Tax Map/Block/Parcel No. 59-12-608

Building Permit/Zoning Certificate No. <u>05-0529</u>

Case 5052

OFFICIAL DECISION BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS CARROLL COUNTY, MARYLAND

APPLICANT:

William & Noreen Fritz 3502 Pleasant Plains Drive Reisterstown, MD 21136-4418

ATTORNEY:

N/A

REQUEST:

A variance from the required 20 ft. side yard setback to 5 ft. for the

construction of a two-car garage to the existing dwelling.

LOCATION:

The site is located at 3502 Pleasant Plains Drive, Reisterstown, on property zoned "R-40,000" Residential District in Election District 4.

BASIS:

Code of Public Local Laws and Ordinances, Chapter 223-186 C and 223-

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**HEARING HELD:** 

April 21, 2005

## FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

On April 21, 2005, the Board of Zoning Appeals (the Board) convened to hear a request for a variance from the required 20 ft. sideyard setback to 5 ft. for the construction of a two-car garage to the existing dwelling. The Board made the following findings and conclusion:

The Applicants wish to build an attached two-car garage on their home at the referenced address. The lot is ½ acre and is partially sloped. The garage would replace an existing carport attached to the house. The location of the well in the rear portion of this relatively small lot renders the proposed location the only feasible spot for the proposed garage.

The Board finds that the Applicant has proven that there are no alternative locations on the lot for this garage and that hardship has been proven, therefore the variance is granted.

5/18/05 Date Jacob M. Yingling, Chairman