

City of Newburyport Zoning Board of Appeals Application for a VARIANCE

Petitioner: Alexander and Mary Bruce Rae-Grant c/o Lisa Mead, Mead, Talerman & Costa LLC

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Property Address: 20 Atwood Street, Newburyport, MA 01950

Map and Lot(s): Map 19; Lot 12 Zoning District: R2/DCOD

Book and Page(s): Book 36213; Page 235

Owner(s) Name: Alexander and Mary Bruce Rae-Grant

Mailing Address (if different): 20 Atwood Street, Newburyport, MA 01950

The petitioner is requesting a Variance from section(s):
(Refer to the Zoning Determination form supplied by the Zoning Administrator)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dimensional Controls (VI) | <input type="checkbox"/> Parking (VII) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lot Area <input type="checkbox"/> Front Yard
<input type="checkbox"/> Open Space <input type="checkbox"/> Side Yard
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lot Coverage <input type="checkbox"/> Rear Yard
<input type="checkbox"/> Height <input type="checkbox"/> Lot Width
<input type="checkbox"/> Frontage | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Modification of existing variance (please attach) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

Request:
Demolish two existing detached accessory sheds on property and construct new shed also construct two small one story additions to house and increasing lot coverage in excess of 25%.

All information contained within this application will become a formal part of the Zoning Board of Appeals proceedings and decision.

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	Required Dimensional Controls from Section VI.A	Existing Dimensional Controls from survey or site plan	Proposed Dimensional Controls from proposed plans
Lot Area	10,000 s.f.	5,064 s.f.	5,064 s.f.
Frontage	90 ft.	65.34 ft.	65.34 ft
Height*	20 ft. (accessory struc.)	<10'6"	10'6"
Max. Lot Coverage (%)**	25%	24.3%	30.2%
Min. Open Space (%)***	40%	65.1%	59.7%
Primary Front Setback	25 ft.	2.8 ft. (house)	2.8 ft. (house)
Side A Setback/Secondary Front Setback	6 ft. (accessory struc.)	1.9 (existing shed)	1 ft. (proposed shed)
Side B Setback	10 ft.	18.2 ft. (house)	18.2 ft. (house)
Rear Setback	6 ft. (accessory struc.)	16.9 ft. (house)	15.3 ft. (house)
Parking Spaces	2	2	2
FAR****			

*Height is measured to *median* roofline.

**Total building footprint divided by the lot area expressed as a percentage.

***Area unoccupied by building, parking areas, or driveways expressed as a percentage of lot area. Pools, patios, and decks may be included in open space.

****FAR is only applicable in the Plum Island Overlay District (PIOD).

Any advice, opinion, or information given by any board member or any other official or employee of the City of Newburyport shall not be binding on the Zoning Board of Appeals. It shall be the responsibility of the petitioner to furnish all supporting documentation with this application. The dated copy of this application received by the City Clerk or Planning Office does not absolve the petitioner from this responsibility. The petitioner shall be responsible for all expenses for the filing, publication, and legal notification. Failure to comply with the application requirements, as cited herein and in the Zoning Board Rules and Regulations may result in a dismissal by the ZBA of this application as incomplete.

By checking this box and typing my name below, I am electronically signing this application.

Same as petition

 Petitioner

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Walter Bruce S. Rice - Grant

 Owner (if different)