

# Land Use Committee Agenda

## City of Newton In City Council

December 3, 2019

### 7:00 PM Chamber

#### #353-19 Petition to extend nonconforming FAR at 38 Fenno Road

MICHAEL ZALIS petition for SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to raze an existing deck and construct an addition on the first floor, creating an FAR of .50 where .42 is allowed and .45 exists at 38 Fenno Road, Ward 2, Newton Centre, on land known as Section 64 Block 12 Lot 05, containing 7,413 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned SINGLE RESIDENCE 2. Ref: Sec. 7.3.3, 7.4, 3.1.9, 7.8.2.C.2 of Chapter 30 of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2017.

#393-19 Petition to amend Board Order #317-92(5) and change use at 562 Commonwealth Ave 552 COMM AVE, LLC/NIANXIONG GUAN petition for SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to amend Special Permit Board Order #317-92(5) to convert an existing nonconforming barbershop into a nonconforming retail florist shop at 562 Commonwealth Avenue, Ward 6, Newton Centre, on land known as Section 61 Block 03 Lot 22, containing approximately 13,000 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned MULTI RESIDENCE 1. Ref. 7.3.3, 7.4,

3.4.1, 7.8.2.C.2 of Chapter 30 of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2017.

#### #227-17(2) Special Permit to amend Order #227-17 at 2171 Commonwealth Avenue

THEODORE VENTOURIS petition for SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to amend Council Order #227-17 to allow changes to the approved site plan at 2171 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, Ward 4, Auburndale, on land known as Section 41 Block 18 Lot 0032A containing approximately 19,682 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned SINGLE RESIDENCE 2. Ref: Sec. 7.3, 7.4 of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2017.

#### #257-19 Amended Petition to allow attached dwelling units at 956 Walnut Street

956 WALNUT STREET, LLC. petition for SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to raze the existing single-family dwelling and construct seven single-family attached dwellings in two three buildings, to reduce the frontage requirement, to reduce the side setback requirement, to allow three-stories, to exceed maximum lot coverage, to allow a retaining wall greater than 4' in the setback and to allow a driveway in the side setback at 956 Walnut Street, Ward 6, Newton Highlands, on land known as Section 62 Block 04 Lot 05, containing approximately 32,274 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned MULTI RESIDENCE 1. Ref: Sec. 7.3.3, 7.4, 3.4.1, 3.2.4, 5.4.2.B, 6.2.3.B.2 of Chapter 30 of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2017.

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#### #312-19 Petition to allow 24-unit multi-family dwelling at 20 Kinmonth Road

20 KINMONTH ROAD INVESTMENT, LLC petition for SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to allow a three-story 24-unit multi family dwelling greater than 20,000 sq. ft. of new gross floor area, to allow ground floor residential units, to reconstruct and further extend nonconforming side setbacks, to allow an FAR of 1.4 in a three-story structure, to waive 24 parking stalls, to waive minimum stall depth requirements, to waive the maximum driveway width requirement and to allow a retaining wall greater than four feet in height within a setback at 20 Kinmonth Road, Ward 5, Waban, on land known as Section 53 Block 29 Lot 2, containing approximately 24,302 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned BUSINESS USE 1. Ref: Sec. 7.3.3, 7.4, 4.4.1, 4.1.2.B.1, 4.1.2.B.3, 4.1.3, 7.8.2.C.2, 5.1.4.A, 5.1.13, 5.1.8.B.2, 5.1.8.D.2, 5.4.2.B of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2017.

#### #175-19 Special Permit to allow attached dwelling units at 145 Warren Street

145 WARREN STREET, LLC petition for SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to allow four single-family attached dwellings in two buildings, to allow reduced side setbacks, to increase the allowed lot coverage, to allow a driveway within ten feet of the side lot line and to allow retaining walls greater than 4' within a setback at 145 Warren Street, Ward 6, Newton Centre, on land known as Section 61 Block 39 Lot 10, containing approximately 23,399 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned MULTI RESIDENCE 1. Ref: Sec. 7.3.3, 7.4, 3.4.1, 3.2.4, 6.2.3.B.2, 5.4.2.B of Chapter 30 of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2017.

#### #175-19(2) Amended Petition to allow attached dwelling units at 145 Warren Street

145 WARREN STREET, LLC petition for SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to allow four single-family attached dwellings in two one building, to allow reduced side setbacks, to allow three-stories, to increase the allowed lot coverage, to decrease the minimum open space, to allow a driveway within ten feet of the side lot line and to allow retaining walls greater than 4' within a setback at 145 Warren Street, Ward 6, Newton Centre, on land known as Section 61 Block 39 Lot 10, containing approximately 23,399 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned MULTI RESIDENCE 1. Ref: Sec. 7.3.3, 7.4, 3.4.1, 3.2.4, 6.2.3.B.2, 5.4.2.B of Chapter 30 of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2017.

Respectfully Submitted,

Greg Schwartz, Chair