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City of Somerville

HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

City Hall 3rd Floor, 93 Highland Avenue, Somerville MA 02143

AGENDA Tuesday, November 21, 2023 at 6:45 pm

The meeting will be held using Zoom.

TO USE A COMPUTER

Registration URL: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN RDMY8QvdR6Oc4APLcwJwdQ

Webinar ID: 899 5208 6095

TO CALL IN

An attendee must register for the meeting online in order for a call-in number to be emailed to them by Zoom.

Pursuant to Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2023, this meeting of the Somerville Historic Preservation Commission will be conducted via remote participation. A recording of these proceedings can be accessed at any time using the registration link at the top of this agenda.

PUBLIC HEARINGS - ALTERATIONS TO LOCAL HISTORIC DISTRICT (LHD) PROPERTIES

HP23-000054 – 141 Central Street

Applicant: David Bischoff Owner: Same as Applicant

The Applicant seeks a Certificate of Appropriateness to replace wood windows.

PUBLIC HEARINGS – DETERMINATIONS OF HISTORIC SIGNIFICANCE (STEP 1 IN THE DEMOLITION REVIEW PROCESS)

• HP23 -000043 - 11 Auburn Avenue

Applicant: Garrett Einis

Owner: 11 Auburn Avenue, LLC

The Applicant seeks to demolish a building constructed a minimum of 75 years ago.

• HP23 -000029 - 181 Pearl Street

Applicant: 181 Pearl St. LLC Owner: Same as Applicant

The Applicant seeks to demolish a building constructed a minimum of 75 years ago.

• HP23 -000044 - 45 Broadway

Applicant: Somerville Gateway Development LLC

Owner: CDA Realty, LLC

The Applicant seeks to demolish a building constructed a minimum of 75 years ago.

Applicant requests a withdrawal. Building is not 75 years of age in 2023.

PUBLIC HEARINGS – DETERMINATIONS OF PREFERABLY PRESERVED (STEP 2 IN THE DEMOLITION REVIEW PROCESS)

• HP23 -000024 - 97 Highland Avenue

Applicant: Somerville Young Men's Christian Association

Owner: Same as Applicant

The Applicant seeks to demolish a building constructed a minimum of 75 years ago.

OTHER BUSINESS

CPC UpdateMinutes: 10/03

Please see cases at https://www.somervillema.gov/departments/historic-preservation/hpc-cases. As cases may be continued to a later date, please check the agenda (posted 48 hours in advance of the meeting) on the City website or email historic@somervillema.gov to inquire if specific cases will be heard. Continued cases will not be re-advertised. Interested persons may provide spoken remarks to the Historic Preservation Commission at the virtual public hearing or via e-mail to historic@somervillema.gov . All written comments must be received by NOON, one week prior to the date of the HPC meeting.

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