



## Town of South Kingstown

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# ZONING BOARD of REVIEW MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday January 19, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

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## AGENDA ITEMS:

### A. CALL TO ORDER

### B. CHAIRMAN INTRODUCTIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS

### C. AGENDA ITEMS \* Order can be subject to change\*

- I. **Continuation of the Petition of Jacquelyn French**, 14 Eldred Court, South Kingstown, RI 02879 for a **Dimensional Variance Extension** under the Zoning Ordinance as follows: The applicant is seeking a **one-year extension** of the expiration date for a Dimensional Variance granted on December 16, 2020 and recorded on January 5, 2021, Land Evidence Book 1772, Pages 121-122. **Request made pursuant to Sec. 910(A) of the Zoning Ordinance.** Owner of the property is Jacquelyn M. French for premises located at 14 Eldred Court, South Kingstown, RI, Assessor's Map 57-4, Lot 218 and is zoned R-10.

[Extension Request, 14 Eldred Court](#)

- II. **Petition of Michelle Quirk c/o South County Survey Co. LLC**, 382-B Main Street, South Kingstown, RI 02879 for a **Dimensional Variance Extension** under the Zoning Ordinance as follows: The applicant is seeking a **one-year extension** of the expiration date for a Dimensional Variance granted on December 16, 2020 and recorded on January 5, 2021, Land Evidence Book 1772, Pages 123-124. **Request made pursuant to Sec. 910(A) of the Zoning Ordinance.** Owner of the property is Michelle Quirk for premises located at 59 Browning Street, South Kingstown, RI, Assessor's Map 96-1, Lot 32 and is zoned R-30.

[Extension Request, 59 Browning Street](#)

- III. **Continuation of the Petition of Thomas Rock**, 5 Sunrise Lane, South Windsor, CT 06074 a **Dimensional Variance** under the Zoning Ordinance as follows: The applicant is seeking to construct an 8' x 22', two-story addition to the west side of the single-family dwelling. The applicant also seeks to extend the attached deck and stairs 4' closer to the west side property line. The deck will be located 3' from the side property line and 8' from the front property line. The required side and front yard setbacks are 11' and 40', respectively. Side yard relief of 8' and front yard relief of 32' are requested. Lot size is .32 acres. **A Dimensional Variance is required per Zoning Ordinance Section 207 (Nonconforming Lots of Record – Building Setback Requirements) and Section 907 (Standards of Relief).** Owners of the property are Thomas & Diana Rock for premises located at 162 Green Hill Ocean Drive, South Kingstown, Assessor's Map 96-1, Lot 7 and is zoned R80.

[Application, 162 Green Hill Ocean Drive](#)

- IV. **Continuation of the Petition of Alexander Gabriele**, 433 Main Street, South Kingstown, RI 02879 for a **Dimensional Variance** under the Zoning Ordinance as follows: The applicant is seeking to construct a second story on the existing 38' x 50' detached garage. The proposed roof height will be 28'. The maximum height allowed for accessory structures is 20'. Relief of 8' is requested. Lot size is 14 acres. **A Dimensional Variance is required per Zoning Ordinance Section 401**

**(Schedule of Dimensional Regulations) and Section 907 (Standards of Relief).** Owner of the property is Kathleen F. Rorick for premises located at 158A Sherman Road, South Kingstown, Assessor's Map 82-4, Lot 75 and zoned R80.

[Application, 158A Sherman Road](#)

- V. **Continuation of the Petition of Edward Baxter**, 33 Atlantic Blvd., North Providence, RI 02911 for a **Dimensional Variance** under the Zoning Ordinance as follows: The applicant is seeking to construct a 14' x 18' garage with a deck and breezeway attached to the single-family dwelling. The garage will be located 24' from the front property line. The required front yard setback is 35'. Relief of 11' is requested. The Lot size is .3 acres. **A Dimensional Variance is required per Zoning Ordinance Section 207 (Nonconforming lots of record-Building setback requirements) and Section 907 (Standards of Relief).** Owner of the property is Lisbeth Pettengill for premises located at 186 Little Rest Road, South Kingstown, Assessor's Map 23-3, Lot 10 and is zoned R20.

[Application, 186 Little Rest Road](#)

- VI. **Petition of Union Fire District of South Kingstown**, PO Box 327, Wakefield, RI 02880 for a **Dimensional Variance** under the Zoning Ordinance as follows: The applicant is seeking to replace the existing fire station with a 5,075 square foot fire station and to construct a 1,890 square foot auxiliary building for emergency medical services. The proposed access driveway will be 18' wide. The required width for two-way traffic is 24'. Relief of 6' is requested. Proposed parking on the premises will consist of ten (10) spaces. Sixteen (16) spaces are required. Relief of six (6) spaces is requested. The Planning Board granted advisory Development Plan Review approval on November 23, 2021. Lot size is .73 acres. **A Dimensional Variance is required per Zoning Ordinance Section 708 (Width of Access Driveways), Section 711 (Minimum Off-Street Parking Requirements) and Section 907 (Standards of Relief).** Owner of the property is Union Fire District for premises located at 49 Matunuck School House Road, South Kingstown, Assessor's Map 86-2, Lot 32 and is zoned GI (Government and Institutional).

[Application, 49 Matunuck School House Road](#)

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**D. OTHER ITEMS:**

- I. Discussion of Garrett Homes Decision recorded January 5, 2022
- II. Discussion regarding new effective date of State-level wetlands regulations
- III. Approval of November 17, 2021 & December 15, 2021 Zoning Board of Review Minutes
- IV. Attendance for January 26, 2022 Zoning Board of Review

**E. ADJOURNMENT**

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