City of Newton Planning and Development

Petition: #227-23

Special Permit/Site Plan Approval to raze the dwelling and construct a four-unit three-story multi-family dwelling

June 27, 2023



107-109 Elliot Street

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Zoning Relief

Zoning Relief Required		
Ordinance		Action Required
§3.4.1	Request to allow a multi-family dwelling	S.P. per §7.3.3
§3.2.6 §7.8.2.C.2	Request to alter a nonconforming front setback	S.P. per §7.3.3
§5.1.8.B.1 §5.1.13	Request to reduce the width of parking stalls	S.P. per §7.3.3
§5.1.8.B.6 §5.1.13	Request to allow a restricted end stall	S.P. per §7.3.3
§5.4.2	Request to allow a retaining wall greater than four feet in height within the setback	S.P. per §7.3.3

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Criteria to Consider

When reviewing this request, the Council should consider:

- The site in MR-2 is an appropriate location for the proposed four residential units. (§7.3.3.C.1)
- The proposed four residential units will not adversely affect the neighborhood (§7.3.3.C.2)
- The proposed four residential units will not create a nuisance or serious hazard to vehicles or pedestrians. (§7.3.3.C.3)
- Access to the site over streets is appropriate for the types and numbers of vehicles involved. (§7.3.3.C.4)

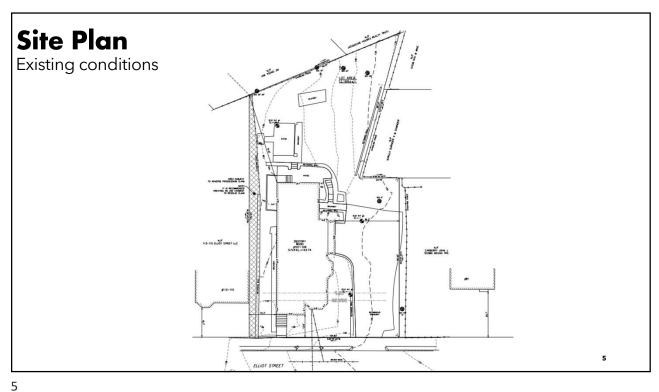
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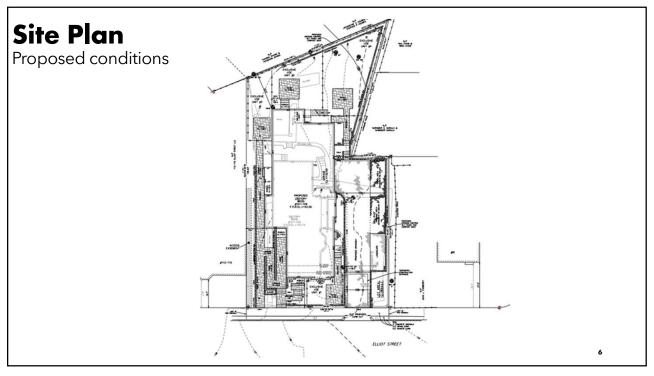
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Aerial Map



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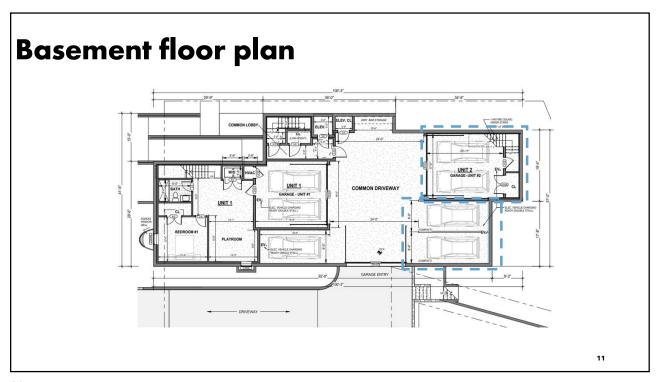
Landscape plan



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Findings

- 1. The specific site is an appropriate location for the proposed residential project in the Multi-Residence 2 (MR-2) zone because it is a residential use. (§7.3.3.C.1)
- 2. The proposed residential project as designed will not adversely affect the neighborhood because the lot area per unit and lot size exceeds what is required for the district. (§7.3.3.C.2)
- 3. The proposed residential project will not create a nuisance or serious hazard to vehicles or pedestrians because parking will be provided on site and the shared driveway has adequate sightlines. (§7.3.3.C.3)
- 4. Access to the site over streets is appropriate for the types and numbers of vehicles involved. (§7.3.3.C.4)

Conditions

- 1. Plan referencing
- 2. Rodent remediation
- 3. Construction management plan
- 4. All electric appliances and utilities
- 5. Standard building permit conditions
- 6. Standard occupancy conditions