

Case ZA-691

**Official Decision
Zoning Administrator
Carroll County, Maryland**

APPLICANT: Saturnio A. Rivera
3341 Marston Road
Westminster, Maryland 21157

REQUEST: A variance from the required
minimum setback of 20 Ft. to 13 Ft.
for the construction of an attached
garage to the existing dwelling.

LOCATION: 3341 Marston Road
Westminster, MD 21157

APPLICABLE REGULATIONS: Code of Public Local Laws and
Ordinances, Chapters 223-75 and
223-181

HEARING HELD: October 1, 2002

FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS

Based on the testimony and evidence presented at the hearing, the variance is granted.

Facts, which support the request for relief from the strict terms of the Ordinance, in this case, a reduction of the minimum required setback of 20 feet to 13 feet for the construction of an attached garage to an existing dwelling, are as follows:

The Applicant is proposing to construct an addition on the existing home consisting of a 12 Ft. room with a two-car garage. The room will serve as a family room. The location selected is the most practical site on the property due to the location of the existing driveway without creating undue hardship and practical difficulty for the Applicant.

No neighbors were present at the hearing opposing the Applicant's request; therefore, the granting of this variance should have no adverse effect on any adjoining property owners.

This approval is valid for one year from the date of a Zoning Certificate.

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NOTE:

Appeals of decision made pursuant to Chapter 223-183 may be made to the Board of Zoning Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of the Zoning Administrator's decision in accordance with Chapter 223-188 of the Code of Public Local Laws & Ordinances.

A decision of the Zoning Administrator made pursuant to Chapter 223-183 is final, and constitutes a zoning action. Unless timely appealed, parties may not thereafter challenge the Zoning Administrator's decision.

October 10, 2002
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ACTING ZONING ADMINISTRATOR'S DESIGNEE

cc: Zoning Enforcement