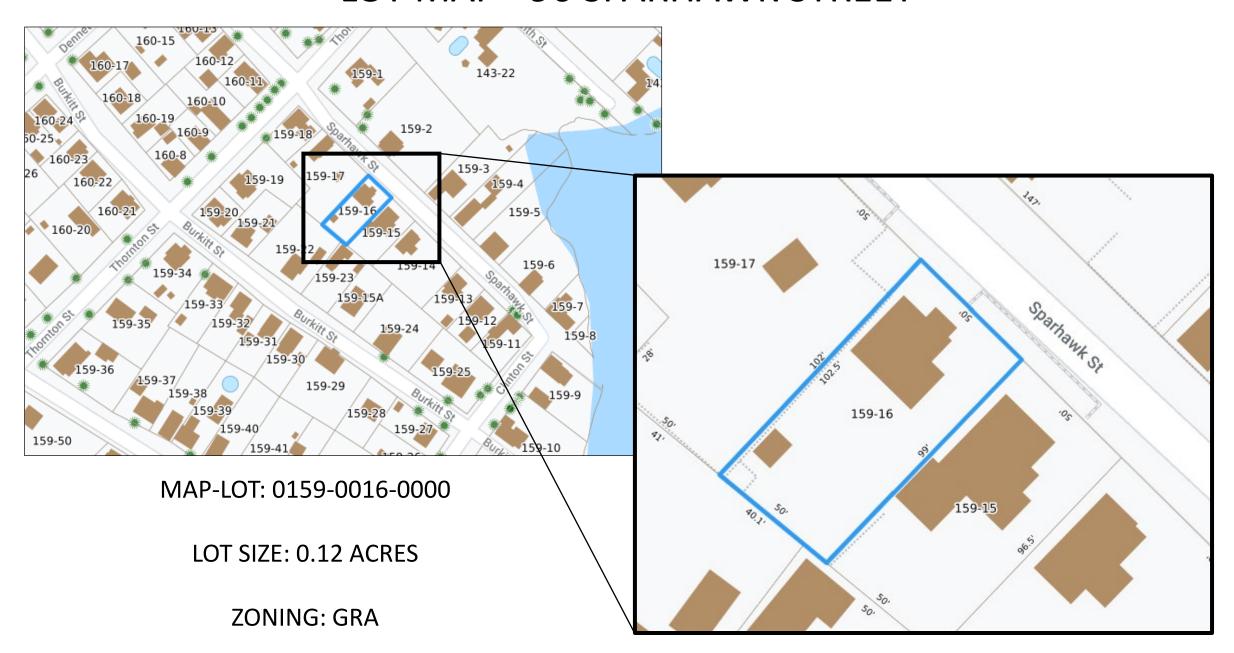


96 Sparhawk Street

Proposed Addition Emily and Adam Fitzpatrick

#### LOT MAP - 96 SPARHAWK STREET



#### PROJECT OVERVIEW – 96 SPARHAWK STREET





- PROPOSED ADDTION TO SINGLE FAMILY HOME
  - CURRENTLY 3 BEDROOM, 1.5 BATH HOME; APPROX. 1250 SQ. FT.
  - PROPOSAL FOR 4 BEDROOM, 2.5 BATH HOME; APPROX. 1900 SQ. FT.
  - ADDITION TO REAR OF EXSITING SHED IN REAR YARD

#### PROJECT OVERVIEW – 96 SPARHAWK STREET

The project consists of an addition to the existing structure at 96 Sparhawk Street

- Exterior changes as follows
  - Remove existing rear deck and add 12' addition to rear of structure, full width
  - Remove existing front deck and convert to structure with partial basement access underneath
  - Add nearly full-length dormer to southeast portion of the building
  - Remove and replace all existing siding, windows, roofing and doors
  - Add rear addition to existing shed structure in rear yard
- Interior changes as follows
  - Open existing first floor living space to new 12' rear addition.
  - Relocate existing first floor half bath from current location to front of new structure
  - Remove and replace existing stairs to bring into compliance with current codes
  - Replace existing second floor bathroom with laundry room
  - Add to the second floor: 2 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 closets
  - Add pull down access to attic space for potential storage use
- Systems changes as follows
  - Replace existing clay sewer line with new
  - Replace existing galvanized water line with new
  - Expand use of existing forced hot air furnace to new first floor area and second floor
  - Replace existing oil tank with new
  - Replace existing 100A electrical panel with new 200A electrical panel
  - Update plumbing and electrical as needed
  - Add two new mini-splits for heating and cooling of first and second floor

### PROJECT VARIANCE REQUESTS – 96 SPARHAWK STREET

## Addition to primary dwelling – Side yard setback

1) Request 4 Ft setback in side yard where 10 Ft is required.

This allows alignment with existing primary structure and will not greatly impact the adjoining property visually or otherwise.

#### Addition to primary dwelling – Front yard setback

2) Request 8 Ft setback in front yard where 15 Ft is required.

This replaces existing wood deck with primary structure. No relief is needed beyond the existing location of wood deck. Examining other structures along Sparhawk St., this is not out of character concerning street alignment.

## Addition to rear yard shed - Side yard and rear yard setback

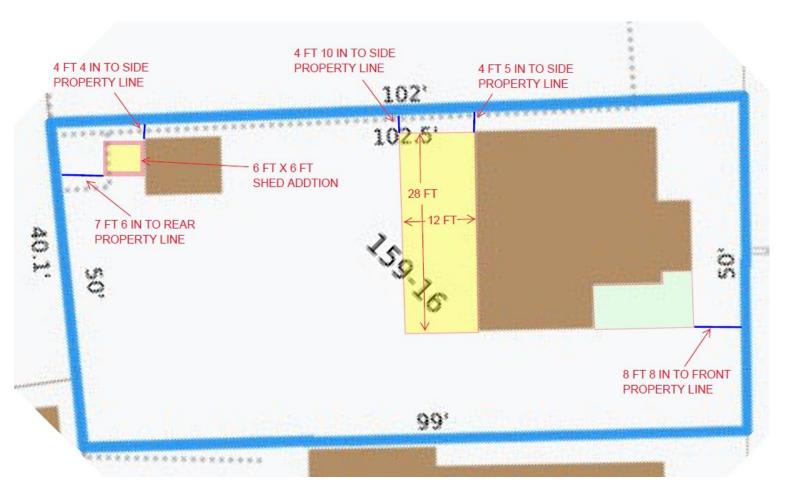
3) Request 4 Ft setback in side yard where 9.5 Ft (building height) is required.

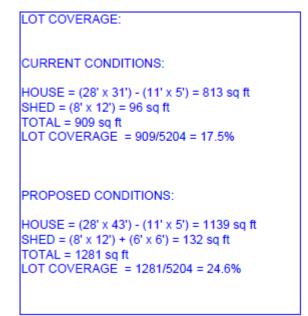
This allows for alignment with existing shed structure and because of the location, will not greatly impact adjoining property visually or otherwise.

4) Request 7 Ft setback in rear yard where 9.5 Ft (building height) is required.

This allows expansion of existing shed into area of limited use and because of the location, will not greatly impact adjoining property visually or otherwise.

#### BUILDING LAYOUT ON LOT – 96 SPARHAWK STREET

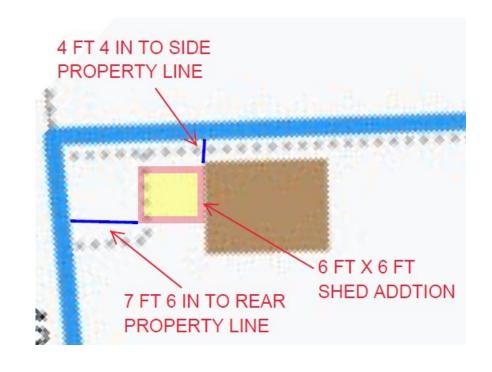




- **Existing Structure** 
  - Existing Front Deck Replaced with Structure
- Addition to Existing Structure
- Addition to New Shed

#### SHED ADDITION – REAR YARD – 96 SPARHAWK STREET





- PROPOSED ADDTION 8x12 SHED
  - FOR USE AS GARDEN SHED
  - BASEMENT AND ATTIC CURRENTLY UNSUABLE FOR STORAGE
  - EXISTING SHED TO PROVIDE STORAGE SPACE
  - REAR ROOF TO STEP DOWN FROM EXISTING SHED ROOF



**Rear View** 



**Shed Location** 

## CRITERIA FOR THE VARIANCE – 96 SPARHAWK STREET

- 1) The variances are not contrary to the public interest and 2) the variances are consistent with the spirit of the ordinance in that the proposed changes are consistent with the existing neighborhood. The proposed changes to the primary structure and shed conform to many other single family homes in the neighborhood and do not threaten public health, safety, or welfare, or otherwise injure "public rights." The spirit of the ordinance is not to deter this type of expansion of a single family home.
- 3) Substantial justice is done in that no harm to the general public or other individuals is created, therefore, any benefits created cannot outweigh that harm.
- 4) The values of surrounding properties will not be diminished in that many homes in the neighborhood have undergone similar additions and updates and generally, the property values in the neighborhood have continued upward. Expansion of this property will not create any conditions which should tend to lower any property values nearby. Additional value created in this property by improving an older home should add to the value of the neighborhood as a whole.
- **5)** Literal enforcement of the provisions of the Ordinance would result in an unnecessary hardship in that the existing location of the structure on the property does not allow reasonable expansion without violation of the current ordinances. The property is a narrow lot (50') compared to the current requirement (70') and relocating a home on the lot is not a practical solution. The project is being proposed in a manner to minimize impacts which do not already exist. Expansion toward the rear maintains the same side yard impacts as already exist. Replacement of the front wood porch with primary structure does not add any setback issue which does not currently exist. An addition to the rear of the shed is consistent with the use of that area of yard currently.

The following pages include references as described

- Images of the current conditions
- Complete lot survey
- Lot markup with proposed new building locations
- Additional views of project plans
- Project floor plans

# **Existing Condition - Rear View**



# Existing Condition - Rear View



# Existing Condition – Northwest Side Yard View



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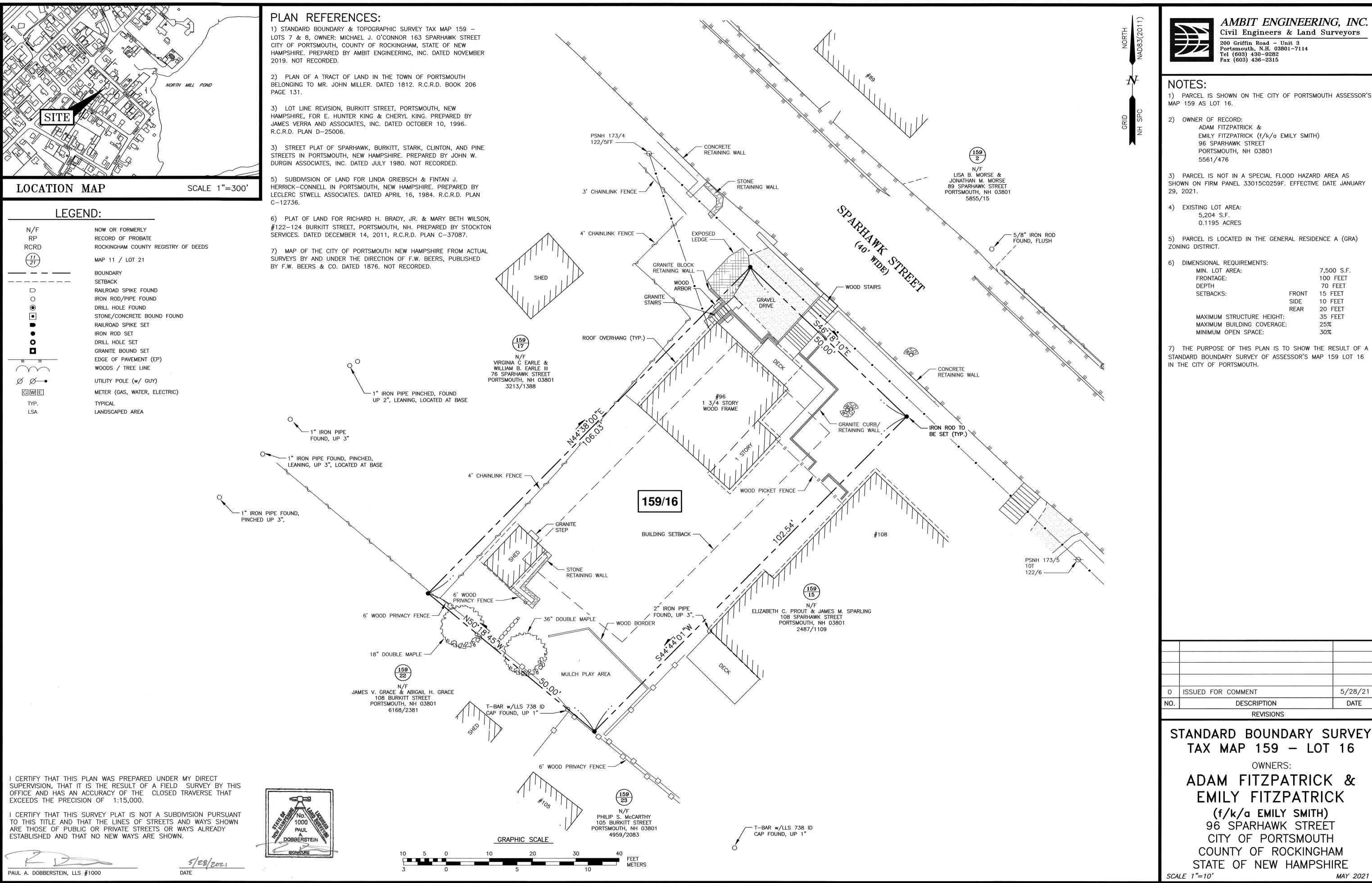


**Street View** 

**Rear View** 

# **Existing Condition - Street View**





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