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For Residential Single and Two Family Structures

Property address: 12 Sumner Street

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FAR Calculations for		
Regulations Effective As Of October 15, 2011 Inputs (square feet)		
1. First story	1,343	1,343
2. Attached garage	0	0
3. Second story	1,343	1,343
 Atria, open wells, and other vertical spaces (if not counted in first/second story) 	0	0
Certain floor area above the second story ^{1b} 5.	332	955
6. Enclosed porches ^{2b}		
7. Mass below first story ^{3b}	1,288	1,288
8. Detached garage	0	0
Area above detached garages with a ceiling height of 7' or greater	0	0
Other detached accessory buildings (one detached building up to 120 sq. ft. is exempt)	0	0
FAR of Proposed Structure(s)		
A Total gross floor area . (sum of rows 1-9 above)	4,306	4,929
B Lot size	6,434	6,434
C FAR = A/B	.67	.76
Allowed FAR		
Allowable FAR	.54	.54
Bonus of .02 if eligible ^{4b}		
TOTAL Allowed FAR	3,474	3,474

*Note: Existing 1st floor and existing 2nd floor s.f. calculations match. According to my field dimensions; the 1st floor entry portico has the same square footage as the 2nd floor overhang.