# CITY OF NEW HAVEN BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS AGENDA

A Public Hearing of the Board of Zoning Appeals will be held on **Tuesday**, **June 18**, **2024** 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 is expected to be passed over.

Item 1. Roll Call
(Attendance)

# **Item 2. Continued Public Hearings**

**2.1 24-40-S. 101 Farren Avenue.** Special Exception to permit a Full Restaurant Liquor License. Zone: BA. Owner: Edward Angelo. Applicant: Jose Rodriguez.

### **Item 2. New Public Hearings**

- **3.1 24-48-S. 930 & 932 State Street.** Special exception to permit a full restaurant liquor permit with live entertainment including acoustics. Zone: BA. Owner: Kin Fai Property Corporation. Applicant: Kenneth Graham.
- **3.2 24-49-V. 34 Mountain Road.** Variance to allow a side yard of 7ft where 8ft is required and a building wall height of 17ft where 14ft is permitted to construct an addition onto an existing single-family home. Zone: RS-2. Owner/Applicant: Shelly Holness.
- **3.3 24-50-V. 67 Lilac Street.** Variance to allow for multiple projections to be located directly up to the front property line (0ft) where a setback of 5ft is required for the construction of entry steps and accessible ramps to an existing structure. Zone: RM-2. Owner/Applicant: Tera Brock.
- 3.4 24-51-V. 28 Elmwood Road. Variances to allow an average building wall height of 19ft where 12ft is permitted, a building coverage of 31% where a maximum of 30% is permitted, and to allow an existing structure located within the rear and side yard setbacks to be converted into a residential accessory dwelling unit (ADU). Zone: RS-2. Owner: Liam Brennan. Applicant: Fernando Pastor
- **3.5 24-52-V. 507 & 509 Winchester Avenue.** Variances to permit a front yard of 10.5ft where 17ft is required, a side yard of 0ft where 8ft is required (northerly), and a building wall height of 32ft where 0ft is permitted (northerly) to create an additional dwelling unit within an existing 2-family structure. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Prospect Hill LLC. Applicant: Colin Ryan.

- \* 24-53-S. 50 Arthur Street. Special Exceptions to permit a group daycare home for up to 12 children and to permit 0 off-street parking space where 2 are required. Zone: RM-2. Owner/Applicant: Vincenta Ascencio Brito.
- **3.7 24-54-V. 282 Exchange Street.** Variance to permit a Gross Floor Area (GFA) of 959sf per dwelling unit where 1,000sf is required to create an additional dwelling unit within an existing 2-family structure. Zone: RM-1. Owner/Applicant: Lydia Rivera.
- **3.8 24-55-V. 188 Bassett Street.** Variance to allow a building coverage of 56% where a maximum of 30% is permitted for an addition to an existing structure to be used as an adult education center. Zone: RM-2. Owner: City of New Haven. Applicant: City of New Haven c/o City Engineer, Giovanni Zinn
- \*24-56-V, 24-57-CAM. 26 Water Street. Use Variance and Coastal Site Plan Review to permit an 884sf two-sided Off-Premise sign on property not located within the limits of the Bulletin and Spectacular Zoning Map Overlay District and bulk Variances to allow for a maximum sign area of 1,768sf where 900sf is permitted and a maximum height of 63ft where 30ft is permitted. Zone: IH. Owner: Kenneth Mackenzie. Applicant: John Kirirah.

# Item 3. <u>Deliberations</u>.

Referral Reports from City Plan Commission

- **4.1 24-20-V, 24-36- CAM. 314 Lenox Street.** Variance to allow for 922sf of gross floor area per dwelling unit where 1,000sf is required. Coastal Site Plan review for an additional dwelling unit in an existing structure. Zone: RM-1. Owner/Applicant: Elien Olmos, ERO Enterprises.
- **4.2 24-39-S. 670 Washington Avenue.** Special Exception to permit a change of use from an existing use (barbershop) to another use (smoke shop/apparel) in a Residential Zone. Zone: RM-2. Owner: Mario Lara. Applicant: Willie Vasquez.
- **4.3 24-41-V, 24-42-CAM. 30 Lenox Street.** Use Variance and Coastal Site Plan Review to permit the use of a Flex/Shared Workshop Space within an existing structure located in an Industrial Zoning District. Zone: IH. Owner: Trelleborg Coated Systems. Applicant: Attorney Benjamin Trachten, Trachten Law Firm.
- **4.4 24-43-S. 146 Greenwich Avenue.** Special Exception to permit 0 off-street parking spaces where 1 is required to allow for an additional dwelling unit within an existing 2-family structure. Zone: RM-1. Owner: LBSE Holdings LLC. Applicant: Attorney Benjamin Trachten, Trachten Law Firm.

### **Item 5. New Business**

**5.1** Approval of Meeting Minutes – May 14, 2024

### 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: <a href="mailto:boardofzoningappeals.newhavenct.gov">boardofzoningappeals.newhavenct.gov</a> **Note:** 

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