



Describe how your proposed project meets each of the five criteria listed above. Responses are required to each of the five criteria in order for a variance request to be reviewed. If more space is needed, please feel free to attach additional sheets.

(1) No reasonable, prudent, alternative site is available:

(2) All responsible means and measures to mitigate adverse impacts on natural systems and the functions and protective values described in section 505.3 of this Part have been incorporated into the project design and will be implemented at the developer's expense:

(3) The development will be reasonably safe from flood and erosion damage:

(4) The variance requested is the minimum necessary to overcome the practical difficulty or hardship which was the basis for requesting it:

(5) Where public funds are utilized, the public benefits clearly outweigh the long-term adverse effects for any proposed activities and development:

I hereby acknowledge that I have read this criteria form and the information and documentation presented is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

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**Signature of Landowner**

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**Date**

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**Signature of Applicant's Agent**

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**Date**