

City of Somerville

PLANNING BOARD

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

AGENDA Thursday, August 7th, 2025, at 6:00 pm

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The meeting will be held using Zoom.

TO USE A COMPUTER

Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN oq7HaSDwTVy3Sxo pYDRfw

Webinar ID: 833 0874 3380

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 2025, this meeting of the Somerville Planning Board will be conducted via remote participation. A video recording of these proceedings will be available on the City website or by emailing planningboard@somervillema.gov.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Approval of Minutes

None

PUBLIC HEARINGS

• 181 Pearl Street

- 181 Pearl St. LLC. seeks to develop an Apartment Building in the MR3 zoning district, which requires Site Plan Approval (ZP25-000030).
- 181 Pearl St. LLC. seeks to establish a residential housing use in the MR3 zoning district, which requires a Special Permit (ZP25-000055).

• 199 Elm Street

- Picker Construction seeks to develop a General Building in the MR4 zoning district, which requires Site Plan Approval (ZP25-000031).
- Picker Construction seeks to include residential development in the MR4 zoning district, which requires a Special Permit (ZP25-000054).
- o Picker Construction seeks to construct a mechanical penthouse that exceeds the maximum height in the MR4 District, which requires a Special Permit (ZP25-000066).

59 Bow Street

- 59-61 Bow Street LLC seeks a Major Amendment to a previously issued Site Plan Approval (P&Z 21-017) in the MR5 zoning district (ZP24-000099).
- 59-61 Bow Street LLC seeks a Major Amendment to a previously issued Special Permit (P&Z 21-017) in the MR5 zoning district (ZP24-000098).

• 379 Somerville Ave

 Brickstone Builders Corp proposes a Major Amendment to previously approved plans (CZC20-000104) to construct an Apartment Building in the MR5 zoning district, which requires Site Plan Approval (ZP25-000078).

OTHER BUSINESS

• Board Administration Open Discussion

Plans and reports are available to view at the City of Somerville website via the following link: https://www.somervillema.gov/departments/ospcd/planning-and-zoning/reports-and-decisions

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