning or plan approval directly impacts our property as the next-door neighbors.

2. How will the property owned or occupied by such person, in which such person has an interest, be affected if the Appeal before the Board is approved or denied?

Currently, the owners of 1267 Penn Street NE, through negligent construction and digging, have caused significant property damage to our property at 1265 Penn Street NE. Their negligent construction along the property line has resulted in our side-yard collapsing, sliding into their neighboring construction site, rendering our yard completely unusable. The zoning of 1267 Penn Street NE and the plans related to the 5 foot side yard requirement directly impact our ability to have our own property repaired and regain any use of it.

Furthermore, the current plans for construction, which are on appeal contain a violation of the 5 foot side yard requirement. The violation means that the home at 1267 Penn Street NE is being constructed too close to the property line. If the appeal before the Board is denied, the property of 1265 Penn Street NE will lose all privacy and be entirely visible from the portion of the home at 1267 Penn Street NE that violates the 5 foot side yard requirement.

3. Describe any other relevant matters that demonstrate how the person will likely be affected or aggrieved if the Appeal before the Board is approved or denied.

If the appeal before the Board is denied, the owners of 1265 Penn Street NE will face diminished property value. 1265 Penn Street NE was purchased specifically because of the side yard, and semi-detached nature, a relatively unique feature in rowhouse communities. If the plans are allowed to proceed in violation of the 5 foot side yard requirement, the owners of 1265 Penn Street NE will lose the functional value of having a home set away from its neighbors.

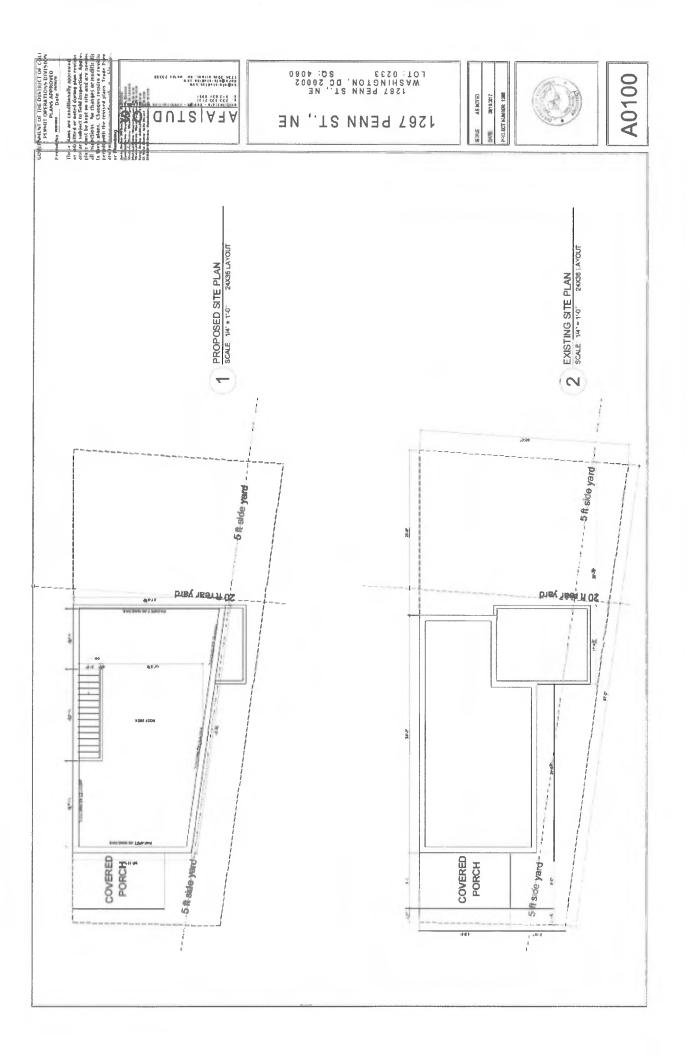
4. What are the environmental, economic, or social impacts that are likely to affect the person and/or the person's property if the action requested by the Board is approved or denied?

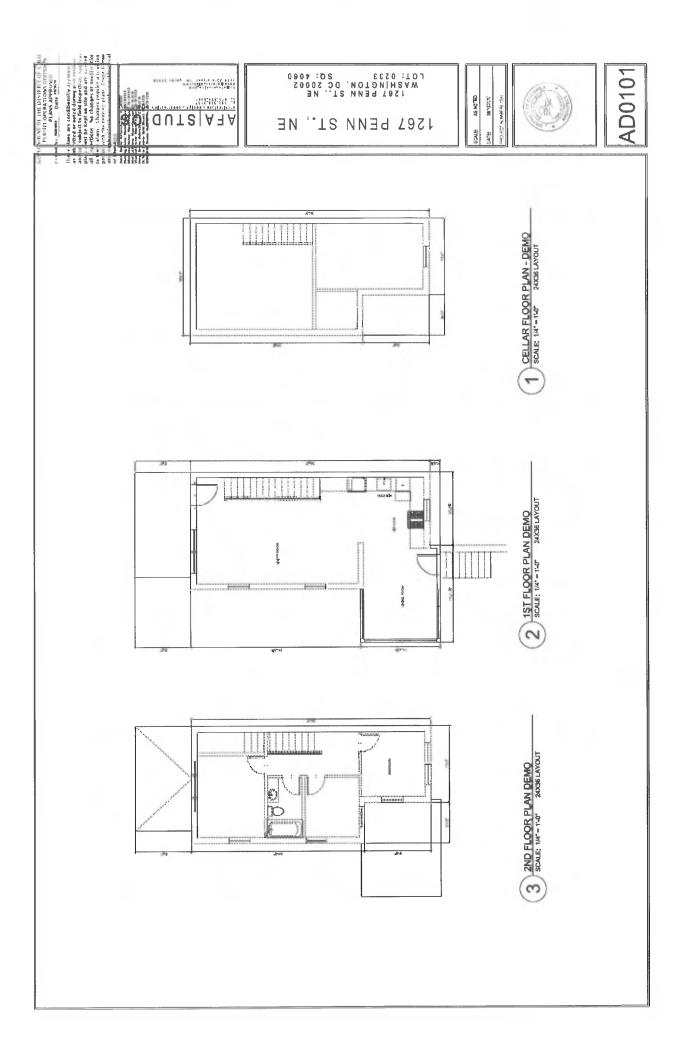
If the appeal of the Board is denied and construction continues as planned, the economic value of the neighboring home, 1265 Penn Street NE will be diminished due to the fact that the main feature of the home is the semi-detached nature with side yard, providing unique privacy. With 1267 Penn Street NE built right to the property line, this economic value feature of the home is diminished. Furthermore, the plans for the terrace right on the property line will eliminate all

privacy, enabling 1267 Penn Street NE to look right into the property at 1265 Penn Street NE. The current plans have portions of the outer wall built approximately one foot from the property line. The resulting intrusion would have immediate impacts on the ability of the owners of 1265 Penn Street NE to have any reasonable enjoyment of their property.

5. What is the distance between the person's property and the property that is the subject of the Appeal before the Board?

5 feet





# **Certificate of Service- Appeal 19818**

I certify that on Sept. 19, 2018, I served form 141 Intervenor Request on the following:

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