

## Development Variance

Permit No. 16-22

Permittees: Loren Feyter Financial Ltd

- 1. This Development Variance Permit is issued subject to compliance with all RDEK bylaws applicable thereto, except as specifically varied or supplemented by this Permit.
- 2. This Permit applies to and only to those lands described below:

Lot 3 and an undivided 1/21 share in Lot 22, District Lot 10348, Kootenay District Plan EPP109367 (see plan as to legal access) (PID 031-478-395)

- 3. Regional District of East Kootenay SweetWater Zoning & Floodplain Management Bylaw No. 2127, 2009, Section 3.03 which permits a secondary suite with a total floor space of not more than 70 m² when located within a detached garage, is varied to permit the total floor space of a secondary suite within a detached garage of 88.9 m².
- 4. The lands described herein shall be developed strictly in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Permit and in substantial compliance with the information submitted in the Development Variance Permit application received on March 10, 2022.
- This Permit shall come into force on the date of an authorizing resolution passed by the RDEK.
- 6. This Permit is not a building permit.

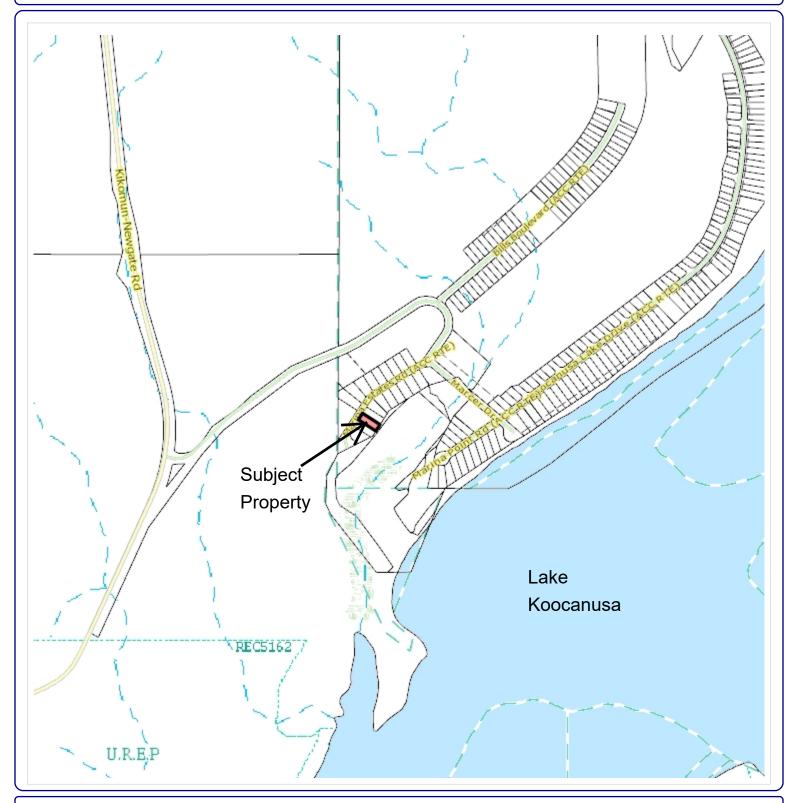
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- 7. If development authorized by this Permit does not commence within two years of the issue date of this Permit, the Permit shall lapse.
- 8. A notice pursuant to Section 503(1) of the *Local Government Act* shall be filed in the Land Title Office and the Registrar shall make a note of the filing against the title of the land affected.
- It is understood and agreed that the RDEK has made no representations, covenants, warranties, guarantees, promises, or agreement (verbal or otherwise) with the developer other than those in this Permit.
- 10. This Permit shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the parties hereto and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns.

Authorizing Resolution		by the Board of the Regional District of East
Kootenay on the	day of	, 2022.
Tina Hlushak		



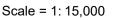
# Location Map





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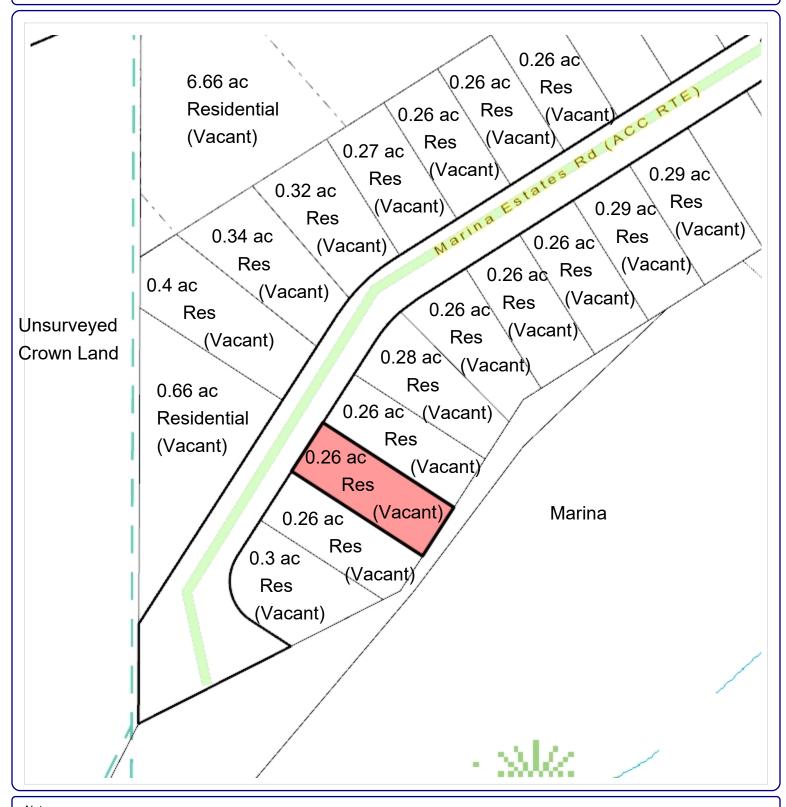


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# Land Use Map





**RECREATIONAL VEHICLE PARK** is repealed by Bylaw 2411 adopted Feb 01/13.

RECREATIONAL VEHICLE SPACE is repealed by Bylaw 2411 adopted Feb 01/13.

**RECREATIONAL WATER ACTIVITY** means activities that are conducted on or beneath the surface of a water body and includes, but are not limited to, activities such as boating, swimming, fishing and wind surfing.

**RECYCLING DEPOT** means an establishment involved in the recycling of post consumer refuse such as glass, paper, cardboard and containers, with most activities carried out in a *building* but also including outdoor processing and storage. A *salvage yard* is not considered a *recycling depot*.

**REGIONAL DISTRICT** means the Regional District of East Kootenay.

**RELATIVE REQUIRING CARE** means a father, mother, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son, daughter, sister, brother, grandchild, grandparent, and great grandparent *requiring care* and assistance. The relatives listed include those associations through a common-law or same-sex relationship.

**SALVAGE YARD** means an open area where waste or scrap material, primarily metals, are stored, processed, exchanged or sold.

SCHOOL means a place of instruction as defined by the School Act.

**SCREEN** means a fence, berm, hedge, vegetation, wall or combination thereof that obstructs certain views of the property which it encloses and is broken only by access drives, *lanes* and walkways.

# Regulation to be Varied

• SECONDARY SUITE means an additional *dwelling unit* having a total floor space of not more than 90 m² nor 70 m² when located within a detached garage, and which is less than 40% of the habitable floor space of the *building* when contained within a *single family dwelling*. It may not be located in a *single family dwelling* that is:

- a manufactured home;
- an addition to a *manufactured home*;
- an accessory dwelling unit in the P-2 zone.

**SETBACK** means the horizontal distance measured from an exterior wall of the *building* or *structure* to a *parcel line* or *common lot* access.

**SIGN** means any *structure* or device which is used or intended to be used to identify or advertise any object, product, place, activity, person, institution, organization or business and which is placed so as to be seen by the public.

**SINGLE FAMILY DWELLING** means a *building* containing one *dwelling unit* and may contain one *secondary suite* where permitted.

**SOLAR ENERGY COLLECTOR** means a device or *structure*, part of a device or *structure*, or a combination of the foregoing that converts direct or indirect solar energy into thermal, chemical or electrical energy.

**SOLID WASTE FACILITY** means a site designed, constructed and operated for the collection, processing, transferring or disposal of the solid waste stream or components thereof, including, but not limited to transfer stations, material recycling facilities, composting facilities, landfills and disposal facilities; and which is approved by the Ministry of Environment.

**STANDARD DYKE** means a dyke built to a minimum crest elevation equal to the *flood* construction level and meeting standards of design and construction approved by the Ministry of Environment and maintained by an ongoing authority such as a local government body.

**STOREY** means that portion of a *building* which is between the top of any floor and the bottom of the floor above it, or if there is no floor above it, that portion between the top of such floor and the ceiling above it.

**STRUCTURE** means anything built, placed or constructed that is fixed to, sunk into or supported by the soil or another *structure*, excluding *fences*, concrete footings, paved surfaces and retaining walls less than 1.5 m in height.

## <u>Variance Rationale – Feyter Secondary Suite</u>

Project: BP122678/79 - Feyter Secondary Suite

Address: Marina Estates, Lake Koocanusa

Lot 3 District Lot 10348

Kootenay District Plan EPP109367

The following is a rationale of support the Development Variance Permit (DVP) application of a new secondary suite in Lake Koocanusa to vary the maximum secondary suite area from 70 sq. m. to 88.84 sq. m.

## **Background:**

The client has currently applied for development and building permits for both the main residence and a detached garage containing a secondary suite above the garage bay. The client's intent is to build out the lot with 2 complimenting buildings of a distinct architectural character and style. Full colour renderings and a 3D modelled siteplan have been provided to demonstrate how these two buildings work together bring a high value, quality project to this development.

## **Sweetwater Zoning Bylaw Requirements:**

SECONDARY SUITE means an additional dwelling unit having a total floor space of not more than 90 m<sup>2</sup> nor 70 m<sup>2</sup> when located within a detached garage, and which is less than 40% of the habitable floor space of the building when contained within a single family dwelling. It may not be located in a single family dwelling that is:

- a manufactured home;
- an addition to a manufactured home;
- an accessory dwelling unit in the P-2 zone.

**GROSS FLOOR AREA** means the space on all *storeys* of a *building* between exterior walls and required firewalls, excluding *basement* floor areas used exclusively for storage, heating or laundry facilities, any portion used for parking, swimming pools, open *sundecks*, balconies, exits and vertical services space.

## **Rationale for Variance:**

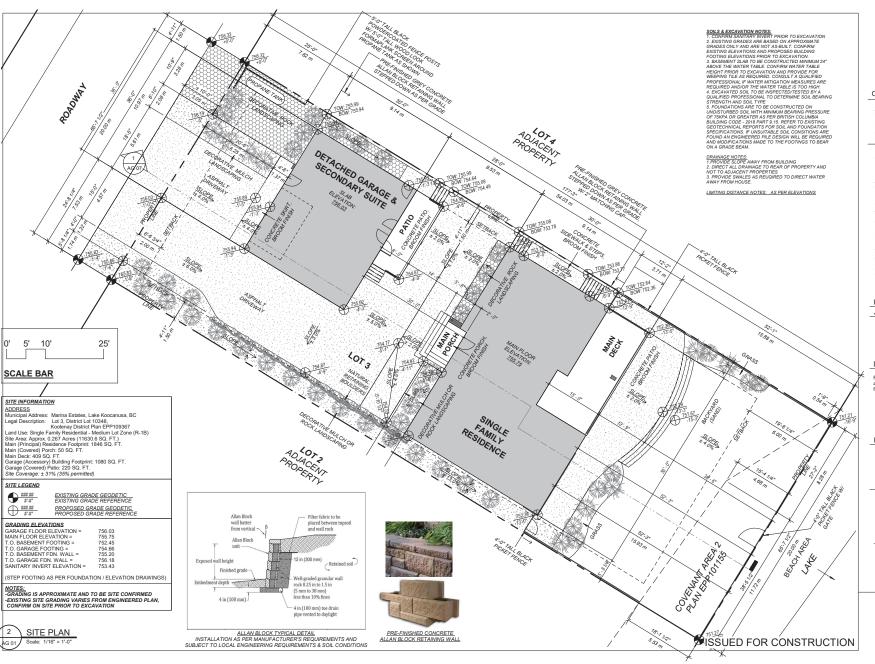
It is understood that the maximum area of 70 sq. m. was largely based on a building code requirement for accessory buildings to be 70 sq. m. or less. The current building code no longer has this requirement and therefore it is reasonable to use alternate maximum of 90 sq. m. in the bylaw as the maximum allowable area for a secondary suite.

Our further rationale is that this accessory suite footprint is based on extending the walls of the garage footprint below to keep the design simple without jogging or stepping back walls. The garage footprint has been designed for the use of the site which involves storing a boat and accessories. The client cannot shrink the garage footprint without sacrificing its functionality since it is sized and needed for the use and there is no additional garage bays proposed attached to the main residence. Stepping back the walls of the suite above the garage would result in a more complex design with differing architectural language compared to the main residence and reducing the amount of bedrooms that that client has available in the suite for their use to stay in with their children. Please refer to the attached renderings of both the main

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residence and accessory building to review how the architectural intent is to compliment between the buildings rather than contrast.





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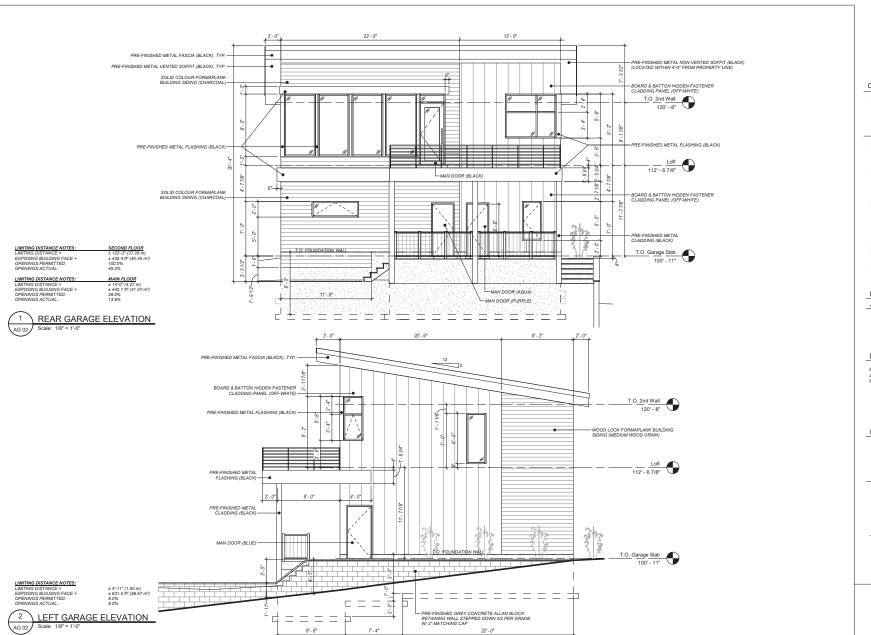
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#### SITE PLAN

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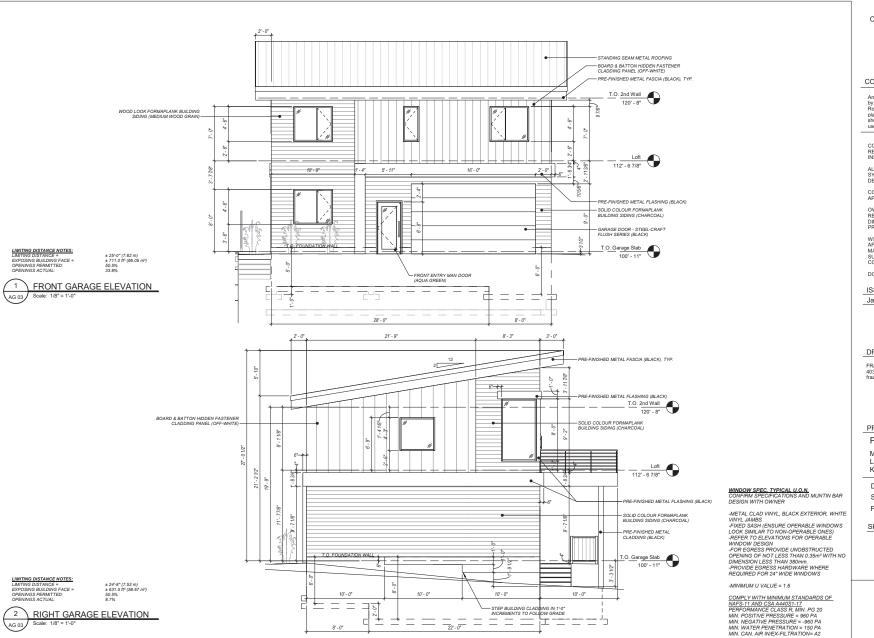
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## GARAGE ELEVATIONS

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## Krista Gilbert

From: David Milne

**Sent:** April 29, 2022 3:49 PM

**To:** Krista Gilbert

**Subject:** Re: Development Variance Permit No. 16-22

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Hi Krista,

I left you a voicemail earlier today but have yet to hear back from you. In regards to this variance permit, isn't the proposed garage height level also a variance? It looks like as per paragraph 4.04 on page 7 of the attachment you sent that a secondary suite maximum height is 7.0M and this secondary building appears to be higher than that. Can you please clarify that?

Our additional concern with this building, besides that it is potentially going to be ~30% larger than current restrictions, is that it is not a garage with a suite above it, but rather a small house with a single garage bay. It looks like 75% suite and 25% garage. It will be like having two significant houses on the lot. The proposed garage/suite size likely also contributes to the positioning of the main house being located closer to the shoreline which impedes views of others, however I realize there is no restriction on placement of a house on each lot.

At this point, please consider this an objection to the proposed permit however it may be pulled based on the answer to my question regarding the height of the structure.

Regards, David Milne