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Councilor Richard A. Lipof, Chair Land Use Committee of the City Council City of Newton 1000 Commonwealth Avenue Newton, Massachusetts 02459

Re: 12 Hanson Road (Petition No. 313-20)

Dear Chair Lipof,

Please note that I have been retained by Ms. Dezube to assist her with this matter. On behalf of Esther Dezube, as the Petitioner for Special Permit petition No. 313-20, please accept this letter as a formal request for a continuance of the public hearing scheduled for September 10, 2020, without prejudice.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

Laurance S.L. Lee