

**LEGAL NOTICE
BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT
PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Adjustment will hold Public Hearings on the following petitions on **Tuesday, October 21, 2025 and Tuesday, October 28, 2025** starting at 7:00 p.m. in the Eileen Dondero Foley Council Chambers, City Hall, Municipal Complex, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WILL BE HEARD ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2025

The request of **Charlie Neal and Joe McCarthy (Owners)**, for property located at **28 Whidden Street** whereas relief is needed to construct an addition to the rear of the structure which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.521 to allow a) 42% building coverage where 30% is allowed, b) 11 foot rear yard where 25 feet are required; and 2) Variance from Section 10.321 to allow a nonconforming building or structure to be extended, reconstructed or enlarged without conforming to the requirements of the Ordinance. Said property is located on Assessor Map 102 Lot 64 and lies within the General Residence B (GRB) and Historic Districts.

The request of **Carrie and Gabriel Edwards (Owners)**, for property located at **51 Morning Street** whereas relief is needed to demolish the existing garage and construct a new attached garage with office space which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.521 to allow a) 51% building coverage where 25% is allowed, b) 4 foot left side yard where 10 feet are required, c) 3.5 foot rear yard where 20 feet are required; d) 21.5% open space where 30% is required; and 2) Variance from Section 10.321 to allow a nonconforming building or structure to be extended, reconstructed or enlarged without conforming to the requirements of the Ordinance. Said property is located on Assessor Map 163 Lot 16 and lies within the General Residence A (GRA) District.

The request of **Brian T and Kyle M LaChance (Owners)**, for property located at **86 South School Street** whereas relief is needed to demolish the existing porch, construct an addition with a deck and replace an existing flat roof with a slanted roof on the existing dwelling which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.521 to allow a) 7 foot side yard where 10 feet is required, b) 14 foot rear yard where 25 feet is required, c) 31% building coverage where 30% is the maximum allowed, d) 24 % open space where 25% is the minimum; and 2) Variance from Section 10.321 to allow a nonconforming building or structure to be extended, reconstructed or enlarged without conforming to the requirements of the Ordinance. Said property is located on Assessor Map 101 Lot 63 and lies within the General Residence B (GRB) and Historic Districts.

The request of **Lorencic Revocable Trust (Owner)**, for property located at **209 Marcy Street** whereas relief is needed to construct a second story addition and a one story addition which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.521 to allow a 12 foot rear yard where 25 feet are required, and 2) Variance from Section 10.321 to allow a nonconforming building or structure to be extended, reconstructed or enlarged without conforming to the requirements of the Ordinance. Said property is located on Assessor Map 103 Lot 2 and lies within the General Residence B (GRB) and Historic Districts.

The request of **909 West End LLC and PWED2 LLC (Owners)**, for property located at **909 and 921 Islington Street** whereas relief is needed to construct a sign at 921 Islington Street that will be servicing the businesses located at 909 Islington Street which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.1253.10 to allow a setback of 4 feet from a lot line where 5 feet are required, 2) Variance from Section 10.1253.20 to allow a sign to be erected and maintained between the heights of 2.5 feet and 10 feet above the edge of the pavements grades where a driveway intersects with a street and lies within an area bounded by (a) the sidelines of the driveway and street and (b) lines joining points along said side lines to feet from the point of intersection, and 3) Variance from Section 10.1224.90 to allow a sign advertising a product or service not provided on the lot on which the sign is located (“off premise sign”). Said property is located on Assessor Map 172 Lots 7 & 10 and lies within the Character District 4-W (CD4-W).

The request of **35 Pines LLC (Owner)**, for property located at **295 Maplewood Avenue, Unit 1** whereas relief is needed to create a second driveway which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.521 to allow 0% open space where 25% is the minimum, and 2) Variance from Section 10.1114.31 to allow a second driveway where only one is permitted. Said property is located on Assessor Map 141 Lot 35-1 and lies within the Character District 4-L2 (CD4-L2) and Historic District.

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WILL BE HEARD ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025

The request of **Double Mc LLC (Owner)**, for property located at **134 Pleasant Street** whereas relief is needed for redevelopment of the existing commercial building and construction of horizontal and vertical building expansions for a mixed-use building with below-grade parking and the relocation of drive-through teller lanes, which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.440, Use #19.40 for a drive-through facility as an accessory to a permitted principle use; and 2) Variance from Section 10.331 to change the location and use of the drive-through facility. Said property is located on Assessor Map 116 Lot 30 and lies within the Character District 4 (CD4) and Historic District.

The request of **Tyler Garzo (Owner)**, for property located at **62 McKinley Road** whereas relief is needed to construct a detached accessory dwelling unit which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.1114.31 to allow a second driveway where only one is permitted. Said property is located on Assessor Map 268 Lot 26 and lies within the Single Residence B (SRB) District.

The request of **ZJBV Properties LLC (Owner) and Jason Michalak (Applicant)**, for property located at **180 Islington Street** whereas relief is needed to establish a personal service use for a tattoo studio which requires the following: 1) Special Exception from Section 10.440 Use #7.20 to allow a personal service use. Said property is located on Assessor Map 137 Lot 19 and lies within the Character District 4-L2 (CD4-L2) and Historic District.

The request of **Christopher J and Rachel A Delisle (Owners)**, for property located at **250 McKinley Road** whereas relief is needed to construct a second story addition to the primary structure which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.521 to allow a) 23 foot front yard where 30 feet are required, b) 0 foot right side yard where 10 feet is required; and 2) Variance from Section 10.321 to allow a nonconforming building or structure to be extended, reconstructed or enlarged without

conforming to the requirements of the Ordinance. Said property is located on Assessor Map 250 Lot 117 and lies within the Single Residence B (SRB) District.

The request of **Nuchow Hartzell Family Trust (Owner)**, for property located at **204 Aldrich Road** whereas relief is needed to construct an addition and ramp to the primary structure which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.521 to allow a) 3 foot right side yard where 10 feet is required, b) 7 foot left side yard where 10 feet is required, c) 31% building coverage where 20% is the maximum allowed; and 2) Variance from Section 10.321 to allow a nonconforming building or structure to be extended, reconstructed or enlarged without conforming to the requirements of the Ordinance. Said property is located on Assessor Map 153 Lot 26 and lies within the Single Residence B (SRB) District.

The request of **Trenton and Denise Sensiba (Owners)**, for property located at **0 and 12 Ruth Street** whereas relief is needed for a lot line adjustment which requires the following: 1) Variance from Section 10.521 for 20.66 feet of frontage on Map 143 Lot 16 where 100 feet is required. Said property is located on Assessor Map 143 Lots 16 and 9-1 and lies within the General Residence A (GRA) District.

Members of the public also have the option to join the meeting over Zoom, a unique meeting ID and password will be provided once you register. Registration information will be provided on the meeting agenda when it is posted to the web page. For technical assistance, please contact the Planning Department by email (Planning@portsmouthnh.gov) or by phone 603-610-7216.

Those interested in submitting written comments should email Planning@portsmouthnh.gov. Comments received by close of business the day before the meeting will be incorporated into the record of the meeting. Any comments received after this deadline must be submitted in person at the meeting.

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Director of Planning and Sustainability