BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT LETTER OF DECISION

August 3, 2005

Dora F. Finley 501 Monroe Street Mobile, AL 36602

Re: #5311 (Case #ZON2005-01265) <u>Dora F. Finley</u> 501 Monroe Street (Southwest corner of Monroe Street and South Lawrence Street)

Dear Applicant:

On August 1, 2005, the Board denied your request for Use and Substandard Access Variances to allow a bed and breakfast (four guest beds), a 9-foot wide driveway, in an R-1, Single-Family Residential District at the above referenced location.

The decision was based on the fact that insufficient evidence was presented that the Zoning Ordinance caused an unnecessary hardship to the property; and as such, the Board is without authority to grant a variance.

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.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT Stephen Davitt, Vice-Chairman

By:

Margaret Pappas Deputy Director of Permitting and Development