

CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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AGENDA

Somerville High School Auditorium, 81 Highland Avenue, Wednesday, January 7, 2009 DECISIONS 6:00 P.M. followed by New HEARINGS

CASES REQUESTING CONTINUANCES

OLD CASES ALREADY OPENED

163 Hudson Street (Case #ZBA 2008-53)	
Applicant:	Afarin Bellisario
Property	Afarin Bellisario
Owner:	
Agent:	N/A
Legal Notice:	Applicant & Owner: Afarin Bellisario seeks Special Permit approval under SZO §4.4.1 for the alteration
	of a non-conforming structure in order to enlarge the existing structure with an increase of the gross floor area by more than 25 percent. This proposal would create a new unit as-of-right. RB zone. Ward 5.
Date(s) of	11/5, 11/19, 12/3, 12/17
Hearing(s):	
Planning	No Planning Board at this time.
Board Action:	
ZBA Action:	Voted on December 17, 2009 to grant the Applicant's request for a continuance to January 7, 2009.
Current Status:	Applicant will submit request to continue the application to January 21, 2009.

NEW CASES TO BE OPENED AND REQUESTING CONTINUANCES

42 Allen Street (Case #ZBA 2008-67)		
Applicant:	Mark Resnick	
Property Owner:	Mark Resnick	
Agent:	Alissa Devlin, Esq.	
Legal Notice:	Applicant & Owner: Mark Resnick seeks a special permit under §4.4.1 in order to finish and legalize	
	partially completed alterations to a non-conforming structure. RB zone. Ward 2.	

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Date(s) of	
Hearing(s):	
Planning Board	No Planning Board report at this time.
Action:	
ZBA Action:	
Current Status:	Applicant will request a continuance to January 21, 2009.

7-9 Bowers Avenue (Case #ZBA 2008-68)	
Applicant:	Christina Yanhui Li
Property Owner:	Christina Yanhui Li
Agent:	N/A
Legal Notice:	Applicant & Owner: Christina Yanhui Li seeks a Special Permit (SZO §7.11.4.a) to establish three rooms to rent without kitchen facilities, for a tourist home, in an owner occupied dwelling. RB zone. Ward 6
Date(s) of	
Hearing(s):	
Planning Board	No Planning Board at this time.
Action:	
ZBA Action:	
Current Status:	Applicant will request a continuance to January 21, 2009.

PREVIOUSLY OPENED CASES TO BE HEARD THIS EVENING

22 Berkeley Street (Case #ZBA 2008-64)	
Applicant:	John Comerford
Property Owner:	John Comerford
Agent:	N/A
Legal Notice:	Applicant & Owner: John Comerford seeks Special Permit with Site Plan Review approval under
	SZO§7.2 for two principal structures on a lot in order to legalize a dwelling unit in an existing
	carriage house. RA zone. Ward 3.
Date(s) of	12/17,
Hearing(s):	
Planning Board	Recommends conditional approval.
Action:	
ZBA Action:	
Current Status:	Will be heard on January 7, 2009.

NEW CASES TO BE HEARD THIS EVENING

42 Clyde St & 56-61 Clyde St: (Case #ZBA 2008-69)		
Applicant:	56 Clyde Street Acquisition, LLC, 61 Clyde Street Acquisition, LLC & 42 Clyde Street Development	
	Acquisition, LLC	
Property Owner:	56 Clyde Street Acquisition, LLC, 61 Clyde Street Acquisition, LLC & 42 Clyde Street Development	
	Acquisition, LLC	
Agent:		

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Legal Notice:	Applicant/Owners: 56 Clyde St Acquisition, LLC, 61 Clyde St Acquisition, LLC, and 42 Clyde St.
	Development, LLC, seek a special permit (§9.13.c) for a shared driveway. The driveway located at 42
	Clyde Street is proposed to be accessed by development at 56-61 Clyde Street (aka "MaxPak" site)
	for which approval is separately sought from the Planning Board. Ward 5. RB and PUD-B1 zones.
Date(s) of	
Hearing(s):	
Planning Board	Recommends conditional approval.
Action:	
ZBA Action:	
Current Status:	Will be heard on January 7, 2009.

OTHER BUSINESS