

Committee of Adjustment - Notice of Decision -

Application A07-25-PC

April 14, 2025

IN THE MATTER OF the *Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990, c.P.13*, as amended, and Section 10.3 (d) and (g) and Section 2.8.1 (a) (iii) of the City of Port Colborne Zoning By-law 6575/30/18, as amended;

AND IN THE MATTER OF the lands legally known as Lot 32 on Plan 52, New Plan 811, in the City of Port Colborne, located in the Rural Residential (RR) zone, municipally known as 3618 Firelane 12:

AND IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION by the owner, Chris Simpson, for relief from the provisions of Zoning By-law 6575/30/18, as amended, under section 45 of the *Planning Act, R.S.O 1990* C.P 13, to permit the creation of a new residential dwelling and accessory building, notwithstanding the following:

- **1.** That a minimum interior side yard setback of 0.68m be permitted, whereas a minimum setback of 4m is required;
- 2. That a maximum lot coverage of 15.9% be permitted, whereas a maximum lot coverage of 15% is required;
- **3.** That a front yard setback of 6 metres for the accessory building be permitted, whereas a minimum setback of 10 metres is required.

The Committee of Adjustment recommend that application A07-25-PC be **granted** for the following reasons:

- 1. It is minor in nature.
- 2. It is appropriate for the development of the site.
- 3. It is desirable and in compliance with the general intent and purpose of the Zoning By-law.
- 4. It is desirable and in compliance with the general intent and purpose of the Official

NOTE: No public comments were received during the decision-making process.

DATED AT PORT COLBORNE this 9th of April 2025.

DECISIONS SIGNED:

"Dan O'Hara"	"Angie Desmarais"	"Dave Elliot"	"Eric Beauregard"	"Gary Bruno"
Signature of	Signature of	Signature of	Signature of	Signature of
Committee	Committee	Committee	Committee	Committee
Chair	Member	Member	Member	Member
Dan O'Hara	Angie Desmarais	Dave Elliott	Eric Beauregard	Gary Bruno

THE LAST DATE ON WHICH AN APPEAL TO THE ONTARIO LAND TRIBUNAL MAY BE FILED IS:

4:30 p.m. on April 29, 2025

The Decision of the Committee of Adjustment, when not appealed, does not become final and binding until **20 days** from the making of the decision has elapsed as set out in subsection (12) of section 45 of the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990*, c.P.13, as amended.

Appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal

Take notice that an appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal in respect to all or part of this application may be made by filing a notice of appeal with the City Clerk either via the Ontario Land Tribunal e-file service (first-time users will need to register for a My Ontario Account) at https://olt.gov.on.ca/e-file-service by selecting Port Colborne (City) as the Approval Authority or by mail, 66 Charlotte Street, Port Colborne, no later than 4:30 p.m. on April 29, 2025. The filing of an appeal after 4:30 p.m., in person or electronically, will be deemed to have been received the next business day. The appeal fee of \$400 can be paid online through e-file or by certified cheque/money order to the Minister of Finance, Province of Ontario. If you wish to appeal to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT) or request a fee reduction for an appeal, forms are available from the OLT website at www.olt.gov.on.ca. If the e-file portal is down, you can submit your appeal to planningappeals@portcolborne.ca.

Appeals should be directed to:

Secretary-Treasurer
Port Colborne Committee of Adjustment
City of Port Colborne
66 Charlotte Street