PLANNING BOARD PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE

EILEEN DONDERO FOLEY COUNCIL CHAMBERS CITY HALL, MUNICIPAL COMPLEX, 1 JUNKINS AVENUE

7:00 PM Public Hearings begin

June 15, 2023

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING 7:00pm

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A. Approval of the May 18, 2023 meeting minutes
- B. Approval of the May 25, 2023 Work Session minutes

II. PUBLIC HEARINGS – NEW BUSINESS

The Board's action in these matters has been deemed to be quasi-judicial in nature. If any person believes any member of the Board has a conflict of interest, that issue should be raised at this point or it will be deemed waived.

A. The request of Eversource Energy (Applicant) and Public Service of New Hampshire (Owner), for properties located off Gosling Road, Greenland Road, Borthwick Avenue and Ocean Road requesting a proposed Wetland Conditional Use Permit under Section 10.1017 for utility structure replacement project involving the replacement of wooden utility poles with steel poles and associated equipment. This work would be throughout the Portsmouth transmission corridor between Gosling Road to Echo Avenue and between Borthwick Avenue and the Ocean Road Substation. In total, the proposed project requires approximately 208,734 sq. ft. of temporary wetland impact for the placement of timber matting and structure replacements. There will be approximately 3,310 sq. ft. of temporary impact to Pickering Brook in order to span the stream with timber matting. The project also proposes 78,642 sq. ft. of temporary buffer impact in uplands for clearing and grading to gain access to structures. Said properties are located on Assessor Map 238 Lots 2, 3 and 20, Map 239 Lots 7-1, 8, 13-2, 16 and 18, Map 240 Lots 2-1, and 3, Map 258 Lot 54, Map 259 Lot 12 and lies within the Gateway-1 (G1), Waterfront Industrial (WI), Office Research (OR), Industrial (I), and Rural (R) Districts. (LU-23-60)

- **B.** The request of **Mojo's West End Tavern (Applicant)**, for property located at **95 Brewery Lane** requesting a Conditional Use Permit in accordance with Section 10.440,
 Use 19.50 for an outdoor dining and drinking area as an accessory use. Said property is located on Assessor Map 146 Lot 27 and lies within the Character District 4-W (CD-4W) and Character District 4-L2 (CD4-L-2) (LU-23-75)
- C. Ryan T. and Heidi E. K Mullen (Applicants), and RTM Trust (Owner), for property located at 253 Odiorne Point Road requesting a Wetland Conditional Use Permit according to Section 10.1017 of the Zoning Ordinance for proposed improvements to existing drainage issues on the property including the installation of crushed stone to help with infiltration into two existing French drains and an additional French drain installation. The proposal includes an extension of existing stone walls, a concrete slab addition under the deck, an expansion of a deck and the relocation of deck footings and stairs which totals approximately 2,500 s.f. of impact within the wetland buffer. The applicant proposes additional native buffer plantings and a rain garden to help slow and infiltrate stormwater before it reaches the wetland source on the property. Said property is located on Assessor Map 224 Lot 10-19 and lies within the Single Residence a (SRA) District. (LU-23-36)
- D. The Planning Board will consider a recommendation to City Council to adopt amendments to Chapter 10 Article 5A CHARACTER-BASED ZONING, Section 10.5A20, Regulating Plan, Subsection 10.5A21.10 Contents of Regulating Plan, Map 10.5A21B Building Height Standards, Section 10.5A43.30 Building and Story Heights, Subsection 10.5A43.33, Section 10.5A43.40 Maximum Building Footprint, Subsections 10.5A43.41-44, and Section 10.5A45 Community Spaces, Subsection Figures 10.5A45.10 Community Spaces, Section 10.5A46.20 Requirements to Receive Incentives to the Development Standards, Subsections 10.5A46.21-22, and Article 15 DEFINITIONS, Section 10.1530 Terms of General Applicability, of the Ordinances of the City of Portsmouth.

III. PRELIMINARY CONCEPTUAL CONSULTATION

A. The request of Prospect North 815 LLC (Owner), for property located at 815 Lafayette Road requesting preliminary conceptual consultation for the demolition of the existing building and tower along Sagamore Creek and the construction of three 4-story, 24-unit multi-family buildings (72 total units) with first floor parking and a 2-story, 15,000 SF office building. The project will include associated site improvements such as parking, pedestrian access, utilities, stormwater management, lighting and landscaping. Said property is located on Assessor Map 245 Lot 3 and lies within the Gateway Corridor (G1) District. (LUPD-23-4)

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

- A. The request of Granite State Convenience LLC (Applicant), and Mastoran Restaurants INC (Owner), for property located at 2255 Lafayette Road requesting a 1-Year Extension of the Site Plan Approval, Conditional Use Permit, and Wetland Conditional Use Permit granted on June 23, 2022. (LU-22-13)
- **B.** The request **of RIGZ Enterprises LLC**, for property located at **806 US Route 1 Bypass** requesting a 1-Year Extension of the Site Plan Approval granted on June 23, 2022. (LU-22-81)
- C. Chairman updates and discussion items
- **D.** Planning Board Rules and Procedures
- E. Board discussion of Regulatory Amendments, Master Plan & other matters

V. ADJOURNMENT

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