City of Atlantic City LAND USE APPLICATION

City of Atlantic City: (Check where applicable) AC Planning Division Jurisdiction City of Atlantic City Planning Board 1301 Bacharach Boulevard City Hall-Suite 508

Atlantic City, NJ 08401

609-347-5404

CRDA: (Check where applicable)

NJ CRDA LURED Jurisdiction

Casino Reinvestment Development Authority 15 S Pennsylvania Avenue Atlantic City, NJ 08401 609-347-0500

To be completed by staff only.

Date Filed Application Fees: Scheduled for: Review for Completeness		Ap	Application No Escrow Deposit			
		1	Hearing:			
1. SUBJECT P						
Tax Map	Page	Block _ 387	Lot(s) 2 -	4		
•	Page	Block	Lot(s)			
		Block				
Dimensions	Frontage	Depth	Total Area			
Zoning Distri	ct					
2. APPLICAN [.]	Т					
Name Ou	utdoor Income, Ri	chard Grieves				
	ieves.richard@gm					
Address <u>14</u>	20 Hunsick Road,	Lancaster PA 17601				
Telephone N	umber <u>410-924-</u>	3999				
Applicant is a	a: Corp	oration 🗷 Partne	rship 🗖 💮 Indiv	idual 🗖		
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Email						
		a Avenue, Atlantic City, N	J 08401			
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4. DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to N.J.S 40:55D-48.1 [Application by corporation or partnership; list of stockholders owning 10% of stock or 10% interest in partnership.] Disclosure of owners of organization and property subject to application. [A corporation or partnership applying to a governing body of a municipality]Any organization making an application for development under this act [for permission to subdivide a parcel of land into six or more lots, or applying for a variance to construct a multiple dwelling of 25 or more family units or for approval of a site to be used for commercial purposes] shall list the names and addresses of all members, stockholders or individual partners (collectively, "interest holders") [owning at least 10% of its stock of any class or at least 10% of the interest in the partnership], including any other organization holding at least a 10% ownership interest in the organization, and shall also identify the owner of the property subject to the application, including any organization holding at least a 10% ownership interest in the property [as the case may be]. In accordance with 40:55D-48.2 [Disclosure of 10% ownership interest of corporation or partnership which is 10% owner of applying corporation or partnership.] Listing of names and addresses of interest holders of applicant and owner organization. If [a corporation or partnership] an organization owns an interest equivalent to 10% or more of another organization the stock of a corporation, or 10% or greater interest in a partnership, subject to the disclosure requirements hereinabove described, [pursuant to section 1 of this act that organization shall list the names and addresses of its interest holders holding 10% or greater interest in the [partnership, as the case may be, and] organization. [This requirement shall be followed by every corporate stockholder or partner in a partnership, until the names and addresses of the stockholders and individual partners, exceeding the 10% ownership criterion established in this act, have been listed.] In accordance with recently added 40:55D-48.3 Disclosure of all officers and trustees of a non-profit organization. A non-profit organization filing an application for development under this act shall list the names and addresses of all officers and trustees of the non-profit organization. In accordance with 40:55D-48.4 [Failure to comply with act; disapproval of application.] Approval of application. a. No municipal planning board, board of adjustment or [municipal] governing body shall approve the application of any [corporation or partnership] organization or nonprofit organization which does not comply with this act. Any approval not in compliance with this act shall be voidable in a proceeding in lieu of prerogative writ in the Superior Court. b. Any party, including any member of the public, may institute a proceeding in lieu of prerogative writ in the Superior Court to challenge any PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO MUNICIPAL LAND USE LAW approval granted by a municipal planning board, board of adjustment or governing body on the grounds that such action is void for the reasons stated in subsection a. of this section, and if the court shall find that the approval was not in compliance with this act, the court may declare the approval to be void. In accordance with 40:55D-48.5 [Concealing names of owners;] Organization or non-profit organization failing to disclose; fine. Any [corporation or partnership which conceals] organization or nonprofit organization failing to disclose in accordance with this act, [the names of stockholders owning 10% or more of its stock, or of individual partners owning a 10% or greater interest in the partnership, as the case may be,] shall be subject to a fine of \$1,000 to \$10,000, which shall be [recovered] recoverable in the name of the municipality in any court of record in the State in a summary manner pursuant to the "Penalty Enforcement Law" (N.J.S.A. 2A:58-1 et seq.).

28370 St. Michaels Rd Name Richard B. Grieves _____ Address Easton, MD 21601 Interest 70.5% Name Katherine G. Perkins Address 226 Bean Rd, Warner, NH 03278 Interest 12.8% Name Wakefield Investments, LLC Address 1420 Hunsicker Rd Interest 10.2% Lancaster, PA 17601 Name c/o William Spires Address Interest __Address ______ Interest **5. PROPERTY INFORMATION:** Restrictions, covenants, easements, association by-laws, existing or proposed on the property: Yes [attach copies] X No Proposed Present use of the premises: Two 1,000 sf (each) static billboards at 52' in height **Please see attached Addendum for additional information** Note: All deed restrictions, covenants, easements, association bylaws, existing and proposed must be submitted for review and must be written in easily understandable English in order to be approved. 6. Applicant's Attorney Tara Vargo Email tarav@govargo.com Address 2771 Delsea Drive, PO Box 370, Franklinville, NJ 08322 Telephone Number 856-694-0800 FAX Number 856-694-5042 7. Applicant's Engineer Jason Sciullo, Sciullo Engineering Services, LLC Email _____jsciullo@sciulloengineering.com Address 137 S. New York Avenue, Suite 2, Atlantic City, NJ 08401 Telephone Number $609-300-\overline{5171}$ FAX Number 8. Applicant's Planning Consultant______ Email Address Telephone Number _____ FAX Number 9. Applicant's Traffic Engineer_____ Telephone Number FAX Number_____

10.List any other Expert who will submit a report or who will testify for
the Applicant: [Attach additional sheets as may be necessary]
Name
Field of Expertise
Email
Address
Telephone Number
FAX Number
11. APPLICATION REPRESENTS A REQUEST FOR THE FOLLOWING:
SUBDIVISION:
Administrative Review of Minor Subdivision Plan
Administrative Review of Major Subdivision Plan
Minor Subdivision Approval
Major Subdivision Approval [Preliminary]
Major Subdivision Approval [Final]
Number of lots to be created Number of proposed dwelling units
(including remainder lot) (if applicable)
SITE PLAN:
Administrative Review of Minor Site Plan
Administrative Review of Major Site Plan
Minor Site Plan Approval
Major Preliminary Site Plan Approval [Phases (if applicable)]
Major Final Site Plan Approval [Phases (if applicable)]
Amendment or Revision to an Approved Site Plan
Area to be disturbed (square feet)
Total number of proposed dwelling units
Request for Waiver From Site Plan Review and Approval
Reason for request:
Administrative Review
Appeal decision of an Administrative Officer [N.J.S. 40:55D- 70a]
Map or Ordinance Interpretation of Special Question [N.J.S. 40:55D-70b]
Variance Relief (hardship) [N.J.S. 40:55D-70c(1)]
X Variance Relief (substantial benefit) [N.J.S. 40:55D-70c(2)]
Variance Relief (use) [N.J.S. 40:55D-70d]
Conditional Use Approval [N.J.S. 40:55D-67]
Direct issuance of a permit for a structure in bed of a mapped street, public drainage
way, or flood control basin [N.J.S. 40:55D-34]
Direct issuance of a permit for a lot lacking street frontage [N.J.S. 40:55D-35]

12. Section(s) of Ordinance from which a variance is requested ar request: [attach additional pages as needed] 19:66-5.7(j)4ii & 5vi for ele	ctronic billboard sign
area and height **Please see attached Addendum for additional	information**
13. Waivers Requested of Development Standards and/or Submissi request.	•
Requirements: [attach additional pages as needed] Form 12 Item 20 for	current survey
14. Attach a copy of the Notice to appear in the official newspaper of the mailed to the owners of all real property, as shown on the current tax d	uplicate, located
within the State and within 200 feet in all directions of the property, wh	_
application. The Notice must specify the sections of the Ordinance from	which relief is
sought, if applicable. The publication and the service on the affected owners must be accommodated to the service of the serv	unlished at least 10 days
prior to the date scheduled by the Administrative Officer for the I	•
service on all property owners and a proof of publication must be filed	•
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23. Other approvals, which m	nay be required and d	ate plans subn	nitted:	
11 /	, ,	·		Date Plans
		Yes	No	Submitted
Atlantic City Municipal Utiliti	es Authority		Х	
Atlantic County Health Depar			X	
Atlantic County Planning Boa			X	
Atlantic County Soil Conserva			X	
NJ Department of Environme			X	
Sewer Extension Permit			X	
Sanitary Sewer Connection P	ermit		X	
Stream Encroachment Permi			X	
Waterfront Development Per			X	
Wetlands Permit			<u> </u>	
Tidal Wetlands Permit			x	
Potable Water Construction	Permit			
Other	Citine			
NJ Department of Transporta	ation		X	
Public Service Electric & Gas			<u>x</u>	
Tublic Service Electric & das	Company			
24. Certification from the Tapaid.				
25. List of Maps, Reports an pages as required for comple		ompanying th	e application (att	ach additional
Quantity	Description of Item Site plan by Sciullo I	Engineering		
26. The Applicant hereby rec	quests that copies of t	he reports of	the professional s	staff reviewing
the application be provided t	to the following of the	applicant's pr	ofessionals:	
Specify which reports are re	equested for each of	the applicant	s professionals	or whether all
reports should be submitted	to the professional lis	ited.		
Applicant's Professional Repo	orts Requested All			
Attorney All				
Engineer All				

RONNIE LEE WROTEN Notary Public-Maryland Dorchester County My Commission Expires May 03, 2026

Date

CERTIFICATIONS
27. I Richard B. Grieves certify that the foregoing statements and the materials
submitted are true. I further certify that I am the individual applicant or that I am an Officer of
he Corporate applicant and that I am authorized to sign the application for the Corporation or
hat I am a general partner of the partnership applicant.
If the applicant is a corporation, this must be signed by an authorized corporate office the
applicant is a partnership, this must be signed by a general partner.]
Sworn to and subscribed before me this
7 day of Decumber, 20 22
1 day or 24 milest, 20 22
Panne Will SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT
28. I certify that I am the Owner of the property which is the subject of this application, that I have authorized the applicant to make this application and that I agree to be bound by the application, the representations made and the decision in the same manner as if I were the applicant. If the owner is a corporation, this must be signed by an authorized corporate officer. If the owner is a partnership, this must be signed by a general partner.]
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day of, 20
NOTARY PUBLIC SIGNATURE OF OWNER
29. I understand that the sum of \$ has been deposited in an escrow account Builder's Trust Account). In accordance with Land Use Fees and Escrow Deposit Requirements, further understand that the escrow account is established to cover the cost of professional ervices including engineering, planning, legal and other expenses associated with the review of ubmitted materials and the publication of the decision by the Board. Sums not utilized in the eview process shall be returned. If additional sums are deemed necessary, I understand that I will be notified of the required additional amount and shall add that sum to the escrow account within fifteen (15) days.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

the Corporate applicant and t that I am a general partner of [If the applicant is a corporati	certify that the foregoing statements and the materials certify that I am the individual applicant or that I am an Officer of that I am authorized to sign the application for the Corporation or the partnership applicant. ion, this must be signed by an authorized corporate officer. If the s must be signed by a general partner.]
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ESCROW SETUP INFORMATION

The Information below is necessary to initially set up your Escrow Account.			
Applicant's Name: Outdoor Income Partners LLC, by Richard Grieves, Member			
Applicant's Address:1420 Hunsick Road, Lancaster, PA 17601			
*Applicant's Signature: Michael B. Sime			
Applicant's Phone No.:			
grieves.richard@gmail.com Applicant's Email Address:			
Applicant's Date of Birth:redacted			
Tax Identification or Social Security Number: 27-0509727			
Assigned Escrow #:			
Should you require assistance or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact:			

Atlantic City Planning:

Lisa D'Alessandro, Board Secretary City of Atlantic City Planning 1301 Bacharach Boulevard City Hall-Suite 508 Atlantic City, NJ 08401 Email: LDAlessandro@cityofatlanticcity.org 609-347-5404

CRDA:

Loreta Acevedo, Project Officer Casino Reinvestment Development Authority 15 S Pennsylvania Avenue Atlantic City, NJ 08401 Email: lacevedo@njcrda.com 609-347-0500

NOTICE SERVED ON PROPERTY OWNERS WITHIN 200 FEET OF SUBJECT PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that a written application has been filed by the undersigned with the Casino Reinvestment Development Authority for a variance to replace an existing billboard with a taller, LED face billboard
in and upon the property shown as Block(s) 387, Lot(s) 2-4 on the official map of the City of Atlantic City, known as 300 Georgia Avenue
300 deorgia Avenue
A public hearing on the above-mentioned application has been scheduled for the day of, 20, at a.m/p.m. Said hearing shall take place at:

The public is invited to attend this meeting.
The application and all plans relative thereto have been filed with the Land Use Administrative Official:
Casino Reinvestment Development Authority, Division of Land Use and Regulatory Enforcement, 15 S Pennsylvania Avenue, Atlantic City, NJ 08401,
OR
City of Atlantic City
and are available for inspection Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
This notice is given in compliance with the requirements of Section 163-198 of the Land Use Development Code of the City of Atlantic City, NJAC 19:66-14.1 of the Tourism District Land Development Rules and the N.J.S.A. 40:55D-12.
Name of Applicant: Outdoor Income
Publication Date:

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE

l,		of full a	ge, being d	uly sworn a	according to law up	on
oath depose and say:						
1) That on ,						
date, did give notice by per	sonal servic	e or certified	mail to all	property o	wners within 200 f	eet
of the premises located or						
map of the City of Atlantic	City, County	y of Atlantic,	and State	of New Jer	sey. The premises	are
further identified as 30	0 Georgia A	venue			(street addre	•
In addition, notice was pro	vided by pe	ersonal servi	ce or certif	ied mail to	Public Utilities, Ca	ble
Television Companies and	Local Utilitie	es, as requir	ed by law,	the City of	Atlantic City and	the
Atlantic County Planning Bo	ard.					
2) Notices were also served	upon (Chec	k if applicabl	e):			
() State Planning C	ommission					
() New Jersey Depa	artment of T	ransportatio	n			
() Clerk of Adjoinin	g Municipal	ities				
3) A copy of said notice is a	ttached here	eto and mark	ed "Exhibit	t A".		
4) Notice was also publishe of Publication is attached he				al Section. A	A copy of the Affida	əvit
5) A copy of the certified li the City of Atlantic City is al		•			premises provided	by
Signature of Applicant						
Sworn and subscribed to						
before me this	day of		. 20			

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LAW OFFICE OF TARA L. VARGO

2771 Delsea Drive P.O. Box 370 Franklinville, NJ 08322

MEMBER NJ & PA BARS

tel: 856-694-0800 fax: 856-694-5042 tarav@govargo.com

ADDENDUM TO LAND USE APPLICATION OF OUTDOOR INCOME ATLANTIC CITY BLOCK 387, LOTS 2-4

5. PROPERTY INFORMATION:

This property received Zoning Board approval in 2002 to construct a 2,000 sq. ft. pole-mounted advertising sign at a maximum height of 52 feet on this location (Resolution #39-2002 - attached). Part of the justification for the height allowance was that it screened an undesirable viewshed (a fuel tank) for the traveling public coming into Atlantic City via the Expressway. A condition of approval was that if the fuel tank were removed, the applicant must come back to the zoning board for review.

In 2008, this property received amended site plan approval to permit the sign to remain at a total advertising area of 2,000 sq. ft. with the Board's knowledge that the fuel tank was scheduled to be removed. In addition, permission was granted to convert the message board faces to Light-emitted diode (LED). (Resolution #16-2008 - attached).

The State of New Jersey issued a permit in 2008 to allow the sign at this location to be multimessage, which permit has been validly maintained to date.

Building permits were issued in 2010 for the conversion of the message boards from static to LED (permit 10-0334), however, the work was not done at that time.

12. JUSTIFICATION FOR VARIANCES REQUESTED

a. Variance from the provisions of N.J.A.C. 19:66-5.7 (j) 4ii to allow 1,000 s.f. of display area where a maximum of 650 s.f. of display area is allowed for electronic billboard signs

This application seeks permission for a 1,000 s.f. LED display area. This is a reduction from the overall visual impact of the currently-permitted 2,000 square feet of LED display area. This application will bring the existing permitted use closer into conformance with the current regulations for electronic billboard signs. To the extent that the current signage is already approved by the Zoning Board and the State of New Jersey as an electronic sign, this variance may be arguably thought of as a pre-existing condition.

b. Variance from the provisions of N.J.A.C. 19:66-5.7 (j) 5vi to allow a maximum electronic billboard sign height of 80 feet where 40 feet is allowed.

As can be seen from the photo presented on the site plan accompanying this application, the view of the advertising sign while traveling on the eastbound Atlantic City Connector has become obscured by light standards and telephone poles to the point that these significantly interfere with the view of the existing sign. In addition, due to the nature of the Atlantic City Connector as an elevated road, the perceived height of the sign will be comparable to the perceived height of the roadway overhead highway directional signs. Permitting the advertising sign to be raised to a maximum height of 80 feet will allow for clearer, safer viewing of the sign by the traveling public.

15. EXPLAIN IN DETAIL THE EXACT NATURE OF THE APPLICATION AND CHANGES TO BE MADE AT THE PREMISES

Please refer to the discussion above for a detailed understanding of the changes to be made at the premises.

RESOLUTION OF FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT OF ATLANTIC CITY

RESOLUTION #39 OF 2002

WHEREAS, it has been determined factually by the Zoning Board of Adjustment of the City of Atlantic City that DEULL SERVICE CORPORATION has applied to the Zoning Board of Adjustment of the City of Atlantic City for Preliminary and Final Site Plan Approval and "D" Variance relief for deviating from the conditional use standards for gross surface area, maximum height and proximity to a residential zone in order to construct a 2000 sq. ft. pole-mounted advertising sign which is presently an oil distribution center at 334 N. Georgia Avenue, Block 387, Lot 2, which premises is located in an HC Zone; and

WHEREAS, the applicant was represented by Damon Tyner, Esquire; also appearing were Stephen Hankin, Esquire, who represented Robert Bocelli, an adjoining land owner, as well as Jack Plackter, Esquire, who appeared on behalf of the Borgata Casino/Hotel; and ten exhibits were presented on behalf of the applicant namely A-1, an aerial photograph of the site; A-2, a list of reasons for approval of this site; A-3, photographs of various 60 sq. ft. signs throughout the City of Atlantic City; A-4, a colored rendering of the site plan; A-5, a section of proper screening for a sign; A-6, an aerial

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City Clerk's Office Atlantic City, N.J. AND WHEREAS, the Board has determined that special reasons do exist for the relief sought by the applicant for the following reasons:

- (1) Approval of the proposed application will promote the public good as studies have shown that outdoor advertising promotes the growth of the Atlantic City Casino Industry.
- (2) The site is particularly well-suited for the proposed use as it is adjacent to the newly constructed "connector."
- (3) The height of the proposed sign is appropriate at this location because it will improve vehicular safety on this roadway.

AND WHEREAS, the Board has determined that the relief requested by the applicant can be granted without substantial detriment to the public good and without substantially impairing the intent and purpose of the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Atlantic City for the following reason:

(1) The sign has been designed and buffered in such a way that it will have no impact on the surrounding residential area.

AND WHEREAS, a Resolution to grant the subject application was Introduced by Mr. Pirillo and Moved by Mr. Roderick.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Zoning Board of Adjustment of the City of Atlantic City on this 29th day of May, 2002, that approval of the application of

- The applicant must provide a Maintenance Guarantee calculated at 15% of (9) the Engineer's Cost Estimate. The Maintenance Guarantee shall remain in effect for two years after completion of the work.
- The pole supporting the proposed signs shall be painted white. (10)
- All the lots shall be consolidated. (11)
- In the event that the existing oil tank is removed, the applicant shall either (12)lower the sign to conform to the ordinance standards, or reapply to the ACZBA.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Seven (7) in Favor, None (0) Opposed

Those in Favor:

Pirillo, Roderick, Turner, Hoffman,

Campbell, McWhorter, Collette

Those Opposed:

None

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

OF ATLANTIC CITY

DATED: MAY 29, 2002

RESOLUTION OF FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT OF ATLANTIC CITY

RESOLUTION #16 OF 2008

WHEREAS, it has been determined factually by the Zoning Board of Adjustment of the City of Atlantic City that DUELL SERVICE CORPORATION /Carand Outdoor Advertising, LLC has applied to the Zoning Board of Adjustment of the City of Atlantic City for an Amendment to Final Site Plan Approval and "D" Variance relief for the type of sign in order change the message board to a light emitting diode (LED) advertising sign at 300 N. Georgia Avenue, Block 387, Lot 2, which premises is in an H-C Zone; and

WHEREAS, the applicant was represented by Peter Sarkos, Esquire; expert testimony was presented by Arthur W. Ponzio, Jr., a licensed Professional Planner; additional testimony was presented by Frank Formica, a neighbor who testified in favor of the application and Maury Rosenberg, owner of Yellow Cab Company who testified in favor of the application; and the report of the Atlantic City Division of Planning was read into the record by Regina Armstrong, Assistant Director of the Atlantic City Division of Planning; and the report of the City Engineer was read into the record by John Kenny; and

WHEREAS, the Board, after carefully considering the evidence presented by the applicant and of the adjoining property owners and general public, has made the following additional factual findings:

- (1) The applicant is the owner of the subject property;
- (2) Notice requirements have been met;

AND WHEREAS, a Resolution to grant the subject application was Introduced by Mr. Hoffman and Moved by Mr. Longerier;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Zoning Board of Adjustment of the City of Atlantic City on this 13th day of March, 2008, that approval of the application of DUELL SERVICE CORPORATION/Carand Outdoor Advertising, LLC for an Amendment to Final Site Plan Approval and "D" Variance relief for the type of sign in order change the message board to a light emitting diode (LED) advertising sign, as aforementioned, be granted, subject however to the following conditions:

- (1) The final plan shall be amended to illustrate the site without the fuel tank as it will be removed by order of the Atlantic City Fire Department
- (2) The applicant has proposed to add landscape treatments, but the site plan does not include any details. Accordingly, a schematic of the proposed improvements shall be presented to the Board and included on the final plans for certification.
- (3) A sprinkler system shall be installed to maintain the proposed landscaping.
- (4) Subsequent to final approval and prior to the issuance of any construction permits, the applicant must submit six (6) sets of revised plans for final plan certification. certification.
- (5) The applicant shall provide lighting intensity and maximum size of the text on the proposed signage.