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CITY OF NEWTON

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN

August 12, 2013

ORDERED:

That the Board, finding that the public convenience and welfare will be substantially served by its action and that said action will be without substantial detriment to the public good, and without substantially derogating from the intent or purpose of the Zoning Ordinance, hereby grants the following SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to increase the Floor Area Ratio (FAR) above that which is allowed by right, in accordance with the recommendation of the Land Use Committee and the reasons given by the Committee therefor, through its Chairman, Alderman Ted Hess-Mahan.

The Board finds that:

- 1. The proposed Floor Area Ratio (FAR) of .48 where .45 is the maximum allowed by right is consistent with and not in derogation of the size, scale and design of other structures in the neighborhood. The lot is 5,771 square feet and the new house will have a gross floor area of 2,789 square feet. The additional 210 square feet will increase the gross floor area by 3% above what is allowed by-right.
- 2. The increase in FAR is will not increase the footprint or perceived mass of the dwelling.
- 3. The creation of a two-car garage under the existing deck will be a benefit to the neighborhood as it will help prevent vehicles from parking on the street or in the driveway.
- 20 4. With the exception of FAR the proposed structure meets all dimensional fequ ton, MA 02459 including lot coverage and open space.

PETITION NUMBER: #180-13

PETITIONER:

LOCATION:

20 Burrage Road, Ward 7, on land known as SBL 73, 28, 06, containing approximately 5,771 square feet of land

OWNER:

Surge Capital Corp.

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- a) Recorded a certified copy of this board order for the approved Special Permit/Site Plan with the Registry of Deeds for the Southern District of Middlesex County.
- b) Filed a copy of such recorded board order with the City Clerk, the Department of Inspectional Services, and the Department of Planning and Development.
- c) Submitted a revised stamped site plan to the Engineering Division for review and approval.
- d) Obtained a written statement from the Planning and Development Department that confirms the building permit plans are consistent with plans approved in Condition #1.
- No Occupancy Permit for the use covered by this Special Permit/Site Plan Approval shall be issued until the petitioners have:
 - a) Filed with the City Clerk, the Department of Inspectional Services, and the Department of Planning and Development a statement by a registered architect or engineer certifying compliance with Condition #1.
 - b) Submitted to the Department of Inspectional Services, The Engineering Division of Public Works, and the Department of Planning and Development a final as-built survey plan in paper and digital format.
 - c) Filed with the City Clerk, the Commissioner of Inspectional Services, and the Department of Planning and Development, a statement from the Engineering Division certifying that the final site construction details have been constructed to the standards of the City of Newton Engineering Division.
 - d) Filed with the Commissioner of Inspectional Services a statement from the Planning Department approving final site features.

Under Suspension of Rules

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Readings Waived and Approved

22 yeas 0 nays 1 absent (Alderman Fischman) 1 vacancy

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing copy of the decision of the Board of Aldermen granting a SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL is a true accurate copy of said decision, the original of which having been filed with the CITY CLERK on <u>August 14, 2013</u>. The undersigned further certifies that all statutory requirements for the issuance of such SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL have been complied with and that all plans referred to in the decision have been filed with the City Clerk.

ATTEST

(SGD) DAVID A. OLSON, City Clerk Clerk of the Board of Aldermen

I, David A. Olson, as the <u>Clerk of the Board of Aldermen</u> and keeper of its records and as the <u>City</u> <u>Clerk</u> and official keeper of the records of the <u>CITY OF NEWTON</u>, hereby certify that Twenty days

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have elapsed since the filing of the foregoing decision of the Board of Aldermen in the <u>Office of the</u> <u>City Clerk</u> on $\frac{5}{144}$ and that <u>NO APPEAL</u> to said decision pursuant to G.L. c. 40A, §17 has been filed thereto.

ATTEST.

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(SGD) DAVID A. OLSON, City Clerk Clerk of the Board of Aldermen

