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To be reported on  
**MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 2013**

### REFERRED TO LAND USE COMMITTEE

Tuesday, July 16, 2013

Present: Ald. Hess-Mahan (Chairman), Ald. Albright, Crossley, Laredo, Harney, and Schwartz;  
absent Ald. Fischman; 1 vacancy; also present: Ald. Gentile

***Public Hearing was continued on the following item:***

#272-12(2) BH NORMANDY OWNER, LLC petition for a change of zone to Mixed Use 3/Transit Oriented District for a portion of land located at 399 GROVE STREET, also identified as Section 42, Block 11, Lot 4, currently zoned Business 5.  
***(Public Hearing opened on 10/09/12, continued to 11/27/12; continued to 12/18/12)***  
**HEARING CLOSED; HELD 6-0**

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#258-12 BH NORMANDY RIVERSIDE, LLC/MASSACHUSETTS BAY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY petition for a change of zone to Mixed Use 3/Transit Oriented District for a portion of land located at 327 Grove Street, also identified as Section 42, Block 11, Lot 3A currently zoned Public Use.  
***(Public hearing opened on 10/16/12, continued to 11/27/12; continued to 12/18/12)***  
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#258-12(2) BH NORMANDY RIVERSIDE, LLC/MASSACHUSETTS BAY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY petition for a SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to construct a mixed use, transit oriented development including an office building of approximately 225,000 sq. ft., a residential building containing 290 apartments with 5,000 sq. ft. of retail space, a three story building containing approximately 15,000 sq. ft. of retail space and approximately 8,000 sq. ft. of community space, and related site improvements; to permit office use on the ground floor, medical office use, retail and personal establishments of more than 5,000 sq. ft., eating and drinking establishments of more than 5,000 sq. ft., retail banking and financial services, and health club establishments on the ground floor; and reduced minimum setbacks of side setback of office building, and front setback of retail/community building; parking facility design standards

including stall width, stall depth, maneuvering space for end stalls, minimum width for entrance and exit driveways, tandem stalls, number of required off-street loading facilities and design standards of same, landscape screening requirements, surfacing and curbing requirements and one foot candle lighting at 327 GROVE STREET, Ward 4, on land known as SBL 42, 11, 3A containing approx. 9.4 acres of land in a proposed Mixed Use 3 Transit Oriented Zoned district. Ref: Sec 30-13(f), Table A Footnote ; 30-13(g); 30-15(v)(1); 30-15, Table 3; 30-19(d)(22); 30-19(h); 30-19(h)(2)a); 30-19(h)(2)b); 30-19(h)(2)e); 30-19(h)(4)a); 30-19(h)(5)a); 30-19(i); 30-19(i)(1)a); 30-19(j); 30-19(j)(1)a); 30-19(j)(2)d); 30-19(l); 30-19(l)(2); 30-19(l)(3); 30-19(m); 30-23; 30-24; 30-24(i)(7) of the City of Newton Revised Zoning Ord, 2012. *(The public hearing, opened on 10/16/12, continued on 11/27/12, was closed on 12/18/12.) Extended to August 14, 2013*

**HELD 6-0**

#272-12

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**HELD 6-0**

- #272-12(3) BH NORMANDY OWNER, LLC petition to AMEND Special Permit/Site Plan Approval application #272-12, for which a public hearing was opened on October 9, 2012, with respect to EXTENDING a NONCONFORMING STRUCTURE to allow construction of a ramp on the easterly side of the Hotel Indigo at 399 Grove Street, Newton Lower Falls. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23, 30-21(b) of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012. *(The public hearing opened on 11/27/12, closed on December 18, 2012) Extended to August 14, 2013*  
**HELD 6-0**

**REFERRED TO LAND USE COMMITTEE**

Tuesday, July 23, 2013

Present: Ald. Hess-Mahan (Chairman), Ald. Laredo, Crossley, Harney, and Schwartz; absent: Ald. Albright and Fischman; 1 vacancy; also present: Ald. Gentile, Yates, and Sangiolo

- #216-13 PATRICIA FLATLEY petition for Special Permit/Site Plan Approval to exceed the by-right Floor Area Ratio of .30 to .32 in order to construct a new single-family dwelling at 80 DARTMOUTH STREET, Ward 3, West Newton, on land known as SBL 32, 34, 11, containing approximately 19,371 sq. ft. of land, in a district zoned SINGLE RESIDENCE 1. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23, 30-15(u), (u)(2), 30-15 Table A of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.  
**APPROVED 5-0**

- #215-13 CHRISTINA & JOHN HENNESSEY petition for Special Permit/Site Plan Approval to use 594 sq. ft. of the existing basement as an accessory apartment at 45 BRAE BURN ROAD, Ward 4, Auburndale, on land known as SBL 43, 4, 1, containing approximately 14,739 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned SINGLE RESIDENCE 2. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23, 30-22, 30-8(d)(1), and 30-8 Table of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.  
**APPROVED 5-0**

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**HELD 5-0**

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**HELD 5-0**
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**HELD 5-0**

**REFERRED TO LAND USE COMMITTEE**

Tuesday, July 30, 2013

Present: Ald. Hess-Mahan (Chairman), Ald. Crossley, Albright, Harney, and Fischman; absent: Ald. Laredo and Schwartz; also present: Ald. Gentile

*The public hearing opened on May 14, 2013 was continued:*

#141-13 **ZION YEHOASHUA & NIKZUN GORDON** petition for SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to re-grade an existing driveway to make it less steep by rebuilding existing retaining walls within the setback at a maximum height of 6 feet and to provide 2 parking spaces with the front setback at 74 NEWTONVILLE AVENUE, Newton, Ward 1, on land known as SBL 12, 21, 25 containing approx. 10,021 sf of land in a district zoned SINGLE RESIDENCE 3. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23, 30-19(g)(1), 30-19(m), 30-5(b)(4) of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.  
**HEARING CLOSED**

*The public hearing opened on June 11 was continued:*

#180-13 **SURGE CAPITAL CORPORATION** petition for a SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to create garage parking for 2 cars beneath a single-family dwelling currently under construction which will increase the Floor Area Ratio to .48 where .45 is allowed by right at 20 BURRAGE ROAD, Ward 7, on land known as SBL 73, 28, 6, containing approx. 5,771 sf of land in a district zoned SINGLE FAMILY 2. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23, 30-15(u) and Table A of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.  
**HEARING CLOSED; APPROVED 4-0 (Fischman not voting)**

- #178-13 RIVERSIDE CHILDREN'S CENTER /THE UNION CHURCH OF WABAN petition to AMEND SITE PLAN APPROVAL #704-83, granted on 12/19/83 for a nursery school for no more than 15 children, to increase the enrollment to a maximum of 55 students and for a SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to waive 8 parking stalls and for associated waivers including parking within front and side setbacks and within 5' from a street; required dimensions for parking stalls and minimum aisle width; landscape screening and interior landscaping requirements; lighting requirements including waiving barriers at edges of surfaced areas; minimum 3-foot wide curb ramps; bicycle parking facilities at 14 COLLINS ROAD, Ward 5, Waban, on land known as SBL 55, 48, 36 and 37, Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23, 30-5(a)(3)(d)(iii), 30-19(d)(16), 30-19(h)(1), (2)(a), (2)(b), (3)(a), (i)(1), (i)(1)a, (i)(2), (j)(1)a, (j)(1)b, (j)(2)e, (j)(2)f, (k), and 30-19(m) of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.  
**APPROVED 4-0-1 (Fischman abstaining)**
- #416-12(3) MAIN GATE REALTY petition to AMEND Special Permit/Site Plan Approval for a Change in Nonconforming Use #416-12, granted on 2/10/13 for retail and/or office uses, to allow a massage therapy business at 242-244 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, Ward 7, Chestnut Hill, on land known as SBL 61, 13, 11, containing approximately 7,452 sq. ft. of land in a district zoned MULTI RESIDENCE 1. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23, 30-21(b)(1) of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.  
**APPROVED 5-0**
- #217-13 JEAN TEILLON, CHUNGDAHM READWRITE/DAN WOOLEY & JOHN FINLEY, III, TRUSTEES c/o CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT CO., LLC. petition for a Special Permit/Site Plan Approval for a for-profit educational use formerly occupied by the non-profit Newton Community Service Center at 1254 CHESTNUT STREET/70 LINDEN STREET, Ward 5, Newton Upper Falls, on land known as SBL 51, 35 and 34, 1 and 2, containing approximately 93,480 sq. ft., in a district zoned MANUFACTURING. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23, 30-5(b)(2) of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.  
**APPROVED 5-0**
- #325-06(3) RUSSIAN SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS/RJ WELLS MANAGEMENT, LLC. petition to AMEND Special Permit/Site Plan Approval #325-06, granted on 12/18/06 for a for-profit education use, a waiver of parking provisions, and two free-standing signs, in order to increase the class size from 10 to 15 students; increase the number of classes at a time from 10 to 17; allow up to 28 employees on-site at a time; allow a revised parking, drop-off, and pick-up plan with a new driveway; and a revised lighting plan and a revised directional and signage package at 200 WELLS AVENUE, Ward 8. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23 of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.  
**HELD 5-0**

- #325-06(4) RUSSIAN SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS /RJ WELLS MANAGEMENT, LLC requesting that the restriction adopted by Board Order #276-68(3), dated November 18, 1968, and subsequent amendments be further amended to reflect the amendments proposed in petition #325-06(3) and to legalize an existing shed and construct a fenced-in play area ancillary to the for-profit school at 200 WELLS AVENUE, Ward 8. *NOTE: Public Hearing not required.*  
**HELD 5-0**
- #258-12(2) BH NORMANDY RIVERSIDE, LLC/MASSACHUSETTS BAY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY petition for a SPECIAL PERMIT/SITE PLAN APPROVAL to construct a mixed use, transit oriented development including an office building of approximately 225,000 sq. ft., a residential building containing 290 apartments with 5,000 sq. ft. of retail space, a three story building containing approximately 15,000 sq. ft. of retail space and approximately 8,000 sq. ft. of community space, and related site improvements; to permit office use on the ground floor, medical office use, retail and personal establishments of more than 5,000 sq. ft., eating and drinking establishments of more than 5,000 sq. ft., retail banking and financial services, and health club establishments on the ground floor; and reduced minimum setbacks of side setback of office building, and front setback of retail/community building; parking facility design standards including stall width, stall depth, maneuvering space for end stalls, minimum width for entrance and exit driveways, tandem stalls, number of required off-street loading facilities and design standards of same, landscape screening requirements, surfacing and curbing requirements and one foot candle lighting at 327 GROVE STREET, Ward 4, on land known as SBL 42, 11, 3A containing approx. 9.4 acres of land in a proposed Mixed Use 3 Transit Oriented Zoned district. Ref: Sec 30-13(f), Table A Footnote ; 30-13(g); 30-15(v)(1); 30-15, Table 3; 30-19(d)(22); 30-19(h); 30-19(h)(2)a); 30-19(h)(2)b); 30-19(h)(2)e); 30-19(h)(4)a); 30-19(h)(5)a); 30-19(i); 30-19(i)(1)a); 30-19(j); 30-19(j)(1)a); 30-19(j)(2)d); 30-19(l); 30-19(l)(2); 30-19(l)(3); 30-19(m); 30-23; 30-24; 30-24(i)(7) of the City of Newton Revised Zoning Ord, 2012. (*Public hearing opened on 10/16/12, continued on 11/27/12, closed on 12/18/12; 90 days 09-24/13*)  
**HELD 5-0**

**REFERRED TO LAND USE COMMITTEE**

Tuesday, August 6, 2013

Present: Ald. Hess-Mahan (Chairman), Ald. Albright, Laredo, Fischman, Crossley, Schwartz, and Harney

#325-06(3) **RUSSIAN SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS/RJ WELLS MANAGEMENT, LLC.** petition to AMEND Special Permit/Site Plan Approval #325-06, granted on 12/18/06 for a for-profit education use, a waiver of parking provisions, and two free-standing signs, in order to increase the class size from 10 to 15 students; increase the number of classes at a time from 10 to 17; allow up to 28 employees on-site at a time; allow a revised parking, drop-off , and pick-up plan with a new driveway; and a revised lighting plan and a revised directional and signage package at 200 WELLS AVENUE, Ward 8. Ref: Sec 30-24, 30-23 of the City of Newton Rev Zoning Ord, 2012.

**APPROVED 7-0 SUBJECT TO 2<sup>nd</sup> CALL**

#325-06(4) **RUSSIAN SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS /RJ WELLS MANAGEMENT, LLC** requesting that the restriction adopted by Board Order #276-68(3), dated November 18, 1968, and subsequent amendments be further amended to reflect the amendments proposed in petition #325-06(3) and to legalize an existing shed and construct a fenced-in play area ancillary to the for-profit school at 200 WELLS AVENUE, Ward 8. *NOTE: Public Hearing not required.*

**APPROVED 7-0**

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**HELD 7-0**

**REFERRED TO ZONING & PLANNING COMMITTEE**

Wednesday, July 17, 2013

Present: Ald. Johnson, Baker, Yates, Kalis and Sangiolo: Absent: Ald. Lennon, Danberg, Swiston

Appointment by His Honor the Mayor

#239-13 ROGER S. WYNER, 16 Pettee Street, Newton Upper Falls, appointed as a *full* member of the PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD for a term to expire June 3, 2018. (60 days 09/06/13) [06/12/13 @ 9:02 AM]  
**APPROVED 4-0 (Sangiolo not voting)**

#406-12 ALD. JOHNSON requesting a discussion to review City of Newton Zoning Ordinances Chapter 30-20(h)(6) regarding campaign signs, and the failure of candidates to comply with current removal requirements. [11/19/12 @ 9:24AM]  
**HELD 4-0 (Sangiolo not voting)**

#64-13 NEWTON HISTORICAL COMMISSION requesting the creation of an administrative permitting process for converting historic barns and carriage houses into accessory apartments to assist in their preservation. [02/05/13 @ 11:35 AM]  
**HELD 5-0**

#423-12 ALD. JOHNSON AND SANGIOLO requesting that the Director of Planning & Development and the Commissioner of Inspectional Services review with the Zoning & Planning Committee their analysis of the FAR regulations and assessment of the possible impact on housing construction and renovation in the City. [12/03/12 @ 9:14 AM]  
**HELD 4-0 (Kalis not voting)**

#221-13 THE COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES requesting to amend the name of the "Commission on Disabilities" to the "Commission on Disability" in **Chapter 22, Section 22-100** of the City of Newton Ordinances. [06/07/13 @ 9:59 AM]  
**APPROVED 4-0 (Sangiolo not voting)**

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