

## **GREEN LAKE COUNTY**

## 571 County Road A, Green Lake, WI 54941

The following documents are included in the packet for the *Green Lake County Board of Adjustment* business meeting/public hearing that is scheduled for <u>Friday</u>, <u>September 20, 2019</u>. The business meeting begins at 9:00 a.m. The public hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m.

#### **Packet Pages:**

- 1. Agenda
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- 3-14. Item I: Owner/Agent: Sandra Lynn Sargent Revocable Living Trust Site Description: N3047 E Little Green Rd, Parcel #006-00542-0200 (±.5 acres), Located in part of Government Lot 3, Section 29, T15N, R13E, Town of Green Lake Request: Variance from Section 338-59 to expand the footprint of a variance-authorized structure.
- 15-18. Minutes of 07/19/19



# GREEN LAKE COUNTY Board of Adjustment 571 County Road A, Green Lake, WI 54941

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## **Board of Adjustment Meeting Notice**

Date: September 20, 2019 Time: 9:00 AM

Green Lake County Government Center, Room #0902 571 County Road A, Green Lake, WI 54941

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	<u>AGENDA</u>
Board of Adjustment Members:  Janice Hardesty Board Chair  Ron Triemstra Board Vice Chair	<ol> <li>Call to order</li> <li>Roll call</li> <li>Pledge of Allegiance</li> <li>Certification of open meeting law</li> <li>Agenda</li> <li>Approve 07/19/19 minutes</li> <li>Adjourn for field inspection</li> </ol> Public hearing matters will not begin before 10:00 a.m.
Ben Moderow  Michael Lehner Alternate  Rick Dornfeld Alternate	8. Public hearing matters  Item I: Owner/Agent: Sandra Lynn Sargent Revocable Living Trust Site Description: N3047 E Little Green Rd, Parcel #006-00542-0200 (±.5 acres), Located in part of Government Lot 3, Section 29, T15N, R13E, Town of Green Lake Request: Variance from Section 338-59 to expand the footprint of a variance-authorized structure.  a. Public Hearing b. Board Discussion & Deliberation c. Board Decision
Carole DeCramer, Board Secretary	9. Adjourn
	Please Note: Meeting area is accessible to the physically disabled. Anyone planning to attend who needs visual or audio assistance should contact Carole DeCramer at 920-294-4156 the day before the meeting no later than noon.
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#### **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Green Lake County Board of Adjustment will hold a Public Hearing in County Board Room #0902 of the Green Lake County Government Center, 571 County Road A, Green Lake, Wisconsin, on *Friday, September 20, 2019, at 9:00 a.m.* The meeting will adjourn for site inspection of the following item:

Item I: Owner/Agent: Sandra Lynn Sargent Revocable Living Trust Site Description: N3047 E Little Green Rd, Parcel #006-00542-0200 (±.5 acres), Located in part of Government Lot 3, Section 29, T15N, R13E, Town of Green Lake Request: Variance from Section 338-59 to expand the footprint of a variance-authorized structure.

The Board of Adjustment will reconvene at approximately **10:00 a.m.** to consider the item listed above. All interested persons wishing to be heard at the public hearing are invited to be present. Please note that *it is not uncommon for an owner/applicant to withdraw a request at the last minute*. Call the Green Lake County **Land Use Planning and Zoning Department at (920) 294-4156** for further detailed information concerning this notice, to verify that the agenda item you may be interested in has not been withdrawn from the agenda.

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#### VARIANCE APPLICATION - GREEN LAKE COUNTY

Provide the following information and any other detailed information related to the variance.

Date Received: _7/30/19	Fee Received: \$375
Sandra L Sargent Owner Name	Sheb Leissnor Applicant Name
<u>Sandie &amp; Sugart</u> 3/14/19 Owner Signature Date	Applicant Signature Date
1507 Galloway DV Mailing Address	1717 Smith St Mailing Address
Inverness, IL 40010 City State Zip	New London WI 5496) City State Zip
847-705-9344 847-508-7915	920-250-3934
Home Phone Work/Cell Phone	Home Phone Work/Ceil Phone
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Site Address <u>N3047</u> E C	Little Green Ret Town of Green like
Gov. Lot 3	342-0200
NW 4, SE 4, Section 29	_, T <u>15</u> N, R <u>13</u> E
Lot Block Subdivision/P	
Let $3 CSM # 271 Town$	of Green lake

A variance is <u>not</u> a convenience to the property owner and should not be granted routinely. For the Board of Adjustment to grant a variance, the owner/applicant must clearly demonstrate that there is an unnecessary hardship present when strictly applying an ordinance standard; that the hardship is due to unique site limitations; and in granting a variance the public interest is being protected. The <u>burden of proof rests upon the property owner to show all 3 criteria are being met.</u>

	See Attached
	Explain the hardship imposed by the Ordinance:
_	See Attacked
	Describe unique property feature(s) that create the hardship:
	Describe unique property feature(s) that create the hardship:

#### 1. Explain your proposed plans and how they vary from the required dimensional standards:

Build an addition to Principle structure, to extend footprint towards Little Green Lake where existing deck and pergola are We want to extend a two story addition off the kitchen and second floor family room, above each other. (Per plan submitted) The addition would be 18' wide which would bump into the four seasons room on one side and on the other side bump into the living room. It would extend out 9' toward lake which would take up 9' of the existing deck, the rest of deck would remain as is. The roof peak/line would be just under 25'. We are told we cannot expand the foot print of the existing structure. The structure has had its foot print change several times over the last 30 some years. If you would look at the google earth view of the property or the plan we have submitted, the area we want to bump out is already a permanent deck and has a pergola covering the entire deck. The deck is permanently attached to 3 sides of the footprint of the existing structure. Its surrounded on 3 sides by existing house. The addition would not be taking up any new yard space or diminish the usable green surface, nor encroach upon the lake or lot setbacks. We would be removing the deck and pergola, building the addition, rebuilding the new deck to the existing dimensions, minus the addition, not going any further towards the lake or any wider than it is now. The second floor would be of the same dimensions with a new roof system on it with a second floor deck extending to the same distance as the lower deck. The foot print may be changing but it is not taking up any more space than what is being used now by the overall structure and what is attached to it. The square footage or usable square footage of the property/lot will not change at all.

#### 2. Explain hardship imposed by the ordinance:

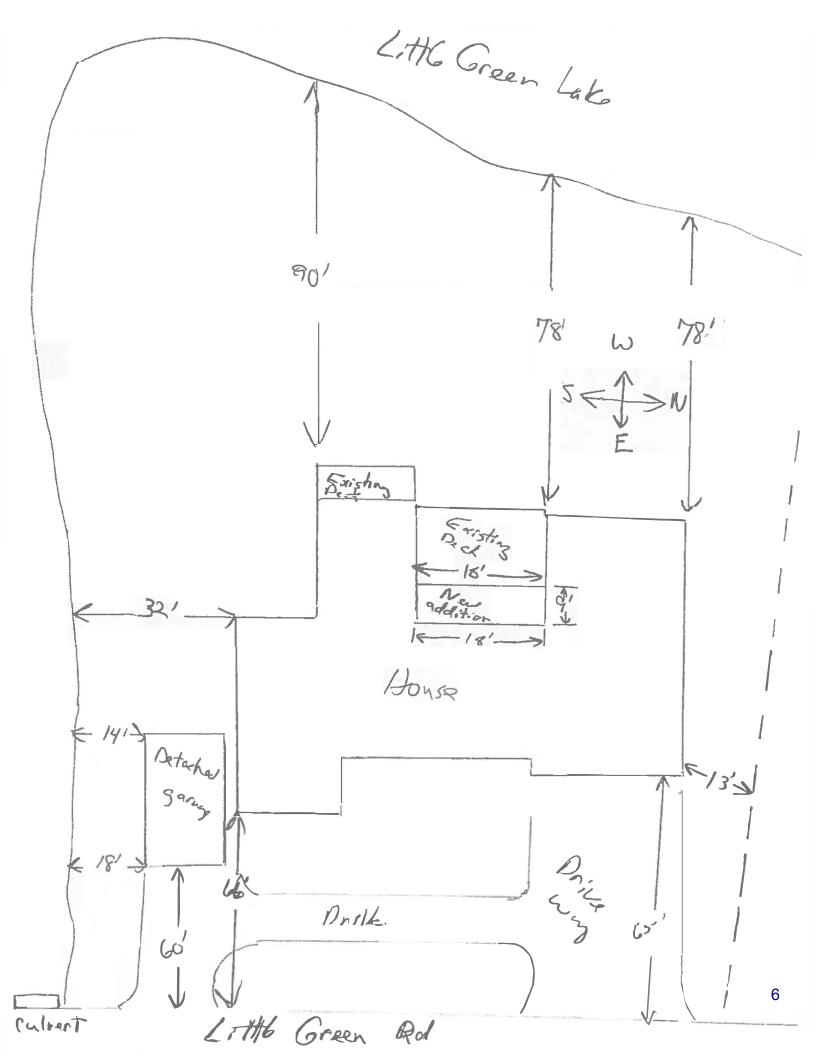
Does not allow expansion needed for these high traffic areas and proper remodel of kitchen area.

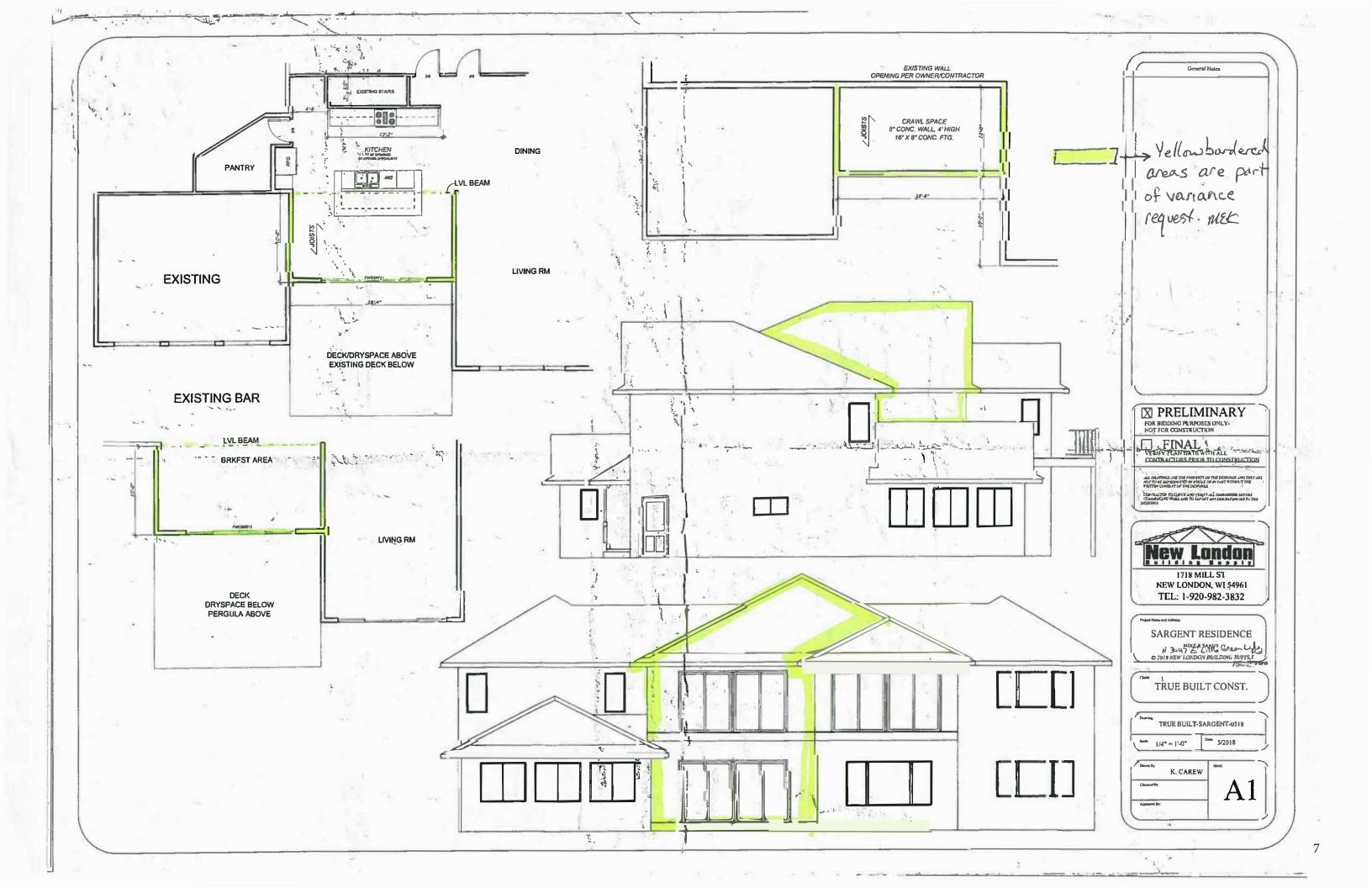
#### 3. <u>Describe the unique property feature(s) that create the hardship:</u>

There is an inlet/channel from Little Green Lake that goes along the south side of the property that has a drainage culvert draining into it. Sometime there is a stream of water going into inlet, mostly from runoff from rain storms and in spring from melting snow. Most of the time it is just a trickle of water and if there is a dry year, sometimes there is nothing draining into this inlet. In fact, most the time the water is still or runs back to the road. Back in the early 2000's the inlet/stream was deemed navigable, which if you would look at it, you would see otherwise. But from my understanding, if it is deemed navigable once a year then that is it...

#### 4. Explain why the proposed variance will not harm the public interest:

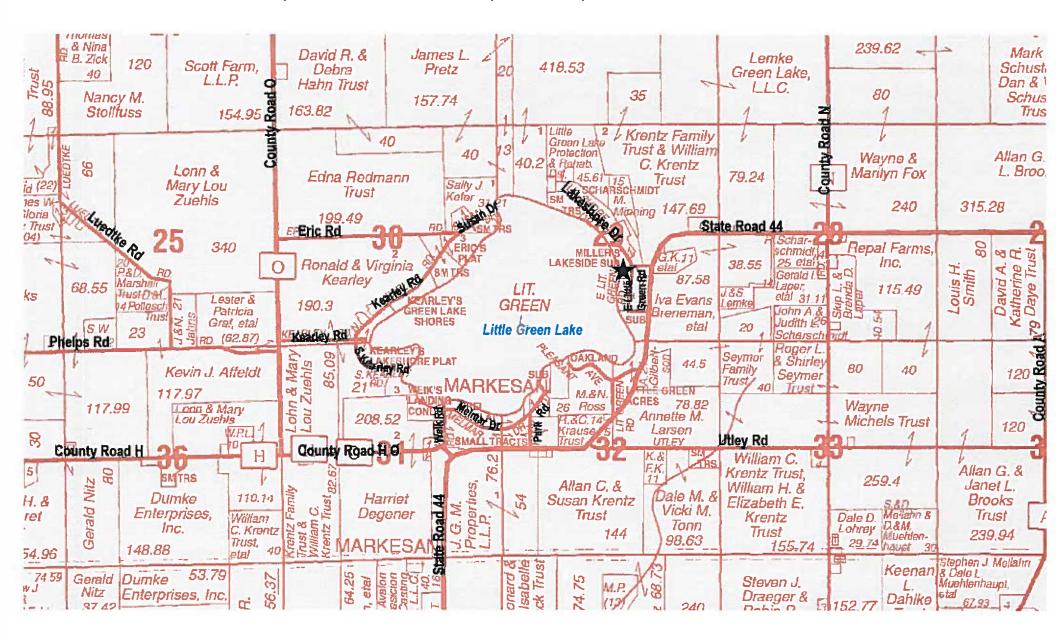
It will not harm public interest because it will meet all requirements for height, green space, will not be blocking the view of others/neighbors and will not encroach upon the lakes setbacks or guidelines for a normal lot on Little Green Lake. The deck is really part of the footprint of the structure because it is attached on 3 sides of the footprint, thus is like the footprint of the house. So would not cause issues with public interest or affect the overall lot or affect the channel/inlet that comes along the south side of the property.





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#### GREEN LAKE COUNTY BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Meeting Minutes - Thursday, July 19, 2019

#### CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of the Board of Adjustment was called to order by Land Use Planning & Zoning Director Matt Kirkman at 9:00 a.m. in County Board Room 0902 of the Government Center, Green Lake, WI. The requirements of the open meeting law were certified as being met.

Present: Janice Hardesty, Ben Moderow, Ron Triemstra

Absent: Rich Dornfeld (Alternate), Michael Lehner (Alternate)

Also present: Matt Kirkman, Land Use Planning and Zoning Director

Carole DeCramer, Board Secretary Caleb Edwards, Land Use Specialist

Kate Worth, Court Reporter, Worth Court Reporting

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Triemstra/Hardesty, unanimously carried, to approve the agenda.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Triemstra/Hardesty, unanimously carried, to approve the 04/18/19 minutes.

#### ELECTION OF BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR

Kirkman asked for nominations for Chair.

Nomination of Janice Hardesty as Chair offered by Ron Trimestra. No other nominations.

Motion by Triemstra/Moderow, unanimously carried, to close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Janice Hardesty.

Chair Hardesty conducted the remainder of the meeting.

Hardesty asked for nominations for Vice Chair.

Nomination of Ron Triemstra as Vice Chair offered by Ben Moderow.

Motion by Moderow/Hardesty, unanimously carried, to close nominations and cast a unanimous ballot for Ron Triemstra.

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Triemstra/Hardesty, unanimously carried, to approve the agenda.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Triemstra/Hardesty, unanimously carried, to approve the 04/18/19 minutes.

#### **RECESS FOR FIELD INSPECTION**

Time: 9:03 a.m.

#### PUBLIC HEARING MATTERS

Board reconvened at 10:47 a.m.

Chair Hardesty read the Rules of Order.

**Item I: Owner/Agent:** Wisconsin Power & Light; Jerry Lund, Agent **Site Description:** N6499 Berlin Rd, Parcel #004-00322-0100 (±1.18 acres), Located at the section corner of Sections 9, 10, 15 & 16, T16N, R13E, Town of Brooklyn **Request:** Variance from Section 350-50.A of the County Zoning Ordinance to rebuild an electricity distribution substation including a switchgear building, transformer, high-side circuit breaker, & other components that would provide a 14-foot street-yard setback; whereas, a 67-foot street-yard setback is required.

a. Public hearing

<u>Jerry Lund, Agent for Wisconsin Power & Light, 4902 Biltmore Lane, Madison</u> – Explained the request and spoke in favor of it. Used a plat of survey for describing request.

Greg Ardry - Manager of Substations, Wisconsin Power & Light, 4902 Biltmore Land, Madison -

Motion by Triemstra/Moderow, to close the public hearing.

Motion by Triemstra to approve the variance request.

The Board discussed the following conditions:

- 1. A land use permit shall be applied for and obtained prior to the project commencing.
- 2. A Certificate of Survey (COS) shall be completed and filed with the Green Lake County Surveyor's Office once the project has been completed. The Survey shall identify all lot lines, include all existing and new structures, including but not limited to: fenced areas, power poles, transformers, circuit breaker, switchgear, access driveways, gates, easements, etc.

Motion by Hardesty/Triemstra, unanimously carried, to amend the motion to include the aforementioned conditions as listed in the staff report.

b. Board discussion and deliberation to include relevant correspondence.

The Board also discussed the following:

- Criteria 1 Unnecessary Hardship
- Criteria 2 Unique Property Limitations
- Criteria 3 Harm to Public Interest
- c. Board decision.

Hardesty called for a roll call vote:

Hardesty – aye, Triemstra – aye, Moderow – aye. Motion carried.

**Item II: Owners:** Wayne & Sandy Kieck **Applicant:** Wesley Smith **Site Description:** W6586 Puckaway Rd, Parcel #014-00349-0000 (±2.48 acres), Lot 1 Certified Survey Map 1336, Located in Government Lot 1, Section 32, T15N, R11E, Town of Marquette **Request:** Variance from Section 350-18 of the County Zoning Ordinance to create a lot with an average lot width of 94.25 feet; whereas, all newly created lots are required to be an average width of 100 feet.

a. Public hearing

Wayne Kieck, W1798 Barry Road, Dalton – Spoke in favor of the request.

Wesley Smith, 527 Wellington Drive, West Bend – Spoke in favor of the request.

d. Board discussion and deliberation to include relevant correspondence.

The Board discussed the conditions listed in the staff report.

The Board also discussed the following:

- Criteria 1 Unnecessary Hardship
- Criteria 2 Unique Property Limitations
- Criteria 3 Harm to Public Interest
- e. Board decision.

Motion by Moderow/Triemstra to grant the variance from Section 350-18 of the County Zoning Ordinance to create a lot with an average lot width of 94.25 feet; whereas, all newly created lots are required to be an average width of 100 feet. The variance approval includes the following condition:

1. A certified survey map shall be prepared and approved in accordance with the County's Land Division and Subdivision Ordinance as well as Chapter 236, Wis Stats. The CSM shall be recorded in the Green Lake County Register of Deeds Office as well as submitted to the Green Lake County Surveyor's Office.

Hardesty called for a roll call vote

Hardesty – nay, Triemstra – nay, Moderow – nay. Motion denied.

**CORRESPONDENCE** - None

#### NEXT MEETING DATE

September 20, 2019.

#### **ADJOURN**

Motion by Triemstra to adjourn.

Time: 11:25 a.m.

RECORDED BY:
Carole DeCramer, Board of Adjustment Secretary

## **APPROVED:**

