## SOMERVILLE REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY



### **MEETING MINUTES**

Location: Virtual meeting via Zoom Webinar

Date: Tuesday, March 11th, 2025

Time: The Chair convened the meeting at 5:33pm.

Meeting recording: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xjuYiafNnAQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xjuYiafNnAQ</a>

### ATTENDANCE:

SRA Members Present: Philip Ercolini (Chair), Iwona Bonney (Secretary), Ben Ewen-Campen (City

Councilor), William Gage, Christine Stone.

SRA Members Absent: Courtney Brunson, Patrick McCormick.

Staff Present: Rachel Nadkarni (Director of Economic Development), Catherine Lester Salchert

(Special Counsel), Dana Whiteside (Deputy Director of Economic Development), Ben

Demers (Senior Economic Development Planner).

#### AGENDA ITEMS:

Staff presented virtual meeting house rules to the Board.

- 1. Approval of the minutes of the February 18th general meeting.
- C. Stone noted a grammatical error in the minutes. Staff amended the minutes to reflect this correction.
  - B. Ewen-Campen moved to approve the minutes as amended. Seconded by I. Bonney. Approved 5-0-0 (yes-no-abstain) by roll call vote.
- 2. Public comment period.

No public comments were made.

- 3. 90 Washington Street Demonstration Project Plan—Executive session to discuss the value of property at 90 Washington Street.
  - I. Bonney moved to shift into an Executive Session to discuss the value of property at 90 Washington Street. Seconded by C. Stone.

SRA members returned from Executive Session at 6:39pm.

W. Gage moved to authorize staff to send a license agreement and begin fee negotiations concerning the same with Cobble Hill Center LLC to provide formal permission to use a portion of SRA-owned land at 90 Washington Street shown below in Exhibit A, consisting of 37 parking spaces adjacent to 84 Washington Street, an access driveway to the dumpster stored behind 84

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Washington Street, and a green berm and grassy area along New Washington Street. Seconded by C. Stone. Approved 5-0-0 by roll call vote.



4. Items not reasonably anticipated by the Chair.

No items were brought forward.

### 5. Meeting adjournment:

W. Gage moved to adjourn at 6:34pm. Seconded by I. Bonney. Approved 5-0-0 by roll call vote.