

**NEWTON PLANNING BOARD
NEWTON MUNICIPAL BUILDING
39 Trinity Street, Newton, NJ 07860
AGENDA
December 16, 2020**

Please take notice that the Town of Newton, Planning Board (the "Board") will hold a public hearing remotely, thru **ZOOM, on December 16, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.** to review and take formal action upon Development applications, and various items as follows:

SUNSHINE STATEMENT

"Adequate notice of this meeting of the Newton Planning Board has been provided in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act (Chapter 231.P.L. 1975)."

RULES

No new testimony after 10:30 p.m. Comments from each member of the public are limited to 5 minutes during the public portion of the meeting.

OATH OF OFFICE

None

SALUTE TO THE FLAG & ROLL CALL

Mr. Flaherty
Mr. Marion
Mr. Wink
Mrs. Vrahnos
Mrs. Hall-Romer
Mrs. Diglio
Mr. Flynn
Mr. Russo, Jr.
Mr. Ragsdale
Mr. Couce
Mr. Schick
Mr. Ricciardo
Mr. Le Frois

CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES

November 18, 2020

HISTORIC RESOLUTIONS

None

RESOLUTIONS:

Red Knight Properties (#P-7-2020)

10-16 Hillside Terrace

Block: 2.02, Lot 18

The Resolution grants use variance approval to allow the construction of an additional apartment on the property.

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Resolution is for Reconsideration of Initial Denial and Grant of Variance from requirement to provide sidewalks.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

AHS Hospital Corp. (P-12-2020)

Block 1.01 Lot 4

175 High Street

The Applicant is seeking variances for a plethora of signage exceeding sizes and number permitted.

Katie's House (P-13-2020)

Block 18.04, Lot 23

26 Mason Avenue

The Applicant seeks a "c" variance from front yard setbacks to construct an ADA Ramp.

Martorana (P-16-2020)

Block 22.05 Lots 13.01 & 13.02

104 Sparta Avenue

The Applicant seeking an amended site plan to modify the end units of Building 9 from having a two car garage to one car, utilizing the space for interior living space, in conformity with Buildings 2-8.

The Applicant(s) may seek any additional approvals, bulk variances, design waivers, interpretations, or other approvals as may be determined to be necessary by the Board during the review of these applications.

This hearing will take place remotely – by videoconference or telephone conference only, via ZOOM application.

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CORRESPONDENCE

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

PUBLIC PORTION

ADJOURNMENT

*The Board Engineer and Board Planner are sworn in at the beginning of each year and are deemed to be under oath on a continuing basis.

PUBLIC ACCESS TO ZOOM MEETING:

To access the virtual hearing, you must join the ZOOM meeting. To access the ZOOM meeting, you will need access to a computer with internet access and/or dial in through a mobile or land line phone to log into the meeting. To join the ZOOM meeting, click on the link below and type in the Meeting ID and Password. You will join the meeting and be able to listen and view the evidence shared on the screen at the meeting.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATING IN ZOOM MEETING:

You will be able to participate when the Board Chairman opens the meeting to the public for the public participation portion of the meeting at the end for you to ask questions and/or cross examine witnesses and make statements. The Board Chair will limit public comments to 10 minutes per person. We ask that if you have questions of the applicant prepared, that you e-mail them to the Board Secretary at kcitterbart@newtontownhall.com prior to the meeting. Your questions will be acknowledged and read into the record and answered. If you have information or exhibits you wish to have considered and entered into the record, you will have to e-mail them to the Board Secretary at kcitterbart@newtontownhall.com in advance of the meeting so that they may be marked into evidence.

Legal Notice – Town of Newton Planning Board meeting of Wednesday, December 16, 2020 at 7 pm Eastern Time (US and Canada)

The public may obtain access to the meeting by the following methods:

You are invited to a Zoom webinar;

When: December 16, 2020 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Newton Planning Board

Members of the public will be able to participate in the meeting, including providing public comment at the appropriate time, and are politely asked to mute their microphones to limit

background noise when not speaking. The Planning Board agenda and backup meeting materials can be viewed at www.newtontownhall.com.

Questions may be directed to the Planning Board Secretary at 973-383-3521, 227.

AGENDA – December 16, 2020 7 p.m. via ZOOM

The hearing may be continued without further notice on such additional or other dates as the Board may determine. The application and its supporting materials will be posted on the Town of Newton website at www.newtontownhall.com ten (10) days prior to the meeting. If you do not have access to a computer to review these materials on the website, you may inspect them, beginning ten (10) days prior to the public hearing, by calling the Board Secretary, Katherine Citterbart, Office of Planning Board & Zoning Board of Adjustment, Town of Newton, 39 Trinity Street, 2nd Floor, Newton, NJ 07860.

PLEASE NOTE: TOWN OF NEWTON PLANNING BOARD MEETINGS WILL BE HELD VIRTUALLY THROUGH ZOOM UNTIL THE GOVERNOR'S EXECUTIVE ORDERS ARE LIFTED AND TOWN HALL HAS BEEN REOPENED.

Katherine Citterbart
Administrator
Newton Planning Board