TOWN of WILMINGTON Minutes of the Development Review Board

Meeting Date: 2 June 2025

DRB Members:

Cheryl LaFlamme Chrystal Holt (via zoom) John Gannon Charlie Foster Diane Abate

Others Present:

Jessica Roberts (ZA)
Joseph Garra (applicant, #2025-030)
Gretchen Havreluk
Meg Streeter (agent, #2025-058)
Chris Brown (applicant, #2025-064)
Samantha Kondracki

Present via Zoom: Tom Fitzgerald Jessica Lee Smith

General Business:

- 1. The meeting was called to order at 5:00pm by Cheryl LaFlamme.
- 2. Visitors or Public Comments- None
- 3. Additions to the agenda- None
- 4. Motion to Approve the Minutes from 21 Apr 2025 by John Gannon, second by Charlie Foster, motion passes unanimously (Cheryl, Chrystal, John, Charlie, Diane).
- 5. Continuation of the hearing for Applications #2025-022 and #2025-023 is delayed to 4 August 2025 due to the applicant being unable to attend this hearing.
- 6. Continuation of the hearing for Application #2025-030 at 5:06pm.

Property Address: 211 Vt Rte 9E

Owner: VT 211 LLC, 1076 Fairfield Beach Road, Fairfield, CT 06824

Proposal: An After-the-Fact Eleventh (11) Unit and twenty-four (24) bedroom Short-Term Rental Use (formerly Lodging Use) Across the Eleven (11) units and correct Violation Case #159 regarding non-shielded and not downcast outdoor lighting as required by the Zoning Bylaw in the Commercial/Residential District.

Applicable Code Sections:

Article II – Section 221, 222, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 271, 272

Article IV - Section 420, 440, 450 E

Article VII - Section 710, 720, 721, 722, 730 A, D, F, H

- 7. Additional testimony was received from the applicant.
- 8. Close Hearing for Application #2025-030 at 5:09pm.

9. Open Hearing on Application #2025-058 at 5:10 pm.

Property Address: 1 School Street Owner: Old Enrichment Council Agent: Meg Streeter, Vice Chair

Proposal: A variance for after-the-fact approval of Field Sign and electronic Scoreboard to correct a violation for unpermitted sign and scoreboard in the Village District and

Design Review and Flood Overlay Districts

Applicable Code Sections:

Article II – Section 221, 222, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 229, 233, 235, 271, 272

Article IV – Section 420, 440, 450 B

Article V – Section 510, 511, 512, 530

Article VI – Section 602, 603, 606, 610 A, G, L, 611 C, 620

Article VIII - Section 803, 832, 850, 874

10. Meeting went into hearing as follows-

- Administered oath to Meg Streeter (no abutters were present)
- No conflicts of interest from the Board
- Cheryl LaFlamme read the application information
- Chrystal Holt reviewed the applicable ordinances
- 11. Close hearing for Application #2025-058 at 5:30 pm.
- 12. Open Hearing on Application #2025-064 at 5:31 pm.

Property Address: 874 Vt Rte 100 North

Owner: Cozy VT Properties LLC

Agent: Chris Brown PO Box 1261, Wilmington VT 05363

Proposal: A new 35x20 foot structure constructed from modified shipping containers

and a new Storage Facility Use in the Commercial/Residential District.

Applicable Code Sections:

Article II – Section 221, 222, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 271, 272

Article IV - Section 420, 440, 450 E

Article V – Section 510, 511, 512, 530

Article VII - Section 710, 730 F

13. Meeting went into hearing as follows-

- Administered oath to Chris Brown (no abutters were present)
- No conflicts of interest from the Board
- Cheryl LaFlamme read the application information
- John Gannon reviewed the applicable ordinances
- 14. Close hearing for Application #2025-064 at 5:46 pm.

- 15. New or Old Business- Cheryl LaFlamme confirmed with DRB members that a quorum will be present for the 16 June DRB meeting.
- 16. Motion to adjourn meeting at 5:48 pm by Chrystal Holt, second by Charlie Foster, motion carries unanimously (Cheryl LaFlamme, John Gannon, Chrystal Holt, Charlie Foster, Diane Abate).

Respectfully submitted, Chrystal Holt Clerk