APPLICANT: Michael Olimene

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3337 S. Giles Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RS3 Residential Single-Unit District, a proposed 3-story single family residence whose north and south side yard shall be zero instead of combined 4.3' and to allow the height of the building to be increased to 31' instead of 30'.

ACTION OF BOARD--CASE CONTINUED TO MAY 20, 2005

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Leo Licata-Billboards, Inc.

APPEARANCE FOR: 

APPEARANCES AGAINST: 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 2325-33 N. Clark Street

CAL NO.: 20-05-A

MAP NO.: 5-F

MINUTES OF MEETING: March 18, 2005

NATURE OF REQUEST: Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow, in a B1-3 Neighborhood Shopping District, a 1,400 sq. ft. advertising sign (north wall) which exceeds the allowable area by 100 sq. ft. and is located within 250 feet of an residential district.

ACTION OF BOARD--CASE CONTINUED TO MAY 20, 2005

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APPLICATION: Dragan Kecman

APPEARANCE FOR: Michael E. Lavelle

APPEARANCES AGAINST: None

PREMISES AFFECTED: 6519-27 N. Oketo Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse & Multi-Unit District, a proposed 3-story 6 dwelling unit building whose minimum lot area shall be 5,945 sq. ft. instead of 6,000 sq. ft., whose north west front yard shall be zero instead of 12' rear yard shall be zero instead of 30'.

ACTION OF BOARD-
VARIATION GRANTED

THE VOTE

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on February 1, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will construct a three story six dwelling unit building; the side of the building that faces Northwest Highway has been redesigned to cover the rear entrance of the building; the Board hereby grants a variation of the minimum lot size to five thousand nine hundred and forty five square feet instead of six thousand square feet, the front yard and rear yard shall be zero; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.
APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 1, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant will establish a day labor employment agency; there will be a twelve space parking lot provided; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
APPLICANT: Andres Schcolnik

APPEARANCE FOR: Bernard Citron

APPEARANCES AGAINST: Bernard Citron

PREMISES AFFECTED: 6349 S. Maryland Ave

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 3rd floor addition to an existing building which will contain 6 dwelling units and commercial space whose rear yard will be zero instead of 30' in a C1-3 Neighborhood Commercial District.

ACTION OF BOARD:-
WITHDRAWN BY REQUEST OF COUNSEL

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CHAIRMAN

PAGE 50 OF MINUTES
APPLICATION: Andres Schcolnik  

APPEARANCE FOR: Bernard Citron  

APPEARANCES AGAINST:  

PREMISES AFFECTED: 6352 S. Maryland Avenue  

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off-site accessory parking lot for 18 private vehicles to accommodate require parking for a banquet hall located at 6401 S. Cottage Grove Avenue in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District.

ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED  

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 1, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has heard the companion case # 96-05-S which provided fifty-eight spaces; this lot will provide eighteen additional parking spaces for the ballroom/banquet facility at 6401 S. Cottage Grove; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.
APPLICANT: Anna Gutkowski

APPEARANCE FOR: John Pikarski

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1062 N. Milwaukee Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed 3rd floor addition to an existing building which will contain 6 dwelling units and commercial space whose rear yard will be zero instead of 30' in a C1-3 Neighborhood Commercial District.

ACTION OF BOARD:
APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on February 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on February 1, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant's building contains four legal dwelling units and two retail units on the first floor which are occupied as unlawful dwelling units; there are two parking spaces at the location; the applicant wishes to add two dwelling units and two additional parking spaces; the building will then contain six dwelling units, two retail units (on the first floor) and four parking spaces. The Board hereby orders that the two first floor dwelling units be de-converted to non-residential units with a permit; the non-residential units shall be inspected for compliance with this resolution. The Board will then allow a permit to be issued which allows for two additional dwelling units and two additional parking spaces to be added to this building. The total use for this building shall be six dwelling units, two retail units and four parking spaces in a building with a zero rear yard; the Board find the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Christian Love M.B. Church

APPEARANCE FOR: Steven Nelson

CAL NO.: 69-05-S

MAP NO.: 1-J

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: March 18, 2005

535 N. Spaulding Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an existing church in a 1-story building in a C1-2 Neighborhood Commercial District.

ACTION OF BOARD—APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish a two hundred and nine seat religious facility; the church has been in existence for thirty four years and is in the process of remodeling its structure; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed church

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN
APPLICANT: 55th & Pulaski, LLC  CAL NO.: 70-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: Richard Toth

MAP NO.: 12-J

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3934-52 W. 55th Street/5448-58 S. Harding Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed bank with 3 drive through lanes in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD--
APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE
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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will construct a new bank with three drive-through lanes; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the drive-through facility provided it is constructed consistent with the proposed layout and design represented on the site plan and the elevation drawings dated March 9, 2005 as prepared by the Pappgeorge Haymes, Ltd. and provided the final landscape plan is approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: McDonald's Corporation, A Corporation of Delaware

APPEARANCE FOR: Amy Kurson

APPEARANCES AGAINST: 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 5133-53 W. Chicago Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed fast food restaurant with drive through facility in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD—APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant has previously presented this fast food restaurant with drive through to the Board in 2002 (case # 374-02-S); the applicant has slightly modified the design and has presented evidence to that effect, the Board will re-adopt the testimony in the previous case here; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore
RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed drive-through facility provided it is constructed consistent with the layout and design represented on the site plan and elevation drawings dated March 9, 2005 as prepared by the McDonald's Corporation and provided the final landscape plan is approved by the Department of Planning and Development. The Department notes that the Board previously approved the proposed drive-through restaurant at this location on October 18, 2002 (case # 374-02-S).

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: McDonald's Corporation, A Corporation of Delaware

CALENDAR NO.: 72-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: Alvin Charity and Timothy Hutchinson

MAP NO.: 15-M

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

MINUTES OF MEETING:
March 18, 2005

PREMISES AFFECTED: 6125-43 N. Milwaukee Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed fast food restaurant with drive through facility in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD--
CASE CONTINUED TO JUNE 17, 2005

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Air Benchmark Corp

APPEARANCE FOR: 

APPEARANCES AGAINST: 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3633 N. Sheffield Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a private club in a B3-3 Community Shopping District within an existing 3-story 2 dwelling unit building.

ACTION OF BOARD--

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CHAIRMAN
APPLICANT: Cosmopolitan Bank and Trust

CAL NO.: 74-05-S

MAP NO.: 12-0

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4710-12 S. Ingleside Avenue

MINUTES OF MEETING: March 18, 2005

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off site parking lot for 20 private passenger automobiles, in a RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse & Multi-Unit District.

ACTION OF BOARD--

CASE CONTINUED TO APRIL 15, 2005

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APPLICANT: Cosmopolitan Bank and Trust

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4710-12 S. Ingleside Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse & Multi-Unit District, a 20 space parking lot whose front yard shall be 7' instead of 11.6' and whose south side yard shall be zero.

ACTION OF BOARD--
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CHAIRMAN
APPLICANT: McDonald's Corporation, A Corporation of Delaware

CAL NO.: 76-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: Amy Kurson

MAP NO.: 14-I

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 5733-51 S. Kedzie Avenue

MAP NO.: March 18, 2005

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed fast food restaurant with drive through facility in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant has previously presented this fast food restaurant with drive through to the Board in 2002 (case # 373-02-S); the applicant has slightly modified the design and has presented evidence to that effect, the Board will re-adopt the testimony in the previous case here; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore
RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed drive-through facility provided that it is constructed consistent with the layout and design represented on the site plan and elevation drawings dated March 9, 2005 as prepared by the McDonald’s Corporation and provided the final landscape plan is approved by the Department of Planning and Development. The Department notes that the Board previously approved the proposed drive-through restaurant at this location on October 18, 2002 (case #373-02-S).

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
APPLICANT: Next Bronzeville, LLC

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 325 E. 35th Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a beauty salon within 1,000 feet of a similar use in a B1-3 Neighborhood Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD--CASE CONTINUED TO APRIL 15, 2005

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: C.R.I. Development, LLC

CAL NO.: 78-05-Z

APPEARANCE FOR:

MAP NO.: 9-J

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

MINUTES OF MEETING:
March 18, 2005

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3716 N. Lawndale Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District, a proposed 3-story single family residence whose north side yard shall be zero instead of 7.79'.

ACTION OF BOARD--CASE CONTINUED TO MAY 20, 2005

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: G.B. Illinois 2, LLC

APPEARANCE FOR: CAL NO.: 79-05-S

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MAP NO.: 9-G

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3601-57 N. Central Avenue

MINUTES OF MEETING:
March 18, 2005

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed drug store with drive through facility in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Ziad and Basem Farhan

CAL NO.: 80-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: 

MAP NO.: 9-M

APPEARANCES AGAINST: 

MINUTES OF MEETING: 
March 18, 2005

PREMISES AFFECTED: 6001 W. Addison Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a drive through facility in an existing fast food restaurant in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

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CHAIRMAN

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APPLICANT: Dharmesh Purohit
CAL NO.: 81-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

MAP NO.: 1-J

PREMISES AFFECTED: 25 S. Pulaski Road

MINUTES OF MEETING:
March 18, 2005

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed fast food restaurant with a drive through facility in a B3-3 Community Shopping District.

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APPLICANT: Timothy Remus

APPEARANCE FOR: Same

APPEARANCES AGAINST: Same

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1553 N. Hoyne Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District, a proposed rear 1-story addition to an existing 2-story residence whose north side yard shall be 1'-10" and whose south side yard shall be zero rather than a combined 4.8' for both side yards.

ACTION OF BOARD-- VARIATION GRANTED

THE VOTE

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant stated that the previous owner of the property removed the deck and porch without obtaining a permit to reconstruct new structures; the applicant wishes to legalize the existing structures; the north side yard shall be 1'-10" and the south side yard shall be zero; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance, 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

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APPLICANT: Brad A. Habansky
APPEARANCE FOR: Thomas S. Moore
APPEARANCES AGAINST:
PREMISES AFFECTED: 2217 N. Halsted Street
NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a beauty salon within 1,000 feet of a similar use in a B1-2 Neighborhood Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the business contains an existing mens clothes store; the barber services will be accessory and make up no more than fifteen per cent of the business; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed men's salon.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
APPLICATION: South Central Bank, N.A. CAL NO.: 85-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: Richard Toth MAP NO.: 117-B

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 814-20 W. 35th Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off-site accessory parking and a drive through facility in a C2-2 Motor Vehicle-Related Commercial District which will be accessory to the existing bank located at 808 W. 55th Street.

ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant will construct a drive through for its existing bank; the applicant testified that a drive through facility for a bank is a business necessity and needs one at that location; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
APPLICANT: Wendy's International, Inc.

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4126 S. Pulaski Road

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed fast food restaurant with drive through facility in a M2-3 Light Industry District.

ACTION OF BOARD–CASE CONTINUED TO MAY 20, 2005

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APPLICANT: United Business Group Corporation/ DBA Triple Care

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

MAP NO.: 15-M

CAL NO.: 87-05-A

MINUTES OF MEETING: March 18, 2005

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4708-10 N. Central Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to allow the establishment of a travel agency/employment agency in an RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District.

ACTION OF BOARD-- CASE CONTINUED TO MAY 20, 2005

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Evelio Rodriguez

APPEARANCE FOR: Same

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4715 S. Wood Street

MAP NO.: 12-H

NATURE OF REQUEST: Appeal from the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator in refusing to certify 8 alleged lawful dwelling units in an RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District when the building permit states 6 dwelling units are located on site.

ACTION OF BOARD--
THE DECISION OF THE ZONING ADMINISTRATOR IS REVERSED

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, the decision of the Office of the Zoning Administrator rendered, reads: “Application not approved. Requested certification does not conform with the applicable provisions of the Chicago Zoning Ordinance, Title 17 of the Municipal Code of Chicago, specifically, Section 17-13-1200.” and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the district maps show that the premises is located in an District; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the partics and being fully advised in the premises, hereby makes the following findings of fact: the applicant bought this property many years ago; at the time there were six dwelling units in the front building and two dwelling units in the rear building; the applicant has offered a Department of Public Works record which agrees with this testimony of eight dwelling units; he stated a building contractor applied for a permit which stated only six dwelling units existed; the Board hereby finds that permit to be a mistake and a total of eight dwelling units (six dwelling units in the front and two dwelling units in the rear) exist;

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: CCC Development Corporation
APPEARANCE FOR: Paul Bennett
APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:
PREMISES AFFECTED: 354-58 E. 59th Street
NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off site voluntary parking lot for private passenger automobiles, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, to serve the building located at 5850-58 S. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive.

ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant has rehabilitated a building which has no on site parking; the applicant will provide this non-accessory parking lot at this location for the property at 5850-58 S. Martin Luther King Jr Dr. the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed parking lot provided that it is landscaped and fenced in compliance with the Chicago Landscape Ordinance

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before approval of the special use.

APPROVED AS SUBSTANcE

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CHAIRMAN
APPLICANT: CCC Development Corporation
APPEARANCE FOR: Paul Bennett
APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:
PREMISES AFFECTED: 354-58 E. 59th Street
NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, the establishment of a voluntary parking lot for private passenger automobiles whose front yard shall be 7' instead of 12.96' and whose west side yard shall be 3' instead of 5.3'.

ACTION OF BOARD--VARIATION GRANTED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted a special use in case #89-05-S and therefore it shall allow the parking lot to have a front yard of 7' and west side yard of 3', the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Blue Diamond (Partnership) CAL NO.: 91-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: Joseph Cahoj / Jose Rodriguez MAP NO.: 7-M

APPEARANCES AGAINST: Henry Lopez, Anthony Passarelli MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 5811 W. Diversey Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a tattoo and body piercing facility in a B3-1 Community Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD—APPLICATION DENIED

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THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant wishes to establish a tattoo and body piercing establishment, he will provide a sanitary environment with sterile equipment and one time use needles. He has no experience operating a tattoo parlor; the appraiser stated the use is compatible with the neighborhood and will not adversely effect the area.

Alderman Reboyras appeared with many members of the community to oppose this use. The Alderman also presented letters of opposition from five additional Aldermen who surround this ward and a state representative. The Alderman stated that this use would be harmful to his ward because of prevalent gangs who will frequent the area. Opponents stated that the use was not compatible with the neighborhood shopping along the block. The Board hereby finds the this use in not compatible with the character of this neighborhood in terms of operating characteristics. The Board notes strong opposition from the neighbors and elected officials plus the applicant has no previous experience operating this type of business.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN
RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is denied and the Zoning Administrator is not authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends denial of the proposed tattoo and body piercing facility. The Department does not believe this service is necessary for the public convenience at this location.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Kevin Derrig

APPEARANCE FOR: Thomas Moore

APPEARANCES AGAINST: 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4823 N. Hermitage Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, the correction of side yards on a recently constructed single family residence which will reduce the combined side yards to 4'-6'', south yard to 1'-6'' and north side yards to 3' instead of 5'.

ACTION OF BOARD—VARIATION GRANTED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant has constructed a single family residence and has learned that the side yards need to be corrected due to an error made on the plans; the Alderman has sent in his letter of support; the Board hereby grants a building with a south side yard of 1'6'' and a north side yard of 3'; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.
APPLICANT: Kevin Derrig
APPEARANCE FOR: Thomas Moore
APPEARANCES AGAINST: 
PREMISES AFFECTED: 4821 N. Hermitage Avenue
NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, the correction of side yards on a recently constructed single family residence which will reduce the combined side yards to 4'-6", south yard to 1'-6" and north side yards to 3' instead of 5'.

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RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Paul Collurafici Incorporated
CAL NO.: 94-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: James Banks
MAP NO.: 11-G

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 4439-43 N. Broadway
March 18, 2005

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a tattoo and body piercing facility in a B3-3 Community Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD-- APPLICATION APPROVED

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The Resolution:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant has operated a tattoo parlor across the street from this location for many years, he stated that he has brought many business people with him to support his use; Alderman Schiller also appeared and testified that the applicant has been an asset to the community and supports his move to the new location, testimony was presented to show the use is compatible with the neighborhood; the Board will grant the use as a tattoo and piercing facility; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends the approval of the proposed tattoo and body piercing facility. The Department notes the proposed tattoo parlor currently operates across the street at 4408 N. Broadway and is relocating due to new development at that site.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Chicago Tattooing Company, Inc.  CAL NO.: 95-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: Thomas Moore  MAP NO.: 7-G

APPEARANCES AGAINST: Henry Lopez, Steve Sklar, Tom Foos  MINUTES OF MEETING: March 18, 2005

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1017 W. Belmont Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a tattoo and body piercing facility in a B3-2 Community Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD-- APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant has operated a tattoo parlor for 33 years at 922 W. Belmont. The current site is being demolished and he wishes to move to 1017 W. Belmont. He wishes to continue his business from 12:00 pm to 12:00 am for 7 days a week. The appraiser for the applicant has stated that the location, which is less than one block away is compatible with the neighborhood and will not have any detrimental effect on the value of the properties; several neighbors to the new location have appeared to object to the relocation of the business; the objectors claim the use is not compatible with the surrounding residential and family use; they claim the stretch of Belmont Avenue east of the Rapid Transportation is totally different in character than the relocation site to the west of the station. The Board does not agree. This business has existed in the neighborhood for thirty three years and its existence has not hampered commercial or residential growth in the area. The Board finds the applicant has provided this service for thirty three years one block to the east and has been a long term business in this community; the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

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MINUTES OF MEETING:
March 18, 2005

CAL NO.: 95-05-S

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends the approval of the proposed tattoo and body piercing facility. The Department notes that the proposed tattoo parlor currently operates approximately one block east at 922 W. Belmont Avenue and is relocating due to a new development at that site.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
APPLICANT: Anesco, Inc.

APPEARANCE FOR: Bernard Citron

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 807 E. 64th Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an accessory parking lot for 57 private passenger automobiles, in an RM-5 Residential Multi-Unit District, to serve a ballroom located at 6401 S. Cottage Grove.

ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish a fifty seven space parking lot to serve as the required parking for a ballroom at 6401 S. Cottage Grove. The Board is also hearing a second parking lot at 6352 S. Maryland (67-05-S) at this time, the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed parking lot provided it is landscaped and fenced in compliance with the Chicago Landscape Ordinance

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued;
APPLICANT: Park Federal Savings Bank

APPEARANCE FOR: Sarah Burke

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MAP NO.: 12-H

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1817-23 W. 47th Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed bank with drive through facility in a B3-2 Community Shopping District.

ACTION OF BOARD-- APPLICATION APPROVED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will construct a bank with drive through facility; the applicant has testified that a drive through facility in a bank is a business necessity; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the drive-through facility provided it is constructed consistent with the layout and design represented on the site plan dated February 23, and provided the final landscape plan is approved by the Department of Planning and Development.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN
APPLICANT: Safer Foundation, an Illinois Not-for-Profit Corporation

APPEARANCE FOR: Bill Hennessey

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1101-21 S. Francisco Avenue/1100-20 S. Mozart Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the expansion of an existing correctional institution (community work release for non-violent offenders) in a C2-1 Motor Vehicle-Related Commercial District.

ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

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BRIAN L. CROWE  X  
GIGI MCCABE-MIELE  X  
DEMETRI KONSTANTELOS  X  
DONALD HUBERT  X  
REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS  X

THE RESOLUTION:

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant was before this Board in 1997 (case # 25-97-S) to establish this similar use at this location. The applicant wishes to expand the facility to allow more people to be assisted in the Chicago area; the Board will allow the expansion, the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development has no objection to the expansion of the existing correctional facility provided it is constructed consistent with the layout and design represented on the site plan and the elevation drawings dated January 7, 2005 as prepared by Valerio, Dewalt and Train Associates

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

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APPLICANT: Holy Covenant Missionary Baptist

APPEARANCE FOR: Arthur Sutton

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 8310-12 S. Halsted Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B1-1 Neighborhood Shopping District, the establishment of an accessory parking lot for 24 private passenger automobiles to serve a 170 seat church located at 8308 S. Halsted Street.

ACTION OF BOARD--APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will demolish the existing church and construct a new one hundred and seventy seat religious facility; this twenty four space parking lot will serve as the required parking for the church; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development has no objection to the expansion of the existing church. The Department notes that the Board previously approved the establishment of the existing church on June 16, 2000 (case # 191-00-S)

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED TO SUBSTANCE

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APPLICANT: Robert Sorich

PEOPLE FOR: Dennis Aukstik

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3351 S. Parnell Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RT-4 Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit District, a proposed 2nd floor rear addition to an existing 2-story residence whose total combined side yards shall be 5" instead of 6.27', a zero north side yard and a 6" south side yard, to reduce the required rear yard to 30'-5 1/4" instead of 35.4', to allow the rear yard open space of 275.08 sq. ft. to be located on the deck at a height in excess of 4'-7" and a south yard trellis (wall) to be 6".

ACTION OF BOARD-- VARIATION GRANTED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will remodel and add a second floor addition to create a single family residence whose combined side yards shall be 5" instead of 6.27', a zero north side yard, a 6" south side yard, rear yard of 30'-5 1/4" and 275.08 square feet of open space on a deck at a height in excess of 4'-7" with a south side yard trellis wall of 6"; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Maria L. and Hipolito Melendez

APPEARANCE FOR: Same

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3856 W. 55th Place

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in an RS-2 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, a proposed 2nd floor addition to a single family residence, whose required rear yard shall be zero instead of 33.75' and to reduce the combined side yard side yard to 1.2' on the west and 2.74 on the east.

ACTION OF BOARD-- VARIATION GRANTED

THE VOTE

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Blink Technology/dba Salon Echo

APPEARANCE FOR: Graham Grady

APPEARANCES AGAINST: 

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1134 W. Bryn Mawr Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B3-3 Community Shopping District, a beauty salon within 1,000 feet of a similar use.

ACTION OF BOARD-- VARIATION GRANTED

THE VOTE

THE RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish a full service salon; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed beauty salon

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

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APPLICATION: B.I. Incorporated

APPEARANCE FOR: David Narefsky

APPEARANCES AGAINST: Linda Harmon, Frances McIntyrer

PREMISES AFFECTED: 3490-3516 W. Grand Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a correctional facility which will serve as a community re-entry center for at risk offenders in an existing State of Illinois Department of Correction parole office in a M1-2 Limited Manufacturing/Business Park District.

ACTION OF BOARD—APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107B and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will establish a day reporting facility for the parolees from the Illinois Department of Correction facilities; the applicant will be working from a State of Illinois facility; the services will include breath-a-alyzer (sic) and sampling of urine for illegal drugs. Participants will be from the surrounding area; there are armed security at the facility. An appraiser testified that this use was compatible with the neighborhood. There were two objectors from the neighborhood, They stated that this is area did not need more parolees coming into the their area. They testified that the use was not appropriate for this location. The Board will permit the special use the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends approval of the proposed correctional facility office. The Department notes that the proposed use will operate in conjunction with the existing I.D.O.C parole office at the site.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Revere Community Housing Development, LLC (RCDH, LLC)
CAL NO.: 104-05-S

APPEARANCE FOR: Paul Bennett
MAP NO.: 18-D

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 7200 S. Dobson Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of an off site parking lot for 8 private passenger automobiles, in a RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, to serve school teachers for a public school located at 1010 E. 72nd Street.

ACTION OF BOARD—APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following: the applicant will construct a parking lot for eight private passenger vehicles and it will rent the space to the Chicago Public School at 1010 E 72nd Street; the Board finds the use complies with all applicable standards of this Zoning Ordinance; is in the interest of the public convenience and will not have a significant adverse impact on the general welfare of neighborhood or community; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of site planning and building scale and project design; is compatible with the character of the surrounding area in terms of operating characteristics, such as hours of operation, outdoor lighting, noise, and traffic generation; and is designed to promote pedestrian safety and comfort; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the aforesaid special use request be and it hereby is approved and the Zoning Administrator is authorized to permit said special use subject to the following condition(s): The Department of Planning and Development recommends the approval of the proposed parking lot provided it is landscaped in compliance with the Chicago Landscaping Ordinance.

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN
APPLICANT: Revere Community Housing Development, LLC (RCDH, LLC)  
CAL NO.: 105-05-Z

APPEARANCE FOR: Paul Bennett  
MAP NO.: 18-D

APPEARANCES AGAINST:  
MINUTES OF MEETING: March 18, 2005

PREMISES AFFECTED: 7200 S. Dobson Avenue

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, the establishment of an off-site non-accessory parking lot whose front yard set back shall be 7' instead of 20'.

ACTION OF BOARD-- VARIATION GRANTED

THE VOTE

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on this application by the Zoning Board of Appeals at its regular meeting held on March 18, 2005, after due notice thereof as provided under Section 17-13-0107A and by publication in the Chicago Sun-Times on March 2, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the Board has granted the special use in case # 104-05-S and will allow the parking lot to have a front yard set back of 7'; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS, CITY OF CHICAGO, CITY HALL, ROOM 905

APPLICANT: Revere Community Housing Development, LLC (RCDH, LLC)

CAL NO.: 106-05-S

MAP NO.: 18-D

APPEARANCE FOR:

Revere Community Housing Development, LLC (RCDH, LLC)

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

MINUTES OF MEETING:
March 18, 2005

PREMISES AFFECTED: 7146-56 S. Ellis Avenue

APPLICATION NO.: 106-05-S

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a non-accessory parking lot for 45 private passenger automobiles, in a RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, to serve school teachers for a public school located at 1010 E. 72nd Street.

ACTION OF BOARD—APPLICATION APPROVED

THE VOTE

BRIAN L. CROWE
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REVEREND WILFREDO DEJESUS

APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.
APPLICANT: Revere Community Housing Development, LLC (RCDH, LLC)

APPEARANCE FOR: Paul Bennett

APPEARANCES AGAINST: MINUTES OF MEETING:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 7146-56 S. Ellis Avenue

MAP NO.: 18-D

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Chapter 17 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a RS-3 Residential Single-Unit (Detached House) District, the establishment of non-accessory parking lot whose front yard set back shall be 7' instead of 20'.

ACTION OF BOARD—VARIATION GRANTED

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RESOLVED, that the Zoning Board of Appeals, by virtue of the authority conferred upon it, does hereby make a variation in the application of the district regulations of the zoning ordinance and that the aforesaid variation request be and it hereby is granted subject to the following condition(s):

That all applicable ordinances of the City of Chicago shall be complied with before a permit is issued.
APPLICANT: Tiny's

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1821 W. Addison Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a special use under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance for the approval of the location and the establishment of a proposed tavern in a B4-1 Restricted Service District.

ACTION OF BOARD—CASE CONTINUED TO JUNE 17, 2005

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APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

PAGE 43 OF MINUTES
APPLICANT: Tiny's

CAL NO.: 491-04-Z

MAP NO.: 9-H

APPEARANCE FOR:

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

MAP NO.: 9-H

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1821 W. Addison Street

MINUTES OF MEETING: March 18, 2005

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a B4-1 Restricted Service District, a proposed tavern with a reduction of the required transitional yards from 2.5' on the south and the elimination of the required 20' as an extension of the front yard in an R4 General Residence District.

ACTION OF BOARD--
CASE CONTINUED TO JUNE 17, 2005

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APPROVED AS TO SUBSTANCE

CHAIRMAN

PAGE 44 OF MINUTES
APPLICATION: Kevin Dermody
APPEARANCE FOR: John Pikarski
CAL No.: 556-04-Z
MAP NO.: 3-I

APPEARANCES AGAINST:

PREMISES AFFECTED: 1336 N. Rockwell Street

NATURE OF REQUEST: Application for a variation under Article 11 of the zoning ordinance to permit, in a Pending R4 General Residence District, a proposed 2 ½-story single family residence whose front yard shall be 3'-3" instead of 6.47' and whose rear yard shall be 15' instead of 30'.

ACTION OF BOARD--
VARIATION GRANTED

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WHEREAS, the Zoning Board of Appeals, having fully heard the testimony and arguments of the parties and being fully advised in the premises, hereby finds the following; the applicant will construct a single family residence whose front yard shall be 33" and whose rear yard shall be 15'; the Board finds 1) strict compliance with the regulations and standards of this Zoning Ordinance would create practical difficulties or particular hardships for the subject property; 2) the requested variation is consistent with the stated purpose and intent of this Zoning Ordinance 3) the property in question cannot yield a reasonable return if permitted to be used only in accordance with the standards of this Zoning Ordinance; 4) the practical difficulties or particular hardships are due to unique circumstances and are not generally applicable to other similarly situated property; and 5) the variation, if granted will not be alter the essential character of the neighborhood; it is therefore

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