

**VARIANCE APPLICATION**  
POLK COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT  
PLANNING DIVISION

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Checked By: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

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Application No.: \_\_\_\_\_

**FEES:**

Hearing \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Administrative \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Flood Plain \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Receipt # \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please type or print all information below. An incomplete application will not be accepted.**

**APPLICANT**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

**OWNER(S)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

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**REQUEST:** (For example, "To reduce the required rear yard setback from 30 feet to 20 feet." )

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**PROPERTY:**

Location or Address \_\_\_\_\_ Tax Acct. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Acreage \_\_\_\_\_

Taxlot (s) \_\_\_\_\_; Township \_\_\_\_\_; Range \_\_\_\_\_; Section (s) \_\_\_\_\_

Plan Designation \_\_\_\_\_ Zone \_\_\_\_\_

Previous action(s) involving the subject property (For example, conditional use, variance, etc.)

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**PUBLIC SERVICE AND UTILITIES INFORMATION:**

A. School District \_\_\_\_\_ B. Fire District \_\_\_\_\_

C. Water Service \_\_\_\_\_ (Indicate water district; existing or proposed well.)

D. Sewage Disposal \_\_\_\_\_

**The information requested below is required at the time you submit your application. The processing of your application does not begin until the application is determined to be complete. An incomplete application will postpone the decision, or may result in denial of the request.**

- A written statement of intent, attached to this application, with necessary supporting evidence which fully and factually describes the following:**
  - \_\_\_ **A description of the property in question, including, but not limited to the following: size, vegetation, crops grown, access, existing buildings, topography, etc.**
  - \_\_\_ **A complete description of the request, including any new structures proposed.**
  - \_\_\_ **A complete explanation of how the request complies with provisions and criteria in the Zoning Ordinance. A planner will explain which sections of the Ordinance pertain to your specific request. You must address each of the Ordinance criterion, on a point-by-point basis in order for this application to be deemed complete.**
  
- A plot plan of the property on a County Assessor's map. These maps and aerial photos are available from the Community Development Department. Indicate the following on your plot plan:**
  - \_\_\_ **Location of all existing and proposed buildings and structures**
  - \_\_\_ **Existing County Road, public right-of-way or other means of legal access**
  - \_\_\_ **100-year floodplain elevation (if applicable)**
  - \_\_\_ **Vegetation on the property**
  - \_\_\_ **Location of any outstanding physical features**
  
- A copy of the current deed for the property. Deed copies may be obtained at the Polk County Clerk's Office.**
  
- Survey map of the property, if available.**
  
- A current print-out from the Polk County Assessors Office for each taxlot subject to the proposed land use action.**

**I certify that this application and its related documents are accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the signature on this application authorizes representatives of the Polk County Community Development Department to enter upon the subject property to gather information pertinent to this request. If the application is signed by an agent, the owner's written authorization must be attached.**

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**Signatures of Owners and/or Authorized Agent**

**PLEASE NOTE: THIS APPLICATION MUST BE RETURNED IN PERSON. MAIL-IN APPLICATIONS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED.**