AGENDA

ELKHART COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS HEARING OFFICER

OCTOBER 15, 2025 9:00 A.M.

PUBLIC SERVICES BUILDING MEETING ROOMS A & B 4230 ELKHART ROAD, GOSHEN, INDIANA

Call to Order

Elkhart County Development Ordinance and Staff Report materials are to be entered as evidence for today's hearings.

DEV	ELOPMENT <i>A</i>	AL VARIANCES 9:00 A.M.
A.	Petitioner:	Jared Davies & Richelle Davies, Husband & Wife (Page 1)
	Petition:	for a Developmental Variance to allow for the total square footage of
		accessory structures to exceed that allowed by right.
	Location:	South side of Maple Ridge Dr., 490 ft. West of SR 13, common address of
		11560 Maple Ridge Dr. in York Township, zoned DPUD A-1. DV-0563-2025
В.	Petitioner:	Thomas Atkinson & Fawne Atkinson, Husband & Wife (Page 2)
	Petition:	for a 17 sq. ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance allows for 8 sq. ft.) to
		allow for the placement of a 25 sq. ft. freestanding sign, for a 3 ft
		Developmental Variance (Ordinance allows 4 ft.) to allow for the placement
		of a freestanding sign 7 ft. in height, and for a 3 ft. Developmental Variance
		(Ordinance requires 3 ft.) to allow for the placement of a freestanding sign (
		ft. from the right-of-way line.
	Location:	North side of Old US 20, 1,460 ft. East of CR 13, common address of 23241
		Old US 20 in Concord Township, zoned R-4. DV-0584-2025
C.	Petitioner:	Robert Lee Bertog, Jr. (Page 3)
	Petition:	for a Developmental Variance to allow for the total square footage of accessory structures to exceed that allowed by right.
	Location:	West side of CR 23, 920 ft. North of CR 20, common address of 58326 CR
		23 in Jefferson Township, zoned A-1. DV-0569-2025
D.	Petitioner:	Jeremy L. Bachman & Michelle R. Bachman, Husband & Wife (Page 4)
	Petition:	for a Developmental Variance to allow for the total square footage of
		accessory structures to exceed that allowed by right.
	Location:	West side of Tasha Dr., 780 ft. South of State Line Rd., common address of
		50823 Tasha Dr. in York Township, zoned A-1. DV-0579-2025

E. Petitioner: Crystal Lynn Ann Smith (Page 5)

Petition: for a 13 ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 50 ft.) to allow for

the construction of a residence 37 ft. from the centerline of the right-of-way of Wilson St., for a 32 ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 50 ft.) to allow for the construction of a residence 18 ft. to from the centerline of the right-of-way of California Ct. and for a 10 ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 15 ft.) to allow for the construction of a residence 5 ft.

from the rear property line.

Location: Northwest corner of California Ct. & Wilson St., West of CR 11 (Osolo Rd.),

common address of 25171 California Ct. in Osolo Township, zoned R-2.

DV-0593-2025

F. Petitioner: Ryan S. Epp & Michele L. Epp (Page 6)

Petition: for a 19 ft. lot-width Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 100 ft.) to

allow for an existing residence and for a 2 ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 5 ft.) to allow for the construction of a detached accessory

structure 3 ft. from the west side property line.

Location: South side of CR 6, 1,555 ft. East of CR 10, common address of 29552 CR 6

in Cleveland Township, zoned A-1. DV-0595-2025

G. Petitioner: First Class Property Rentals (Page 7)

Petition: for a 40 ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 50 ft.) to allow for

an existing accessory structure 10 ft. from the centerline of the right-of-way.

Location: West side of E. Indiana Lake Rd., 630 ft. North of Church Rd., West of CR

23, common address of 50567 East Indiana Lake Rd. in Washington Township, zoned R-2.

DV-0603-2025

H. Petitioner: Jason G. Ulin (Page 8)

Petition: for a Developmental Variance to allow for the total square footage of

accessory structures to exceed that allowed by right.

Location: East side of Nineteenth St., 405 ft. South of Mishawaka Rd. (CR 20), common

address of 57868 19th St. in Concord Township, zoned R-2. DV-0599-2025

I. Petitioner: Amy R. Snyder & Adam E. Bell (Page 9)

Petition: for a 60 ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 120 ft.) to allow for

the construction of an accessory structure 60 ft. from the centerline of the

right-of-way.

Location: Northwest side of SR 15, 4,900 ft. North of CR 4, common address of 51323

SR 15 in Washington Township, zoned A-1. DV-0601-2025

MOBILE HOME SPECIAL USE/DEVELOPMENTAL VARIANCE

J. Petitioner: Thomas Hardman (Page 10)

Petition: for a Special Use for a mobile home, for a Developmental Variance to allow

for the placement of a mobile home within 300 ft. of a residence, for a 25 ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 50 ft.) to allow for the placement of a mobile home 25 ft. from the centerline of the right-of-way, and for a 3 ft. Developmental Variance (Ordinance requires 5 ft.) to allow for an

existing shed 2 ft. from the north side property line.

Location: East side of Helen St., 225 ft. North of Sunnyside Ave., Northeast of CR 45,

common address of 58596 Helen St. in Concord Township, zoned R-2.

SUP-0558-2025

STAFF/BOARD ITEMS (time of review at the discretion of the Board of Zoning Appeals)

• Minor Change – Special Use - Leah Sarber (SUP-0089-2025) request to extend the ILP deadline until September 19, 2026.

Ann Prough – Appointed by Plan Commission: term 1/1/25 – 12/31/25