

# NEW HAVEN CITY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

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# 'CITY OF NEW HAVEN BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS AGENDA

A special meeting of the Board of Zoning Appeals will be held on **Tuesday**, **June 20**, **2023**, **at 6:30pm** via ZOOM at which time and place the Board shall consider the following:

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(\*) Items that will be referred to the City Plan Commission

Item 1. Roll Call

(Attendance)

# **Item 2. New Public Hearings**

- 2.1 23-40-V, 23-41-S. 351 Winthrop Avenue. Variances to permit a minimum lot area of 4,928sf of lot area where 5,400sf is required, allow for a custodial care facility to be located within 1,500ft of a use of the same type, and to allow for 11 residents where a maximum of 6 is permitted. Special Exceptions to permit the use of a Custodial Care Facility and to allow for 2 off-street parking spaces where 5 are required. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Brightside Properties of Connecticut, LLC. Applicant: Rachael Dols. WITHDRAWN
- **2.2 23-43-V. 387 Ferry Street.** Variances to allow for a side yard setback of 6ft where 8ft is required and a building wall height of 19ft 4in where 12ft is permitted for an addition to an existing structure. Zone: RM-2. Owner/Applicant: William Cepeda.
- \*23-44-V, 23-45-CAM. 71 Welton Street. Variances to permit a rear yard setback of 5ft where 12.67ft is permitted, a side yard setback of 5ft where 9.5ft is required, and Coastal Site Plan review for the construction of a new maintenance building. Zone: IH. Owner: AJM CT Realty LLC. Applicant: Tom Knapp.
- **2.4 23-46-S. 98 South Water Street.** Special Exception to permit a Full Restaurant Liquor License for an existing restaurant. Zone: BC. Owner: Pequonnock Yacht Club. Applicant: Bilian Chen.
- **\*23-47-S. 410 Ferry Street.** Special Exception to allow for a neighborhood convenience use (bakery/café) within a residential zone. Zone: RM-2. Owner: RBM LLC. Applicant: Esquipulos Bakery LLC.
- **2.6 23-48-V. 15 Winchester Avenue.** Variances to permit a rear yard setback of 1ft where 25ft is required and a building wall height of "Xft" where 2ft is permitted. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Ozalp Bulent. Applicant: Robert Mangino. *No Action Requested.*

- **\*23-49-S. 669 Dixwell Avenue.** Special Exception to allow for a neighborhood convenience use (convenience store/bakery) within a residential zone. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Abdesssamad Bendki. Applicant: Benjamin Trachten.
- **2.8 23-50-V. 245 Dwight Street.** Variance to permit residential use in an accessory structure located within the required rear and side yard setbacks. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Nimalak LLC. Applicant: Benjamin Trachten. *NO ACTION REQUESTED*
- 2.9 23-51-V. 86 West Street. Variances to permit 1,440sf of lot area per dwelling unit where 2,000sf is required, front yard setbacks of 4ft and 9ft where 17ft is required, a side yard setback of 2.58ft where 8ft is required, a rear yard setback of 22.68ft where 25ft is required, and a building wall height of 16.5ft where 4ft is permitted to allow for the construction of a two-family structure. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Clinton Avenue Investments LLC. Applicant: Benjamin Trachten.
- **2.10 23-52-V. 55 Bishop Street.** Variance to permit 1,742.5sf of lot area per dwelling unit where 2,000sf is required to allow for an additional residential dwelling unit within an existing single-family structure. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Cross, Bruce & Yang. Applicant: Benjamin Trachten.
- **\*23-53-V, 23-54-CAM. 45 Haven Street.** Variance to permit 888sf of gross floor area per dwelling unit where 1,000sf is required. Coastal Site Plan review to allow for an additional dwelling unit within an existing two-family structure. Zone: RM-2. Owner: CT 45 Haven LLC. Applicant: Benjamin Trachten.
- **\*23-55-V, 23-56-S. 29 Nicoll Street.** Variance to permit 895.57sf of gross floor area per dwelling unit where 1,000sf is required. Special Exception to allow 0 off-street parking spaces where 1 is required to allow for an additional dwelling unit within an existing three-family structure. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Taraz, Manouchehr Graham & Sean. Applicant: Benjamin Trachten.

## **Item 3. Deliberations.**

Referral Reports from City Plan Commission

**3.1 23-39-S. 208 Wooster Street.** Special Exception to allow for a neighborhood convenience use (bakery/café) within a residential zone. Zone: RM-2. Owner/Applicant: Andrea Zola and Justin Dodge.

## **Item 4. New Business**

**4.1** Approval of Meeting Minutes – May 9, 2023

#### Note

The appeals & applications with reports of other City departments are on file & may be seen at the City Plan Department, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, City Hall, 165 Church Street, New Haven, Connecticut or available online at: boardofzoningappeals.newhavenct.gov

## Note:

Since the meeting is remote, participation by a quorum of members is expressly prohibited at the physical location and will not be present, however any member of the public may request, in writing, a physical location and "any electronic

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