From: Scala, Mary Joy

Sent: Monday, April 22, 2013 2:17 PM

**To:** aetatar@gmail.com **Subject:** BAR action

April 22, 2013

Anna Tatar 203A 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW Charlottesville, VA 22902

**Preliminary Discussion** 

BAR 13-04-03 203A 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW Tax Map 33 Parcel 174.2A Anna Tatar, Applicant/ Steven, Maria, Anna & John Tatar, Owner Replace windows

Dear Applicant,

The above referenced project was discussed before a meeting of the City of Charlottesville Board of Architectural Review (BAR) on April 16, 2013. The following action was taken:

Approved (7-0) replacement of two windows with either painted wood or aluminum clad wood, with a single fixed sash, with administrative approval of details.

Please submit details to Ms. Scala after you have confirmed your selection.

In accordance with Charlottesville City Code 34-285(b), this decision may be appealed to the City Council in writing within ten working days of the date of the decision. Written appeals, including the grounds for an appeal, the procedure(s) or standard(s) alleged to have been violated or misapplied by the BAR, and/or any additional information, factors or opinions the applicant deems relevant to the application, should be directed to Paige Barfield, Clerk of the City Council, PO Box 911, Charlottesville, VA 22902.

This certificate of appropriateness shall expire in 18 months (October 16, 2014), unless within that time period you have either: been issued a building permit for construction of the improvements if one is required, or if no building permit is required, commenced construction. The expiration date may differ if the COA is associated with a valid site plan. You may request an extension of the certificate of appropriateness before this approval expires for one additional year for reasonable cause.

Upon completion of construction, please contact me for an inspection of the improvements included in this application. If you have any questions, please contact me at 434-970-3130 or <a href="mailto:scala@charlottesville.org">scala@charlottesville.org</a>.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Joy Scala, AICP Preservation and Design Planner

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# CITY OF CHARLOTTESVILLE BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW STAFF REPORT April 16, 2013



Preliminary Discussion

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### **Background**

The unit at 203A 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW is part of the McGuffey Hill Condominiums constructed in 1983. There are five apartment buildings on this property located in the North Downtown ADC district. All were added to the North Downtown ADC in 2006, as non-contributing resources because of their age.

Similar requests in McGuffey Condos:

<u>July 20, 2010</u> - The BAR approved on the consent agenda an application in the McGuffey Hill Condominiums at **205D** 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW to install three custom wood windows that will be fixed, triple-glazed wood to match existing.

<u>July 20, 2010</u> - The BAR approved an application in the McGuffey Hill Condominiums at **207D** 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW to install a row of four white aluminum clad wood windows in the bedroom.

<u>December 21, 2010</u> - The BAR approved on the consent agenda an application in the McGuffey Hill Condominiums at **205D** 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW to revise new window locations and add a door to outdoor storage.

### **Application**

The applicant proposes to replace two existing windows (39 ½" by 71 ½" that have an operable awning window on the bottom and a fixed pane on the top) with single fixed pane windows in vinyl- or aluminum- clad wood. The glass will be low "e" insulated glass.

### Criteria, Standards and Guidelines

### **Review Criteria Generally**

Sec. 34-284(b) of the City Code states that,

In considering a particular application the BAR shall approve the application unless it finds:

- (1) That the proposal does not meet specific standards set forth within this division or applicable provisions of the Design Guidelines established by the board pursuant to Sec. 34-288(6); and
- (2) The proposal is incompatible with the historic, cultural or architectural character of the district in which the property is located or the protected property that is the subject of the application.

### Pertinent Standards for Review of Construction and Alterations include:

- (1) Whether the material, texture, color, height, scale, mass and placement of the proposed addition, modification or construction are visually and architecturally compatible with the site and the applicable design control district;
- (2) The harmony of the proposed change in terms of overall proportion and the size and placement of entrances, windows, awnings, exterior stairs and signs;
- (3) The Secretary of the Interior Standards for Rehabilitation set forth within the Code of Federal Regulations (36 C.F.R. §67.7(b)), as may be relevant;
- (4) The effect of the proposed change on the historic district neighborhood;
- (5) The impact of the proposed change on other protected features on the property, such as gardens, landscaping, fences, walls and walks;
- (6) Whether the proposed method of construction, renovation or restoration could have an adverse impact on the structure or site, or adjacent buildings or structures;
- (8) Any applicable provisions of the City's Design Guidelines.

### Pertinent Guidelines for Rehabilitation

#### C. WINDOWS

Windows add light to the interior of a building, provide ventilation, and allow a visual link to the outside. They also play a major part in defining a building's particular style. Because of the wide variety of architectural styles and periods of construction within the districts, there is a corresponding variation of styles, types, and sizes of windows.

Windows are one of the major character-defining features on buildings and can be varied by different designs of sills, panes, sashes, lintels, decorative caps, and shutters. They may occur in regular intervals or in asymmetrical patterns. Their size may highlight various bay divisions in the building. All of the windows may be the same or there may be a variety of types that give emphasis to certain parts of the building.

- 1) Prior to any repair or replacement of windows, a survey of existing window conditions is recommended. Note number of windows, whether each window is original or replaced, the material, type, hardware and finish, the condition of the frame, sash, sill, putty, and panes.
- 2) Retain original windows when possible.
- 3) Uncover and repair covered up windows and reinstall windows where they have been blocked in.
- 4) If the window is no longer needed, the glass should be retained and the back side frosted, screened, or shuttered so that it appears from the outside to be in use.
- 5) Repair original windows by patching, splicing, consolidating or otherwise reinforcing. Wood that appears to be in bad condition because of peeling paint or separated joints often can be repaired.
- 6) Replace historic components of a window that are beyond repair with matching components.
- 7) Replace entire windows only when they are missing or beyond repair.
- 8) If a window on the primary façade of a building must be replaced and an existing window of the same style, material, and size is identified on a secondary elevation, place the historic window in the window opening on the primary façade.
- 9) Reconstruction should be based on physical evidence or old photographs.
- 10) Avoid changing the number, location, size, or glazing pattern of windows by cutting new openings, blocking in windows, or installing replacement sash that does not fit the window opening.
- 11) Do not use inappropriate materials or finishes that radically change the sash, depth of reveal, muntin configuration, reflective quality or color of the glazing, or appearance of the frame.

- 12) Use replacement windows with true divided lights or interior and exterior fixed muntins with internal spacers to replace historic or original examples.
- 13) If windows warrant replacement, appropriate material for new windows depends upon the context of the building within a historic district, and the age and design of the building. Sustainable materials such as wood, aluminum-clad wood, solid fiberglass, and metal windows are preferred. Vinyl windows are discouraged.
- 14) False muntins and internal removable grilles do not present an historic appearance and should not be used.
- 15) Do not use tinted or mirrored glass on major facades of the building. Translucent or low (e) glass may be strategies to keep heat gain down.
- 16) Storm windows should match the size and shape of the existing windows and the original sash configuration. Special shapes, such as arched top storms, are available.
- 17) Storm windows should not damage or obscure the windows and frames.
- 18) ....

### **Discussion and Recommendations**

The original windows to be replaced are no longer efficient and require maintenance. The proposed windows will match the existing color (white) of the original windows. Applicant is looking for guidance on the material and design for the new replacement windows.

Over the years, windows in the complex have been replaced with a variety of styles and materials. Fixed pane windows are not uncommon. These two windows are visible only to the parking lot located behind McGuffey Art Center. Vinyl windows, although much less expensive than aluminum or wood windows, are not usually recommended by the BAR due to appearance and sustainability issues.



# Board of Architectural Review (BAR) Certificate of Appropriateness

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Please Return To: City of Charlottesville

MAR 27 2013

Department of Neighborhood Development Services

P.O. Box 911, City Hall Charlottesville, Virginia 22902

Telephone (434) 970-3130 Fax (434) 970-3359

Please submit ten (10) copies of application form and all attachments.

For a new construction project, please include \$375 application fee. For all other projects requiring BAR approval, please include \$125 application fee. For projects that require only administrative approval, please include \$100 administrative fee. Make checks payable to the City of Charlottesville.

The BAR meets the third Tuesday of the month.

Deadline for submittals is Tuesday 3 weeks prior to next BAR meeting by 4 p.m.

Owner Name_ Anna Tatar	Applicant Name Anna Tatar	
Owner Name Anna Tatar  Project Name/Description Window replace	o Roffing ement Parcel Number	
Property Address 203A 2nd Street N	W Charlottesville, VA 22	902
Applicant Information Address: 203 A 2nd St N W  Charlottesville, VA 22902  Email: aetatara, gmail, con  Phone: (W) Na (H) 619-582-248  FAX: none	7 Anna Patan Signature	re also denotes mail notices.)  3(24/3)  Date
Property Owner Information (if not applicant)	Anna Tatar	3126/31
Address:	Print Name	Date
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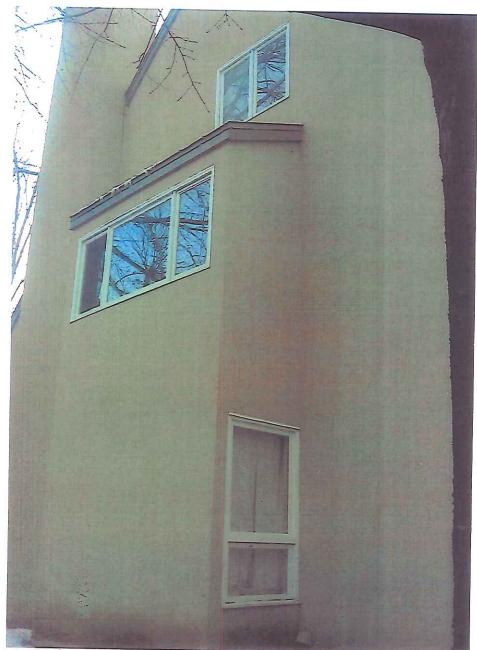
North-facing window to be replaced



South-facing window to be replaced



North-facing window to be replaced



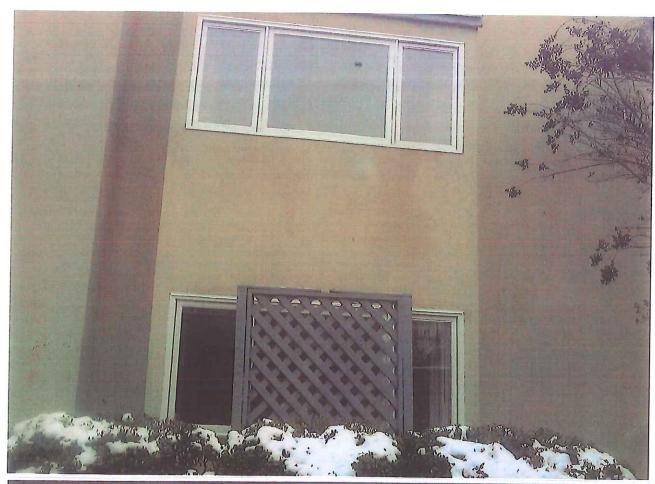
North-facing window to be replaced



McGuttey Condos



Entrance to Unit 203A





Existing windows



Existing Windows



Any window

### Scala, Mary Joy

From:

Scala, Mary Joy

Sent:

Wednesday, May 15, 2013 11:41 AM

To:

'John Tatar'

Subject:

RE: BAR 13-04-03

In that case the drawing looks fine and I am approving it administratively with this email.

Thank you, and good luck with your project.

Mary Joy Scala, AICP

Preservation and Design Planner

City of Charlottesville

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----Original Message----

From: John Tatar [mailto:johntatar@earthlink.net]

Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2013 10:44 AM

To: Scala, Mary Joy

Cc: John Tatar; Anna Tatar Subject: Re: BAR 13-04-03

As per the the approval it will be "painted wood or aluminum clad wood, with a single fixed sash"

John Tatar

On May 15, 2013, at 8:07 AM, Scala, Mary Joy wrote:

- > What is the material of the new window/trim?
- >
- > Mary Joy Scala, AICP
- > Preservation and Design Planner
- > City of Charlottesville
- > Department of Neighborhood Development Services City Hall 610 East
- > Market Street P.O. Box 911 Charlottesville, VA 22902 Ph 434.970.3130
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- > ----Original Message-----
- > From: John Tatar [mailto:johntatar@earthlink.net]
- > Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2013 8:48 AM
- > To: Scala, Mary Joy
- > Cc: Anna Tatar; Mary Katherine Barnes
- > Subject: BAR 13-04-03

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- > Regards to the subject case, we have the following update. The south-facing window has be determined to be repairable, and we will proceed with the repair. The north-facing window has been determined to be non-repairable (see attached photo). Based on the advice of our contractor, I have provided a drawing for the proposed replacement (attached PDF file).
- > We have informally reviewed the replacement plan with the homeowner association president and the association property management representative and there was no objection to the proposed replacement.
- > We would like to obtain administrative approval so as to proceed with the project as soon as possible so we can order the required materials.
- > John Tatar
- > Owner Unit 203A

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# **AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING**

To File: 203A 2nd Street NW (BAR 13-04-03)

I, Kristin Rourke, being first duly sworn, hereby certify that I mailed the attached letter, by first class United States Mail, to the addresses shown on this affidavit on April 1, 2013.

Kristin Rourke

### **ADDRESSES**

# **See Attachments**

STATE OF VIRGINIA CITY OF CHARLOTTESVILLE, to	-wit:
The foregoing instrument w 2013, by Kristin	vas acknowledged before me this 4 TH day of Rourke.
My Commission Expires:	AUGUST 31 2015.
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April 1, 2013

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter is to notify you that the following application has been submitted for review by the City of Charlottesville Board of Architectural Review on property that is either abutting or immediately across a street from your property, or that has frontage on the same city street block.

Preliminary Discussion
BAR 13-04-03
203A 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW
Tax Map 33 Parcel 174.2A
Anna Tatar, Applicant/ Steven, Maria, Anna & John Tatar, Owner Replace windows

The Board of Architectural Review (BAR) will consider these applications at a meeting to be held on **Tuesday**, **April 16**, **2013**, **starting at 5:30 pm in City Council Chambers**, **City Hall**. Enter City Hall from the Main Street pedestrian mall entrance and go up to 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

An agenda with approximate times and additional application information will be available on the BAR's home page accessible through <a href="http://www.charlottesville.org">http://www.charlottesville.org</a> If you need more information, please do not hesitate to contact me at 434-970-3130 or <a href="mailto:scala@charlottesville.org">scala@charlottesville.org</a>.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Joy Scala, AICP

Preservation and Design Planner

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1145 OLD GARTH ROAD	305 E 2ND ST NW	128 WOODSTOCK DRIVE
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22901	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22901
BEARNS, WENDY H	BERMAN, RICHARD & ANTONIA,	BONNER, JANET P, TRUSTEE
301-A 2ND STREET NW 101	205-A 2ND ST NW	850 COLRIDGE DR
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22903
BOURKE, ELIZABETH M, TR	BROWN, CLARESA F M	BRYANT, DEBRA & LAWRENCE GROVES
5419 CARY STREET RD	10042 CHORLTON DR	110 MCGREGOR COURT
RICHMOND, VA 23226	ORLANDO, FL 32832	KESWICK, VA 22947
CONOVER, JOHN & VIRGINIA DAUGHTERY	CRAMPTON, RICHARD S & JULIA M S	CROWE, THOMAS W
P O BOX 2255	303-A 2ND ST NW	305-D 2ND STREET NW 117
CHARLOTTESVILLE VA 22902	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902
DONALDSON, STEVEN R	DREYFUS, RHODA M, TRUSTEE	EDDINS, ANN CLARK
1980 ARLINGTON BLVD APT E	207-A 2ND STREET NW 207A	2051 POLO GROUNDS RD
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22903	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22911
FREEBORG, GREG & CAROL	FRIEND, ROGER & RUTH STORNETTA	GAY, ELIZABETH H
12500 SW 63RD AVENUE	307-C 2ND STREET NW 204	205-C 2ND ST NW
MIAMI, FL 33156	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902
GIGNOUX, FREDERICK, III & STRUTHERS	GISLER, EDWARD & CLAIRE, TRUSTEES	GOOD, EDITH BRODHEAD
305 2ND ST NW #113C	301-B 2ND STREET NW 105	305-B 2ND STREET NW 119
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LYNCHBURG, VA 24503	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22901	FREE UNION, VA 22940
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CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902	
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TRINDLE, CARL O & BARBARA A BODY 311-A 2ND STREET NW 218 CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902

WOODMAN, ANTHONY J & DOROTHY J 303-B 2ND STREET NW 111 CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22902