

## **CITY OF MOBILE**

## BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT LETTER OF DECISION

December 7, 2012

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New Hope Baptist Church 264 S. Cedar St. Mobile, AL 36606

Re:

#5797/5726

(Case #ZON2012-02766) New Hope Baptist Church

1270 &1272 Pecan Street, 608 Live Oak Street, 1261 & 1263 Persimmon Street (Northeast corner of Pecan Street and Live Oak Street extending to the Southeast corner of Pecan Street and Persimmon Street).

Tree Planting Variance to reduce the number of Frontage Heritage Trees required for a church in an R-2, Two-Family Residential District; the Zoning Ordinance requires a minimum of one frontage heritage tree per 30 linear feet of street frontage for a church in an R-2, Two-Family Residential District.

Council District 2

Dear Applicant(s) / Property Owner(s):

On December 3, 2012, the Board of Zoning Adjustment approved your request for a Tree Planting Variance to reduce the number of Frontage Heritage Trees required for a church in an R-2, Two-Family Residential District at the above referenced location, subject to the following conditions:

- 1) coordination with Urban Forestry for the frontage tree planting requirements of the Ordinance to allow the planting of understory trees instead of overstory trees within the location of the building; and,
- 2) compliance with all other municipal codes and ordinances.

Any party aggrieved by this decision may, within fifteen days of the date of the decision, appeal to the Circuit Court of Mobile County by filing a written notice of appeal, specifying the decision from which the appeal is taken. Notice of the appeal, as well as a date stamped copy of the appeal filed in Circuit Court must be filed with this Board within the fifteen-day appeal period.

No permit, license or certification can be issued until the 15-day appeal period has expired and no appeal has been made. If a permit/license has not been obtained on or before June 3, 2013, the **Tree Planting Variance** will expire and become null and void. For additional assistance call (251) 208-5895.

Sincerely,

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William Guess, Chairman

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Frank Palombo, Planner II

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