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6	REGULAR/WORK SESSION	
7	Third Street Firehouse Greenport, New York	X
8	November 7, 2019	
9	4:00 p.m. p.m.	
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11	BEFORE:	
12	WALTER FOOTE - CHAIRMAN	
13	JOHN COTUNGO - MEMBER	
14	REED KYRK - MEMBER	
15	LILY DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON - MEMBER	
16	PATRICIA HAMMES - MEMBER	
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18	PAUL PALLAS - VILLAGE ADMINISTRATOR	
19	ROBERT CONNOLLY - PLANNING BOARD ATTORNEY	
20	KRISTINA LINGG - CLERK TO THE BOARD	
21	AMANDA AURICHIO - CLERK TO THE BOARD	
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Page 2 Work/Regular 11-7-19 1 2 CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Good afternoon. 3 This is the Village of Greenport 4 Planning Board. It's a work session and 5 regular meeting combined. It's November 7, 6 a little after 4:00 p.m. 7 I'd like to first make an 8 announcement that, for all of you that are 9 here for the 123 Sterling Hearing, there is 10 gonna be no hearing tonight. 11 We've made an arrangement and 12 scheduled a special meeting a week from 13 today, Thursday, November 14 at 4:00 p.m. at 14 the firehouse, so if you're here to hear any 15 discussion on that tonight you'll be 16 disappointed. 17 And I'd also like to differ to 18 Paul; he'd like to make an announcement. 19 MR. PALLAS: I just wanted to let 20 everybody, the Board know and the public, 21 Kristina Lingg is moving on to greener 22 pastures, and Amanda Aurichio will be taking 23 her place as clerk to the board. 24 CHAIRMAN FOOTE: We're sorry to see 25 Kristina go. And welcome, Amanda, you don't

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2	know what you're getting into.
3	Now we're in the work session.
4	Item number, motion the accept and
5	approve the minutes of the October 3, 2019
6	Planning Board meeting.
7	Do I have a second?
8	MR. COTUGNO: Second.
9	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: All those in
10	favor?
11	MS. HAMMES: Aye.
12	MR. KYRK: Aye.
13	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Aye.
14	MR. COTUGNO: Aye.
15	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: We accept those
16	minutes as part of the record.
17	Item number 2, is a motion
18	Now, we're gonna schedule a
19	special meeting for November 14, correct?
20	MS. LINGG: Correct.
21	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: So that we're
22	gonna do right now.
23	That's gonna be specifically for
24	123 Sterling and at 4:00 p.m.
25	Now, at this time, I'd like to ask
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2	the Board and the Building Department, were
3	we, were weren't initially planning to
4	schedule a November 23 meeting.
5	Why was that on this agenda?
6	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: I think
7	it's just because we used to do the work
8	session and then
9	MS. HAMMES: because of the
LO	amount that's on the agenda
L1	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Okay.
L2	MS. HAMMES: we need to go back
L3	to having two sessions.
L 4	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I have no problem
L5	doing that, except we have the second session
L 6	on the 14th. Are we really prepared to have
L7	three sessions?
L8	MS. HAMMES: Well, the 14th, we're
L 9	only doing the pre-submission for 123,
20	correct?
21	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Well, I
22	MS. HAMMES: won't be for public
23	comments, it will just be for presentation to
24	the Board.
25	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Right.
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2	MS. HAMMES: So I suspect that
3	won't be as long as a public hearing.
4	I'm just concerned that we're
5	backing into the holiday with a number of
6	public hearings that we're going to have, so
7	I don't know I mean, I differ to
8	everybody, but we need to keep that in mind.
9	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I think it's
10	probably a good idea. I don't have an
11	objection to it in particular.
12	So is that date available?
13	Kristina, is the 21st available if we wanted
14	to schedule another session?
15	MS. LINGG: It's not for this month
16	anymore.
17	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: So we can do it,
18	so that's just
19	We're just scheduling the special
20	meeting for 123 Sterling for the 14th.
21	May I have a second on that
22	motion?
23	MR. COTUGNO: Second.
24	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: All those in
25	favor?
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	MS. HAMMES: I'm abstaining.
3	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Okay.
4	Anybody have any question on this?
5	(No response.)
6	I'd like to move to accept those
7	findings and determinations.
8	Do I have a second?
9	MR. COTUGNO: Second.
10	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: All those in
11	favor?
12	MR. KYRK: Aye.
13	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Aye.
14	MR. COTUGNO: Aye.
15	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Motion carries.
16	The next item is in regards to 326
17	Front Street.
18	This is a discussion and possible
19	motion of the Board to provide comments
20	regarding the application of the Greenporter
21	located at 326 Front Street at the request
22	of the Zoning Board of Appeals.
23	This is Suffolk County Tax Map
24	number 1001-4-8 lot 29, lot 30 and lot 31.
25	Is there anybody at this time that
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wants to speak further on behalf of the applicant on this?

MS. HAMMES: Walter, I guess I would be interested in hearing exactly what feedback the ZBA is waiting for is on; given, I tried to watch the tape and it wasn't, as you know, available, so it's not totally clear to me, is there a specific point they want feedback on, or they just want to know where we stand in general on the whole thing?

If it's in general, we still have never had a public hearing on it on our side, and I wouldn't feel comfortable commenting pending having that public hearing.

CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Is it appropriate for us, if there is a member of the Zoning Board to ask the member to speak on their behalf?

MR. CONNOLLY: I was at the Zoning
Board meeting, and I think what the Zoning
Board is looking for were comments on the
overall height of the structure and the
parking, the application for the variance and

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2 the parking.

CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Okay.

Because the way it evolved in front of us, at the direction, I think of the Building Department, were told to differ those determinations to the Zoning Board because the height restriction part of the variance, as I understand, and as well as the parking.

Now, if the Zoning Board would like to get our views and our perspective in terms of how these may impact the public, I think we have to have a further discussion about it, but I don't think we're prepared to really talk about it right now.

Unless anybody wants the weigh in on it at this point.

MS. HAMMES: I have a couple of related points. I agree with you, as you know, that's kind of my view and I, frankly, wouldn't be comfortable commenting on it without a public hearing. I believe the ZBA has had a public hearing on it, and I actually was there for part of that; but I

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don't know that other Board members were, and I don't know how they would feel commenting on something without having heard from the public on it.

I guess it wasn't ever really clear to me definitively what the variances were that were requested. All we were told at the last meeting we had was there would be some, so I'd still like clarification on exactly what those are, if it's height and parking.

And if it's parking, I guess I'd still like very precise numbers in terms of what parking would be required if the exemption didn't apply, assuming, well, whether the restaurant stayed in business or if it was closed.

On the point about deferring this to the ZBA, I do believe, and you guys can correct me if I'm wrong, but I looked at the code and I think the question, if we made determination of parking requirement, I believe the determination on the pilot payment or payment in lieu of parking is a

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Planning Board decision, not a ZBA decision; so the ZBA can grant them, I believe, the variance, but if they don't, then it would be up to us whether or not it would require them to do the payment; is that correct?

MR. PALLAS: Yes, but the order of that is the opposite.

If ZBA were to grant the variance, then you can't then go ask them for money at that the point. The concept would be, the payment in lieu would then reduce the necessity for the variance, reduce it in terms of how many spaces the variance would need or eliminate it all together. I don't remember, I think this one would reduce the variance, if I remember correctly. I think there is a maximum of 20 that you could buy in the code in lieu of a variance.

That decision would have to -
There's two opportunities to make that

decision. You can make it up front, or if

the Zoning Board of Appeals does not grant

the variance, they can come back to this

Board to pay, then they go back to ZBA for

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on the height and the parking; and we're, you know, I was under the impression that we're really just, you know, it was out of our jurisdiction per se. We were letting Zoning handle it because it required a zoning variance.

If, in fact, we have input, it's really not something that we've had any discussion about yet. It's something that we probably should have a discussion about if we have an opinion on it, if Zoning is looking for our input on it.

So I guess, to the extent that there seems to be somewhat of a stalemate with the Zoning Board in terms of this application, and it needs to come back before us to weigh in further on these points, then maybe that's what we need to do.

I just need a little guidance here in terms --

MR. CONNOLLY: I don't think there is a stalemate at the Zoning Board. I think they're just asking for the Planning Board's

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2	input on how the variances might affect the
3	health, safety and welfare of the Village.
4	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Okay.
5	How would we express that, through
6	a letter or what kind of
7	MR. CONNOLLY: You can have a
8	discussion on it, I guess once everybody is
9	more up to speed on the application, then
10	write a letter.
11	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: So why don't we
12	differ that discussion until our next
13	meeting, which would be December 5.
14	MS. HAMMES: I think we need to
15	have a public hearing. We haven't had a
16	public hearing.
17	MR. CONNOLLY: In New York State
18	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: public hearing.
19	MR. CONNOLLY: Planning Boards
20	are able to give input to the Zoning board
21	when requested.
22	MS. HAMMES: But if we give that
23	input, presumably, I mean, what happens when
24	it comes back to us? How much leeway are we
25	really gonna have to revisit it?

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2	MR. CONNOLLY: It would just be,
3	they're just asking specifically for the
4	issuance of the variances.
5	MS. HAMMES: Okay.
6	MR. PALLAS: If I may, Mr.
7	Chairman, I can send out I meant to do
8	this, I apologize, I didn't do it in advance,
9	tomorrow, Tuesday at the latest, I will send
10	out the Notice of Disapproval to all of you.
11	I think you had asked what would
12	the variance have been if they needed the
13	restaurant, I can see if I can see if I'm
14	permitted to do that because it's not in the
15	Notice, but the minimum you will get a copy
16	of the Notice by early next week.
17	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: The height
18	variance is for the solar panels; is that
19	correct?
20	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: No, it's for the
21	entire third floor.
22	MS. HAMMES: I thought it was the
23	solar panels and the edging that put it over
24	the 35 feet?
25	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: That's what
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2	I remember too.
3	MR. PALLAS: It's also three
4	stories. It's the fact that the way the code
5	reads, it's three stories or 35 feet, and
6	historically, we've always been
7	interpreted well, that's what's before the
8	Zoning Board.
9	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: So meaning
10	it's over the 35 feet
11	MR. PALLAS: Over 35 feet
12	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: three stories.
13	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: So they
14	always need the variance for the third floor?
15	MR. COTUGNO: I think it's a good
16	idea that the Zoning Board asked for our
17	opinion.
18	In fact, there is another project
19	a few years ago, I wish they would have
20	asked for that before they granted all the
21	variances.
22	MS. HAMMES: So then would the next
23	steps be for us, we could do it on the 14th
24	if it doesn't run too long for us to have a

discussion with the Board and craft a reply?

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CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I don't think we should mix it with the 14th meeting, I think we should do that separately. It's going be a large crowd here for that alone.

MS. HAMMES: Are we gonna take comments at a pre-submission hearing?

CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Again, we don't need to get public comments on that, it will

MS. HAMMES: Public comments on 123 Sterling, it's not a public, that won't be a public hearing.

CHAIRMAN FOOTE: If we have enough time leftover, I suppose we can add it to the end of that meeting. I think we should make sure we have a certain amount of time for the 123 Sterling.

Actually, let's go ahead and tentatively schedule it for the next meeting as well, 14th and --

MS. HAMMES: Just we're all on the same page, that will just be a discussion here among us, it won't be a public hearing, so there will be a discussion recalling what

Page 18 Work/Regular 11-7-19 1 2 was presented to us previously along with 3 whatever you provide us and we'll perhaps get 4 points we think we should send back to the 5 ZBA. 6 CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Right. 7 MS. HAMMES: And then you would put 8 that in a letter and that letter, hopefully, 9 and we would approve that letter at the 10 December 5 meeting. 11 CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Very good. 12 Do I need a second and an approval 13 or can we move on? 14 Okay. 15 Item 6, pre-submission conference 16 for the application of the Miller Family 17 2012 Irrevocable Trust, represented by 18 attorney Patricia C. Moore. 19 The applicant proposes the 20 addition of two new rooms for a total of 21 five rooms for the bed & breakfast located 22 in the R-2 One- and Two-Family District. 23 This property is not located in the Historic 24 District. 25 It's located at Suffolk County Tax

Page 19 Work/Regular 11-7-19 1 2 map 1001-6-8-18.1. 3 Is there anybody that would like 4 to speak? 5 Hi. Do you want to go up and talk 6 about it? 7 MS. MOORE: Good evening. Patricia Moore on behalf of the 8 9 Miller Family Trust. Leueen Miller is here 10 as well. 11 We are intending to add two rooms 12 to an existing B&B. We gave you the site 13 plan. 14 The regulations provide for a 15 certain number of parking spaces and access 16 and so on, and all that was shown on the 17 survey. It's been way throughout the time. The Millier's have -- they're down to one 18 19 car, so the rest of the parking spaces that 20 are all existing are available for the 21 quests. 22 The two rooms that we're talking 23 about are one room that is on the second 24 floor that had been part of their private,

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one of the rooms that they retained

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Page 20 Work/Regular 11-7-19 1 2 privately. And then the bedroom that is 3 part of an annex had been, had been a 4 separate pre-existing cottage and over some 5 issues with the Building Department, it 6 ultimately became, the kitchen was removed, 7 and now it's a bedroom suite. So that room 8 and one on the second floor, which is a 9 relatively small room would be added to the 10 number of the already-existing three-bedroom 11 B&B. 12 So that is the application and if 13 you need additional information, we'll have 14 it for you at the meeting, if you need it. 15 MS. HAMMES: Is this something that 16 is requiring a Building Permit or it's just 17 the site plan? 18 MR. PALLAS: You're not doing --19 MS. MOORE: It's just site plan. 20 MR. PALLAS: -- just site plan. 21 MS. HAMMES: I know the Board of 22 Trustee recently did something with respect 23 to B&B Law, right, increased it to five? 24 MR. PALLAS: Right. 25 MS. HAMMES: So was it increased to

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five subject to site plan approval or would they just normally have to come because she's increasing it?

I'm just trying to understand why we're here because I know you've been through a lot having been to the meetings.

MR. PALLAS: The code requires B&B to be approved by this Board.

MS. MOORE: The original law has -the only method of review was site plan review, that's what the original B&B had. When the legislation changed from three to five, the only modification to the code was the number of rooms, so the process remained what was the original process in place; so we're here to complete the, essentially amendment or it's technically, I guess, an amendment to the original site plan because we are adding two rooms and then after we get the site plan approval then those rooms are existing, they already have COs, they're ready to be occupied. It's just a matter of going through the final process.

CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Has the planner or

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2	the Building Department reviewed this for
3	compliance with the building code?
4	MR. PALLAS: No, we didn't send it
5	to the planner; but we reviewed it, and it
6	does meet the requirements.
7	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Is does.
8	Does each new bedroom have its own
9	separate bathroom, or is it required to?
10	MR. PALLAS: It's not required.
11	MS. MOORE: Does the bedroom
12	upstairs have its own bathroom?
13	MS. MILLER: Yes.
14	MS. MOORE: Okay. So they both
15	actually have their own bathrooms. I know
16	the one does, Leueen Miller just confirmed
17	that the one on the second floor does.
18	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: And is this, you
19	confirmed this complies with the parking
20	requirement?
21	MR. PALLAS: Yes.
22	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Does the trigger
23	any requirement on fire code for sprinklers
24	or anything like that?
25	MR. PALLAS: Not that I'm aware of,
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2	but we will review it for that. I don't
3	believe it's required that in this case.
4	MR. COTUGNO: Should definitely
5	have smoke detectors.
6	MS. MOORE: Yes.
7	MR. PALLAS: That would part of the
8	routine inspection, we would check for those
9	things anyway.
10	MS. MOORE: All of those things
11	were required with the original B&B bedrooms.
12	As I said, when we met with the safety,
13	health, safety provisions under the same
14	building code for the three bedrooms that
15	were previously being rented; so we will
16	continue to be compliant with the addition of
17	the additional two bedrooms.
18	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Does anyone else
19	have any questions at this time?
20	(No response.)
21	Is this something we need to open
22	to a public hearing, or we can move on it?
23	MR. CONNOLLY: You have to have a
24	public hearing.
25	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Okay.
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2	So at this time, with the Board's		
3	permission, I'd like to schedule a public		
4	hearing for December 5.		
5	Do I have a second on that?		
6	MR. COTUGNO: Second.		
7	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Okay.		
8	All those in favor?		
9	MS. HAMMES: Aye.		
10	MR. KYRK: Aye.		
11	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Aye.		
12	MR. COTUGNO: Aye.		
13	MS. MILLER: Thank you.		
14	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: You're welcome.		
15	Next item, 424 Fourth Street, a		
16	pre-submission conference for the		
17	application of 415 Kaplan Avenue, Greenport		
18	Inc., represented by owner James		
19	Olinkiewicz.		
20	The applicant proposes the		
21	construction of a two-family dwelling for		
22	the property located at 415 Kaplan Avenue.		
23	This property is located in the		
24	R-2 One- and two-Family District. This		
25	property not in the Historic District.		
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MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Well, I can tell
you from the size of the parking, the reason
why the parking lot is that big is because I
also own 411 Kaplan right next door, which
has two rental properties that park there.
That was pre-existing when I bought it, so we
didn't have any parking requirement, so we're
gonna add extra parking in the back of 415 to
help accommodate some of the parking for 411
Kaplan and take some of the extra stress
off of the street and have off-street parking
for some of the other tenants.

CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Why doesn't 411
Kaplan have sufficient parking on its own?

MR. OLINKIEWICZ: It's pretty much built property line to property line to property line. There is no real parking for it at all. There's only two parking spots in the rear that get access from another property I own at 510 Madison Avenue that when we came here to make the two apartments at Kaplan, it was accepted to have an easement to come across, so they had parking in the back.

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apartment in the back 411 Kaplan and a three-bedroom in the front and a husband, wife and 16-year-old kid in the front or 17-year-old now, so there's three cars there and there's one or two in the back apartment with a husband, wife and little baby, so there's five spots that are needed. It's not enough. And that's the pre-existing grandfathered building, that we were doing; so I'm trying to help the Village by accommodating more parking on this piece that I'm purchasing.

MR. CONNOLLY: What do you mean by future garage?

MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Future garage.

You're allowed to build a garage in the

Village on your property. You're allowed to

rent two spots in your garage to people if

you want to and house cars and everything

else.

It's within five feet of the property line. It could never be developed into another rental property as a house, but

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2	keeping it five feet off the property line,
3	you're still able to build a garage on any
4	Village lot.
5	MR. COTUGNO: Is it part of this
6	application, or not?
7	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: It's to be
8	addressed at this time, yes because I would
9	be wanting to build that within, maybe at the
10	same time, maybe within a year's time of the
11	construction of the house.
12	MR. COTUGNO: Then you should
13	provide a plan for the garage.
14	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: I do not have a
15	plan.
16	MR. COTUGNO: It's neither here nor
17	there.
18	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Okay.
19	MR. COTUGNO: It just says future
20	garage. I don't like the word future.
21	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Okay.
22	MR. COTUGNO: If it's part of this
23	application, then it's here; if it's in the
24	future, it's not part of this application.
25	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Then it could be
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2	in the future because at that time, I don't
3	need to come to the Planning Board to build a
4	garage on my property. It doesn't have to be
5	reviewed, so that's how come it says future
6	garage, I didn't feel
7	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I have a question
8	for the Building Department.
9	Every time there's a two family
10	how many parking spaces are they supposed to
11	have onsite?
12	MR. PALLAS: Three.
13	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Three, so you're
14	creating six?
15	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Correct.
16	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: With the intent
17	that the other three, they're going to be
18	overflow on your other properties?
19	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Correct.
20	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: And the other
21	property is also two family?
22	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Correct.
23	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: And that has how
24	many parking spots, you said only two?
25	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Correct.
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is more dangerous for your insurance than a shower is; so when you take that into account, you can't have elderly because they have problems getting in and out of the bathtub.

Sometimes when people need affordable housing, they have their parents, their grandparents and maybe a couple of kids so you're taking that into account. A person can put a little tiny portable bathtub and the kid can sit in it inside the shower.

It doesn't say anywhere in New York State Code that you have to have a tub in every apartment.

MR. COTUGNO: I've just seen them in every house I've ever been in for the last 66 years.

Seems like an awful lot of bedrooms and very little living space.

In fact, there is a ratio that requires and I'd ask you to ask our consultant. This didn't go through the consultant yet, right?

Page 32 Work/Regular 11-7-19 1 2 MR. PALLAS: We have not routinely 3 sent residential projects to the consultant. 4 MR. COTUGNO: Well, I would like it 5 to go to him because there is a calculation 6 based on the number of bedrooms, how much 7 living space and dining space you need. 8 MR. OLINKIEWICZ: The building 9 inspectors normally make that decision as 10 well as the engineer that drew the plans 11 usually makes that decision. 12 MR. COTUGNO: We have a consultant. 13 MR. OLINKIEWICZ: And calculate 14 that. 15 CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Hey, Rob, is this 16 property zoned to permit the excess parking 17 on the property? MR. CONNOLLY: I believe three 18 19 spots is the minimum that's required for a 20 two family, so they can keep it easements, 21 private easements between the properties, 22 nothing preventing from doing that. 23 MR. PALLAS: I will point out to 24 the Board, there is a variance that will be 25 required for this property as well.

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2	if the lot was over fifty feet wide, you
3	didn't have to go I thought it was a
4	stipulation the Village code.
5	MR. PALLAS: I will confirm that
6	before I will confirm this, I believe
7	it let me rephrase, it may need a
8	variance, I'll confirm that and I'll let the
9	Board know as soon as I know.
10	MR. OLINKIEWICZ: Will that prevent
11	us from scheduling a public hearing here in
12	case, for December?
13	MR. PALLAS: I don't know if
14	they're in a position to do that anyway,
15	that's not the schedule
16	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Well, I have no
17	problem scheduling it at that time.
18	Does anybody else any more
19	comments to talk about at this point?
20	(No response.)
21	So let's schedule it. Gosh, I
22	think the fifth is already filling up pretty
23	well; but we can try for the fifth. How
24	about that, put it on the docket for the
25	fifth and see what happens.

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2	MR. COTUGNO: The first thing to do
3	is figure out if it needs a variance.
4	Would we have to refer it to the
5	Zoning Board?
6	MR. PALLAS: The practice has been
7	when you folks make that statement that it's
8	going to the Zoning Board, you don't schedule
9	it, but this in a house, so you've also done
10	it the other way.
11	Again, I will let you know
12	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I'm all for
13	keeping things as efficient as possible as
14	long as it doesn't cut off our ability to
15	review it. So I don't mind scheduling it for
16	the fifth and
17	Why don't we do that?
18	MR. COTUGNO: Do we have to vote on
19	it.
20	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I'm not sure. We
21	can vote on it if you want.
22	MR. COTUGNO: Second.
23	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: All in favor?
24	MS. HAMMES: Aye.
25	MR. KYRK: Aye.
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2	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Aye.
3	MR. COTUGNO: Aye.
4	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Next item, 471
5	Main Street. A pre-submission conference for
6	the application of Emily Demarchelier,
7	represented by Architect Robert I. Brown.
8	The applicant proposes interior
9	renovations to accommodate the new use of a
10	cafe and bar for the property located at 471
11	Main Street.
12	The property is located in the CR
13	Commercial Retail District.
14	This property is also located in
15	the Historic District.
16	Suffolk County Tax map number
17	1001-4-7-21.
18	MR. BROWN: Good afternoon. Robert
19	Brown, Architect for Demarchelier.
20	The proposal is for a French
21	bistro in what has been a gallery next to

Main Street, 471 Main.

The plan is pretty straight

forward. If you have any questions, I'm

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the saki restaurant at the commercial end of

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2	happy to address them and Ms. Demarchelier
3	is here as well if I can't answer.
4	MR. COTUGNO: What is the existing
5	conditions, is it just one big open space?
6	MR. BROWN: Yes.
7	MR. COTUGNO: So the bathroom is
8	not there?
9	MR. BROWN: The bathroom is there,
10	yes.
11	MR. COTUGNO: That big handicap
12	bathroom is there?
13	MR. BROWN: Yes, it there.
14	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: So I noticed there
15	were two bathrooms, is the second bathroom on
16	the second floor?
17	MS. HAMMES: No, the second
18	bathroom is the Sterling Saki bathroom,
19	right?
20	MR. BROWN: Yes.
21	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: You only have one
22	bathroom.
23	MR. BROWN: One bathroom, yes.
24	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Is that compliant
25	with the code to be just one bathroom for the
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2	restaurant? Yes.
3	MR. COTUGNO: Aren't they gonna
4	serve alcohol there?
5	MR. BROWN: Yes.
6	MR. COTUGNO: You should definitely
7	check that. I think you need two bathrooms
8	when there's alcohol being served and the
9	number of seats.
10	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Sterling
11	Saki only has one.
12	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I think it was a
13	restaurant before, this was an antique store
14	or something now.
15	MR. PALLAS: I'd have to check.
16	MR. COTUGNO: Can you check with
17	our consultant?
18	MR. PALLAS: Yes. I would want
19	comment. We are awaiting comments from the
20	consultant on this. We have not received
21	them as of yet.
22	A lot of these applications came
23	in at the last minute, so he's a little bit
24	overwhelmed with applications, and we were
25	missing some documents until today, I think.

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2	You will have, I expect you receive will
3	comments well in advance of any hearing will
4	be scheduled.
5	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: I
6	appreciated the menu being included. There's
7	gonna be just a wine bar or is it gonna be
8	liquor?
9	MS. DEMARCHELIER: Wine and liquor.
LO	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Is the second
L1	floor of that building residential?
L2	MR. BROWN: Yes, it is.
L3	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Do we have an
L 4	issue then with sprinklers or is that already
L5	
L 6	MR. BROWN: It is sprinklered.
L7	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: And how are we
L 8	dealing garbage removal?
L 9	MR. BROWN: No difference from the
20	way it is now.
21	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: There's not a
22	restaurant there now.
23	MR. COTUGNO: It's a big difference
24	between a restaurant and an antique store.
25	MALE SPEAKER: We have a shared
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2	garbage area on the property.
3	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: With the other
4	tenant?
5	MALE SPEAKER: Yes.
6	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Is that sterling
7	Saki?
8	MALE SPEAKER: Yes.
9	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: And it's
10	sufficient to handle two restaurants?
11	MALE SPEAKER: Yes.
12	MS. HAMMES: Is parking an issue at
13	all?
14	MR. PALLAS: To be honest, I didn't
15	even think about the parking. This is an
16	existing structure, but the change of use may
17	involve some additional parking requirements.
18	I'm just gonna have to double check the file
19	for the original building against code and
20	see what was granted back then.
21	MR. BROWN: If I could, there was
22	an original structure on there prior to the
23	1971 which, I believe, precludes us from
24	parking requirements. When this building was
25	constructed parking was provided in the back
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2	of the building.
3	MR. PALLAS: I can confirm there
4	was a building that far back. I would
5	investigate to make sure in light of the
6	question, that doesn't trigger anything. I
7	don't believe it does, but I just want to be
8	certain.
9	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: In other words,
10	even though this existing structure is built
11	after the grandfather provision, it would be
12	excluded because the prior building was
13	grandfathered?
14	MR. PALLAS: The way the code is
15	structured, if the property had been
16	developed prior to, then it is exempt.
17	MS. HAMMES: It was a garage or
18	something before, right?
19	MR. PALLAS: Yes.
20	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Has there been a
21	discussion or a thought on the hours of
22	operation for the business? Maybe one of the
23	providers would like to you can go up and
24	speak.
25	MS. DEMARCHELIER: Sure.

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2	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Announce yourself,
3	please.
4	MS. DEMARCHELIER: Emily
5	Demarchelier. I live at 10 Sleepy Hollow
6	Road on Shelter Island.
7	The hours of operation that I'm
8	thinking of is being opened for lunch and
9	dinner so from 11:00 a.m. to probably 11:00
10	p.m.
11	You know, I don't know, I'm
12	familiar with Greenport, but we don't want
13	to push it too late. We're not looking to
14	be a nightclub. It's a small French Bistro.
15	You know, people come enjoy good food and
16	good wine.
17	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Are you
18	planning to be opened year-round?
19	MS. DEMARCHELIER: Year-round, yes.
20	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Any thoughts on
21	live music?
22	MS. DEMARCHELIER: I have, in our
23	lease, we do have approval for acoustic; but
24	it's mostly going to be just recorded music.
25	Just have acoustic for perhaps if there is a
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2	special occasion, like Mothers' Day or
3	something like that.
4	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Have you guys
5	looked at handicap access to make sure it's
6	compliant?
7	MS. HAMMES: Well, it's gone to the
8	consultant, right?
9	MR. PALLAS: Yes.
10	MS. HAMMES: They would do
11	everything on all of that?
12	MS. DEMARCHELIER: The building is
13	accessible.
14	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I think we're
15	going to need to postpone on our
16	pre-submission. We have to continue to look,
17	we have to get our report back from the
18	planner.
19	Your comments at this time, thank
20	you for giving this information.
21	Does anybody else have anything
22	they want to ask at this time?
23	MR. COTUGNO: At the very least,
24	the exit door should swing out, not in.
25	MR. BROWN: I will make sure that's
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2	the case; but I believe that a Building
3	Department, but that should be
4	MR. COTUGNO: You're showing them
5	swinging in. Exit doors, especially in a
6	restaurant should swing out, especially in
7	the front. There's room for it. The front
8	door is recessed, it's the perfect place for
9	them to swing out.
10	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: The rear door does
11	swing out.
12	MR. BROWN: Yes, the rear door does
13	swing out.
14	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Why don't we
15	schedule to continue with this pre-submission
16	for the fifth of December.
17	Item number 9, 230 Main Street,
18	pre-submission conference for the
19	application of Northwell Health Services
20	represented by Architect Robert Brown.
21	The applicant proposes interior
22	renovations to accommodate the new use of
23	medical office for the property located at
24	230 Main Street.
25	This property is located in the

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2	Commercial Retail District. This property
3	is also located in the Historic district.
4	Suffolk County Tax Map number
5	1001-4-10-10-1.
6	MR. BROWN: Robert Brown, Architect
7	for Northwell.
8	This is entirely an interior
9	renovation; there's no exterior work
10	whatsoever.
11	MS. HAMMES: You're not gonna take
12	the drive-in window out?
13	MR. BROWN: No.
14	MS. HAMMES: Really?
15	MR. BROWN: Just gonna close it up
16	from inside.
17	MS. HAMMES: Okay.
18	MR. BROWN: You know, it's possible
19	that something might be done with it in the
20	future, but Northwell is hoping to expedite
21	this as quickly as possible.
22	MS. HAMMES: What's gonna be on the
23	second floor?
24	MR. BROWN: It will be unused for
25	now.
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2	MS. HAMMES: Is it going to be
3	urgent care or regular
4	MR. BROWN: Just regular office
5	hours.
6	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Do you know the
7	hours of operation?
8	MS. LOEB: Amy Loeb from Peconic
9	Bay Medical Center.
10	Good evening. Amy Loeb, Peconic
11	Bay Medical Center, Mattituck as of just two
12	months ago, actually.
13	8:00 to 6:00 would be the long
14	range for hours of operation, Monday through
15	Friday.
16	MR. COTUGNO: Seven days a week?
17	MS. LOEB: Monday through Friday.
18	MR. COTUGNO: Missed that.
19	MS. HAMMES: How are you going to
20	deal with the parking lot on the weekends?
21	MS. LINGG: We'd be happy to
22	discuss that.
23	MR. COTUGNO: Let's discuss.
24	MR. BROWN: So I mean we definitely
25	have to consider, I actually drove through
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2	this past Sundays, I did see the amount of
3	parking happening on the street and that was
4	blocked up; and we're not operating, there is
5	now reason to restrict from my point of view.
6	MS. HAMMES: I'm sorry, I couldn't
7	hear.
8	MS. LOEB: There's no reason to
9	restrict parking from my point of view if
10	we're not operating.
11	MS. HAMMES: So it won't be chained
12	up and people can park there on the weekends,
13	correct?
14	MS. LOEB: It's not going to be
15	chained up, correct.
16	MS. HAMMES: Assuming you'll have
17	signs.
18	MS. LOEB: We would have to, yes,
19	
	we would have to provide parking for our
20	staff and patients.
21	MR. COTUGNO: Do you know how many
22	staff members you're gonna have there and
23	doctors and
24	MS. LOEB: Sure. You know, we're
25	basing the staffing on the needs of the
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2	community; so we are looking at five
3	employees to start, max would be eight.
4	Maximum providers at one time would be two.
5	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I'm sorry.
6	MS. LOEB: Maximum number of
7	providers would be two.
8	MR. KYRK: Would these be
9	specialists or GE?
10	MS. LOEB: Certainly, primary care
11	and some specialists, yes.
12	MR. KYRK: So 15 or 12 minute
13	appointments?
14	I'm just thinking of the churn of
15	the cars in the area.
16	MS. LOEB: Sure.
17	So we at Peconic, as you probably
18	know, operate many medical offices; so we
19	will see three to four patients per hour,
20	based on our experience.
21	There's ample parking.
22	MS. HAMMES: For both providers or
23	in total?
24	MS. LOEB: Per provider.
25	MR. KYRK: So that's eight people
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2	needing access, whether they walk there, take
3	a bus or drive a car, ride a bike?
4	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: They're gonna have
5	sufficient parking, the parking is gonna more
6	than enough.
7	MS. LOEB: Correct. Absolutely.
8	MR. KYRK: Just overall traffic.
9	I mean, to me it always make sense
10	to have a doctor's offices on the edge of
11	town as opposed to the middle of it but.
12	MR. BROWN: One good thing about
13	the existing condition of the property is the
14	fact that the entrance to property is on Main
15	Street, but exit for the property is on
16	Carpenter Street, so you don't have in out
17	happening at one location on Main Street.
18	MR. COTUGNO: Rob, can you get a
19	copy of the site plan when you come back?
20	MR. BROWN: I believe there was a
21	survey included.
22	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: It was included?
23	MR. BROWN: In the application.
24	It's a smaller sheet.
25	MR. COTUGNO: Maybe that's why I
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2	use in that building?
3	MR. PALLAS: Yes.
4	MR. COTUGNO: Is the parking
5	requirements different for a medical office
6	than for a bank?
7	MR. PALLAS: I just double checked
8	and it's five per physician. I'm sure there
9	is more than that there, so.
LO	MR. BROWN: Far more than ten
L1	spaces.
L2	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: It doesn't say the
L3	number of staff.
L 4	MR. PALLAS: It just says five per
L5	physician.
L 6	MR. BROWN: There are 18 space
L7	currently.
L8	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Anybody else have
L 9	anything to add?
20	MR. COTUGNO: This too is a change
21	of use, so it would have the meet handicap
22	requirements.
23	MR. BROWN: Yes, it is designed for
24	that.
25	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I'd like to
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2	unless there's objection, I'd like to
3	schedule the public hearing.
4	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: I'm good
5	with that.
6	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I think we should
7	move it to the next date, not the fifth,
8	we're really
9	MS. LINGG: December 26 is the day
10	after Christmas.
11	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: The day after
12	Christmas. Can we try the come with a
13	different date?
14	MS. HAMMES: The 19th.
15	MS. LINGG: The 19th, there is a
16	Historic Preservation Commission meeting at
17	5:00 p.m.
18	MS. HAMMES: Can we do it on the
19	18th?
20	MS. LINGG: You would have to
21	double check with the fire department.
22	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Let's schedule it
23	tentatively for the 18th then.
24	MS. HAMMES: Or we could do it a 6
25	o'clock on the 19th, but I don't know how
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2	long the Historic Board meeting
3	MS. LINGG: There would a Board of
4	Trustees meeting at 7:00 as well.
5	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Let's try to get
6	the 18th.
7	MS. LINGG: The 18th, okay. I'll
8	confirm that tomorrow.
9	MS. HAMMES: Thank you very much
10	and we appreciate your time.
11	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Item number 10,
12	111 Main Street, pre-submission conference
13	for the application of PWIB Claudio's
14	Management represented by Robert I. Brown.
15	The applicant proposes interior
16	and exterior renovations for the property
17	located at 111 Main Street.
18	This property is located in the
19	Waterfront Commercial District. This
20	property is also located in the Historic
21	District.
22	Suffolk County Tax Map number
23	1001-5-4 lots 25, 38.1 and 39.
24	MR. BROWN: Rob Brown, Architect
25	for Claudio's.
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2	With your permission, I have
3	revised sets for the Board that are a couple
4	of minor edits and clarifications just to
5	bring you up to date.
6	Can I distribute those?
7	(Mr. Brown distributes paperwork
8	to the Board.)
9	I can go over what the changes.
10	MR. COTUGNO: So what are they?
11	MR. BROWN: On drawing A1 we've
12	added an exterior door on the west wall of
13	the main restaurant.
14	MS. HAMMES: Exterior wall.
15	MR. BROWN: Exterior wall. If you
16	would like, I can point it out.
17	MS. HAMMES: I got it.
18	I thought you added the wall, I'm
19	very confused.
20	MR. BROWN: Adding a door there and
21	it's clear on the
22	MS. HAMMES: Right here where it
23	says kitchen renovations?
24	MR. BROWN: Yes.
25	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Is that it for A1?
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2	MR. BROWN: No.
3	We're revising the fence and
4	picnic table layout in front of Crabby
5	Jerry's.
6	MR. COTUGNO: Okay.
7	MR. BROWN: To provide additional
8	storage area behind the fence.
9	And we moved slightly the
10	pedestrian walkway to the west of the
11	restaurant.
12	There was an error in the drawing.
13	The original drawing showed the walkway
14	going through the accessory building and the
15	parking lot.
16	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: What is the
17	walkway made of?
18	MR. BROWN: It's just painting on
19	the pavement.
20	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: So it's
21	like a crosswalk.
22	MR. COTUGNO: How about other
23	walkways where you're replacing them, what is
24	that material going to be?
25	MR. BROWN: It's all just painting
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2	on the pavement.
3	MR. COTUGNO: I thought I saw on
4	the other plan, it said rebuild walkways,
5	rebuild. It doesn't say paint, it says
6	rebuild to Crabby Jerry's.
7	MR. BROWN: No.
8	Those walkways are the walkways
9	along the edge of the dock.
10	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: So, Robert, why
11	don't you just give us an overall summary of
12	what the changes are. That would be very
13	helpful.
14	MR. BROWN: Okay.
15	The main issues are, first and
16	foremost, outdoor seating for the restaurant
17	which would be protected by a retractable
18	awning and umbrellas, and that includes a
19	couple of exterior doors on the south
20	elevation of the building.
21	MS. HAMMES: The whole thing is not
22	gonna be covered though, is it or
23	MR. BROWN: Not
24	MS. HAMMES: something like what
25	they have out on the Clam Bar or
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2	MR. BROWN: No. This would be just
3	the kind, almost residential awning that
4	projects out and
5	MS. HAMMES: It comes in and out,
6	that's what I was wondering. Okay.
7	MR. KYRK: Is there any increase in
8	the number of seats?
9	MR. BROWN: Yes. That's documented
10	on the plans.
11	MR. KYRK: How much is it, can tell
12	us?
13	MR. BROWN: I'm sorry, I don't have
14	the
15	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Well, the
16	Clam Bar is 52.
17	MR. BROWN: Yeah, we're adding
18	seats at the Clam Bar, and what was pizza
19	shop behind the Clam Bar is going to be
20	converted into a prep kitchen for the Clam
21	Bar.
22	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: So the
23	existing kitchen is gonna remain the same, so
24	it's gonna be a kitchen and
25	MR. BROWN: Yes, accessory kitchen.
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2	They can't keep up with the demand on the
3	Clam Bar.
4	And the retail shop next to the
5	east wall on Main Street, the east wall of
6	the restaurant is going be a pizza parlor.
7	MS. HAMMES: Are you losing any
8	parking?
9	MR. BROWN: No.
10	We're keeping exactly the same
11	amount of parking?
12	MS. HAMMES: Except for the
13	motorcycles
14	MR. BROWN: The motorcycle have
15	been moved already to in front of Preston's.
16	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: And that is
17	Claudio's property, right?
18	MR. BROWN: Yes, it is their
19	property.
20	MS. HAMMES: Lily, you need to
21	speak up.
22	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: I'm sorry,
23	I was just saying, it's just cars. I also am
24	not sure that as well. I don't think it's
25	kept for just Claudio's, all of this.
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2	MR. BROWN: I couldn't speak for
3	that.
4	MS. HAMMES: Where does Claudio's
5	property start; where it says new pedestrian
6	walkway?
7	MR. MATSUOKA: At the stop sign.
8	MS. HAMMES: The stop sign is not
9	on my drawing, so that's not helping me, but
10	okay.
11	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: This, what's it
12	called, the sietta (phonetic) building where
13	the refrigerator
14	MR. BROWN: It's concrete block
15	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Where is it on the
16	site plan?
17	Robert, can you come over here.
18	(Mr. Brown goes to the podium.)
19	Install the exterior
20	refrigeration, these are exterior
21	refrigeration units.
22	Where are your refrigeration units
23	currently?
24	MR. BROWN: I believe Mr. Matsuoka
25	can answer that.
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2	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Do you want to		
3	come over here as well?		
4	(Mr. Brown as well as the		
5	applicants stood at podium and spoke		
6	about drawings.)		
7	MR. MATSUOKA: Hello.		
8	To answer your question quickly,		
9	the stop sign on Main Street here		
10	(indicating).		
11	MS. HAMMES: Okay. Thank you.		
12	MR. MATSUOKA: So there is an		
13	existing refrigeration		
14	MR. PALLAS: You're gonna need to		
15	speak up for the transcriptionist to hear.		
16	MR. MATSUOKA: Sure.		
17	So originally, there were		
18	seventeen walk-ins on the property when we		
19	took it over last year; so we have		
20	eliminated more than half of those because		
21	they're so pretty and old. Many of them		
22	were on the waterfront here which we		
23	removed, and the idea is to move them back		
24	here to hide them in the back of the		
25	property out of view.		
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2	pleasing.
3	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Now, is this in
4	the Historic Preservation
5	MR. MATSUOKA: Everything is
6	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Maybe should, you
7	know, get their input on that because it's
8	really
9	MR. BROWN: We are preparing a
10	proposal, an application to the Historic
11	District for the doors that are going into
12	the restaurant because that does affect the
13	structure.
14	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Right.
15	I mean particularly for the
16	visibility of the
17	MR. COTUGNO: You need to go to
18	them for everything, right, the veranda,
19	doesn't that have to go before them?
20	MR. BROWN: Yes.
21	MS. HAMMES: What is the noise
22	value or how much noise do these
23	refrigerators produce because you're moving
24	them closer to other properties? That one of

my questions because I know there are some $\,$

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2	residential units on the second floors of
3	some of these properties.
4	MR. MATSUOKA: Not a lot of noise.
5	I can get you specific there will be less
6	units on the property than currently exist.
7	MS. HAMMES: Understood, but if
8	they're here and they're much closer to where
9	people may be sleeping and
10	MR. LOFFREDO: True. The acoustic
11	applications that are available to muffle
12	those are pretty easily obtained, so we can
13	actually sheath the outside of the
14	compressors in order to reduce sound that
15	way.
16	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: That would be a
17	good idea.
18	MR. PALLAS: Sorry to interrupt
19	again.
20	Can you give your full name to the
21	transcriptionist, please.
22	MR. MATSUOKA: Torra Matsouka,
23	M-A-T-S-U-O-K-A.
24	MR. LOFFREDO: Stephen with a P,
25	Loffredo, L-O-F-F-R-E-D-O.
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2	MR. KYRK: Could you please		
3	identify where the stop sign is for me?		
4	MR. BROWN: At the northeast		
5	corner.		
6	No, southeast corner of the		
7	structure.		
8	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Thank you, guys.		
9	We'll have a few more questions, but you car	1	
10	go back.		
11	One question I had was, there was		
12	an application that was submitted about a		
13	year ago, maybe a little less than that, and	1	
14	one of the things it was promoting was		
15	creating more green space for the area.		
16	Is that still in the plans? I		
17	noticed there is a little section here		
18	called artificial turf. Is it the same		
19	amount of green space as previously		
20	proposed?		
21	MR. BROWN: No.		
22	That has been reduced for		
23	financial reasons.		
24	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Explain that,		
25	please.		
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2	MR. BROWN: The cost of landscaping
3	was
4	MR. MATSUOKA: If I may.
5	Part of that was because we
6	reduced parking. A lot of the green scaping
7	areas were in areas that were parking spots.
8	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Now, there were
9	also discussions earlier about, I thought a
10	more robust ambitious renovation including
11	the second floor. I don't see that as part
12	of the plans.
13	Is that something that you're not
14	planning to do?
15	MR. LOFFREDO: At this point in
16	time after analyzing the cost involved, we
17	don't think it's justified to do that.
18	MR. COTUGNO: So you have on site
19	work, general landscaping and lighting. I
20	guess at some point, you're gonna give us
21	more details on the lighting and landscaping?
22	MR. BROWN: Yes, of course.
23	MR. COTUGNO: I don't have no
24	indication.
25	MS. HAMMES: You're adding about
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2	200 seats. This is added seating, Claudio's
3	restaurant veranda 144, Clam Bar 52.
4	MR. MATSUOKA: Correct.
5	That's the suggestion.
6	MS. HAMMES: But no additional
7	parking?
8	MR. MATSUOKA: No.
9	We have 100 parking spots.
10	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Would you be able
11	to add elevations for the other structures on
12	this site plan?
13	MR. BROWN: Certainly I can.
14	MR. COTUGNO: Are there parking
15	requirements, Paul?
16	MR. PALLAS: They pre-existed, so
17	by code, there aren't any.
18	MR. COTUGNO: You can just keep
19	adding seats and adding seats and adding
20	seats?
21	MS. HAMMES: We can consider that
22	as part of our analysis.
23	MR. COTUGNO: Of course.
24	MS. HAMMES: If we think it's an
25	over intensification of use, given parking
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2	constraints and others, I mean that's the
3	thing we can consider.
4	MR. KYRK: I see here that you're
5	renovating restrooms and you're eliminating
6	two, I would imagine, single seat restrooms.
7	MR. BROWN: Yeah. They may be
8	double seats.
9	MR. KYRK: So are you adding the
10	men's room
11	MR. BROWN: Well, there were a
12	total of 12 seats, we're proposing a total of
13	11, but one of them is handicap which was not
14	provided previously.
15	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Were there noise
16	complaints lodged against Claudio's?
17	MR. BROWN: I can't speak to that.
18	MR. MATSUOKA: There may have been
19	a few noise complaints.
20	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: It's a serious
21	issue obviously, and the fact that we're
22	seeing a proposal to expand and create more
23	people, more customers and therefore
24	presumably more noise is something we have
25	to, you know, weigh in, it's just part of the
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process that we're going through here.

MR. KYRK: It really travels over the water. You can hear it in East Marion, you can hear on 202 Sixth Street.

MR. MATSUOKA: So the work that we performed this past winter helped eliminate a lot of the prior noise issues that happened.

This winter, we plan on adding more to that to help further limit noise escaping from the property.

Last year, we implemented a new retractable canopy. The walls of that canopy failed this year; so those walls have been returned to the manufacturer and new walls are being installed next season which should significantly help with noise.

I would just like the comment for the record, not all noise created in the Village originates at Claudio's.

MS. HAMMES: Let's go back to the number of seats. I mean you've got on here, which is helpful, the number for the veranda and Crabby Jerry's, but I believe you're also adding seats for the pizzeria as well,

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2	correct?
3	MR. BROWN: Sixteen seats, yes.
4	MS. HAMMES: Is that what it is,
5	16?
6	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: What are the
7	current hours of operation for each
8	restaurant?
9	MR. BROWN: The main restaurant,
10	Monday through Friday, 11:30 to 10:00 p.m.,
11	Saturday and Sunday 11:30 to 11:00 p.m.
12	The Wharf, seven days, 11:30 to
13	9:00 p.m., and the bar at the Wharf 9:00
14	p.m. to 2:00 a.m.
15	Crabby Jerry's, 11:30 a.m. to 9:00
16	p.m.
17	And I can fax, e-mail this to the
18	Village for distribution.
19	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Crabby Jerry's,
20	that's 9:00 p.m. even on Saturday and Sunday
21	or does it go to 11:00 p.m.?
22	MR. BROWN: Seven days.
23	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Was the source of
24	the noise complaints related mostly to the
25	bar activity after 9:00 p.m.?
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2	MR. LOFFREDO: As we understand it,
3	yes.
4	To point out the additional
5	seating on the Wharf really assists us
6	during lunch and dinner service. The
7	seating actually is cleared at night on
8	Fridays and Saturdays when the Wharf bar is
9	open later; so to some degree, the
10	additional seating is not something that
11	impacts what happens during the time where
12	it may have been perceived that it was
13	louder or nosier.
14	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: The outdoor
15	seating that's being added to the restaurant,
16	that's subject to the same hours as the
17	restaurant itself?
18	MR. LOFFREDO: Yes, it is.
19	And the same menu there which is
20	more of a fine dining menu than a more
21	casual menu.
22	MS. HAMMES: And you wouldn't
23	intend to be having live music there?
24	MR. LOFFREDO: No.
25	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: The picnic
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2	tables at Crabby Jerry's, are those like wait
3	service, people sit there and get waited on
4	or
5	MR. LOFFREDO: No.
6	MR. BROWN: No.
7	MR. LOFFREDO: It's consistent with
8	the service at Crabby Jerry's which is how
9	it's always been, walk up and
10	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Same as the
11	rest
12	MR. LOFFREDO: Yeah, it was just to
13	provide some additional seating.
14	MS. HAMMES: Is the pizza place
15	intended to be open all year round or just
16	during the season?
17	MR. LOFFREDO: All year round.
18	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Anybody else have
19	anything?
20	MR. MATSUOKA: That's a good point
21	to, the main restaurant will also be opened
22	year-round.
23	MS. HAMMES: The veranda seating,
24	presumably, you're not gonna have that open
25	in November.
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2	MR. MATSUOKA: It might be a little
3	chilly outside, but the interior will be nice
4	
	and cozy.
5	MR. BROWN: There might be people
6	willing to sit out there.
7	MR. COTUGNO: It would be helpful
8	to show the existing seating too. I know you
9	guys give tabulations of the proposed
10	seating, but side by side would be nice to
11	see the existing.
12	MR. BROWN: I can just drop that
13	in, that's from previous application that had
14	been approved, but I'll just add it in.
15	MS. HAMMES: So this still has to
16	go to the consultant, right?
17	MR. PALLAS: Consultant, again, has
18	it. We're just waiting for comments. It's
19	all part of the bunch of applications that
20	were sent on the same day.
21	We were missing some paperwork,
22	we'll get comments for you when he has them.
23	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Anybody else have
24	anything at this time?
25	Well, we can schedule a public
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2	hearing on this.
3	MR. COTUGNO: Wait for Historic?
4	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: We can do it
5	pending Historic review right?
6	MS. HAMMES: I think we have to
7	leave it open if anything changes from
8	Historic.
9	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: We can condition
10	it
11	MS. HAMMES: we may have to hold
12	it up anyway.
13	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: We will.
14	MR. PALLAS: I want to point out,
15	you asked for a significant amount of
16	material from the architect and owners. I
17	make it clear to them that that needs to be
18	in enough time to review it prior to the
19	hearing.
20	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Right.
21	MR. BROWN: Can you give me a
22	deadline?
23	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Actually, we can
24	make that point, let's just keep this
25	pre-submission open for another time until we
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2	get all the revisions made and have a chance
3	to review it have further discussion and then
4	schedule the public hearing for it, so we can
5	continue our pre-submission on
6	MS. LINGG: On the fifth?
7	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Yes.
8	MR. BROWN: With that, is there a
9	deadline for additional information?
10	MS. HAMMES: We need at least two
11	days before the fifth.
12	MR. COTUGNO: That's not even good.
13	MR. PALLAS: I need it a little
14	sooner than that.
15	MS. HAMMES: I personally need it
16	two days before.
17	MR. BROWN: I'll make sure you have
18	it two days before.
19	MR. PALLAS: The 18th or the 19th
20	of this month, the following week is
21	Thanksgiving, so earlier than later, please.
22	MR. BROWN: Okay.
23	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Thank you very
24	much.
25	MR. BROWN: Thank you.
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2	MR. PALLAS: One more item, if we
3	get an application for Historic, we'll
4	advance it to Historic.
5	MS. HAMMES: I think that's fine.
6	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Sure.
7	MS. HAMMES: Can we get a copy of
8	that application as well?
9	MR. PALLAS: Sure.
10	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Wait for revised
11	plans before we submit.
12	MR. PALLAS: Yes. If any of those
13	revisions require Historic, yes, of course.
14	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Next item is item
15	12, 300 Main street, public hearing regarding
16	a site plan approval for Sterling Square LLC,
17	represented by Robert I. Brown.
18	The applicant is proposing
19	interior and exterior renovations to
20	accommodate the conversion of the first
21	floor from retail to assembly and the second
22	and third floors from residential apartments
23	to commercial hotel units.
24	The property is located in the
25	Commercial Retail District. The property is
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2	also located in the Historic District.
3	It's located at Suffolk County Tax
4	Map 10001-4-7-29.1.
5	Would anybody from the public like
6	to speak on this matter?
7	MR. BROWN: Robert Brown, Architect
8	again.
9	I think we had a pretty good
10	discussion last time about what was
11	intended. If there are any additional
12	question, I'd be happy to try to answer
13	them.
14	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I think at this
15	time, we gonna wait for the, this is the
16	public hearing, so does anybody from the
17	public want the speak, have a comment on
18	this?
19	MS. HELFRICH: Ingrid Helfrich, 168
20	Bay Avenue.
21	I live behind American Beech, and
22	I have been through several iterations of
23	restaurants and clubs and such; and I have
24	to say that American Beech has been the best
25	neighbor I have had so far. They're quiet.

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Page 77 Work/Regular 11-7-19 1 2 They keep their backyard dumpster area 3 Their clientele is not the type that clean. comes out drunk out of the restaurant and 4 5 urinates in my bushes. 6 I'm very happy, and I have no 7 objections to them expanding. I feel that 8 they have good stewardship of the property, 9 and I would rather have them there than take a chance with someone else. 10 11 Thank you. 12 CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Anybody else like 13 to comment? 14 (No response.) 15 Does anybody else have any further 16 discussion? 17 MS. HAMMES: The Historic Board 18 approved it, right? 19 MR. PALLAS: Yes. 20 CHAIRMAN FOOTE: And I think the 21 two issues that we wanted to clarify can be 22 assured that was part of the plan was the old 23 lobby space is no longer going to serve as 24 assembly, it's gonna be strictly retail? 25 MR. BROWN: Retail, yes.

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2	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: And the Building
3	Department previously confirmed or you
4	confirmed that there was already a sprinkler
5	system installed on the third floor space,
6	right?
7	MR. BROWN: There is, yes.
8	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: And you guys have
9	confirmed that?
10	MR. PALLAS: Yes.
11	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Do we have any
12	other comments at this time?
13	MR. KYRK: I apologize because I
14	wasn't here at the previous meeting.
15	So there are the two apartments in
16	there now?
17	MR. BROWN: Yes.
18	MR. KYRK: And there they are
19	two-bedroom apartments, two, two-bedroom
20	apartments?
21	MR. BROWN: Oh, gosh. Trying to
22	recall. I think they're both one bedroom.
23	MR. KYRK: Okay. And they're going
24	to have how many rooms?
25	MR. BROWN: Three room.
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2	MR. KYRK: Three rooms. Thank you.
3	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Anybody else?
4	(No response.)
5	Okay. Thank you.
6	At this point, I think we can
7	close this public hearing.
8	Are you guys prepared to take a
9	vote on it?
10	MR. COTUGNO: Yes.
11	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I move that we
12	approve this application as presented.
13	Do I have a second?
14	MR. COTUGNO: Second.
15	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: All those in
16	favor?
17	MS. HAMMES: Aye.
18	MR. KYRK: Aye.
19	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Aye.
20	MR. COTUGNO: Aye.
21	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Motion carries.
22	MR. BROWN: Thank you very much.
23	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: You're welcome.
24	This is the last item of the
25	evening. It's 331 Front Street. Public
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2	hearing regarding a site plan approval for
3	Layyah, represented by Owner Imram Qasim
4	Khan.
5	The applicant is proposing
6	interior renovations to accommodate the
7	addition of a commercial kitchen, as well as
8	outdoor seating.
9	The property is located in the CR
10	Commercial Retail District. The property is
11	not located in the Historic District.
12	It's located at Suffolk County Tax
13	Map 1001-6-22017.
14	Good afternoon.
15	Do you have anything further to
16	add regarding this application?
17	MR. KHAN: Only just what we have
18	in the application.
19	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Is there anybody
20	from the public that like to speak up?
21	MS. ROSENSTREICH: Susan
22	Rosenstreich, 645 Little Peconic Bay Road,
23	Cutchogue.
24	I'm here as president of Tifereth
25	Israel House of Worship across the street
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2	from Mr. Khan's place of business.
3	We have no problem with the site,
4	expansion of the site; our concern is simply
5	regarding the possible consumption of liquor
6	in that area, that outside area. I don't
7	know if Mr. Khan intends to serve
8	MR. KHAN: There's not going to be
9	any beer or liquor or anything.
10	MS. ROSENSTREICH: Thank you. That
11	addresses our concerns.
12	Thank you very much.
13	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Thank you.
14	Would anybody else like to speak
15	regarding this application?
16	(No response.)
17	Anybody from the Board have
18	anything further to add?
19	(No response.)
20	I think that last comment from the
21	public was very helpful, and I would like to
22	propose approving the application subject to
23	that stipulation that there is no outdoor
24	consumption of alcohol. It's probably, by
25	law, not permitted anyway, but we can put it
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2	into the approval anyway.
3	Do I have a second?
4	MR. COTUGNO: Second.
5	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: All those in
6	favor?
7	MR. KYRK: Aye.
8	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Aye.
9	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Aye.
10	MS. HAMMES: Aye.
11	The application is approved.
12	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: So I now make a
13	motion to adjourn
14	MR. MOORE: Before you adjourn, can
15	I make a technical point before you adjourn?
16	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Certainly.
17	MR. MOORE: My name is Doug Moore,
18	formally 26 years at 145 Sterling Street and
19	formally 7 years chair of the Zoning Board of
20	Appeals.
21	I apologize in advance for being a
22	nerd on detail, but concerning the Sterling
23	Avenue which is next week, in the various
24	applications and announcements, it's defined
25	as amendments to a stipulation, and I don't
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2	believe the Planning Board has the authority
3	to amend a court mandated stipulation, so
4	this is really a new application.
5	I believe also, you incorrectly
6	referred to next week as a public hearing,
7	it's a pre-submission conference
8	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: If I said that, I
9	misspoke.
10	MR. MOORE: And as has been the
11	practice of the Planning Board, we still
12	appreciate that you will take, entertain
13	public comments during that time, that's
14	always been helpful. Past planning Boards
15	would not let the public speak and waited to
16	the very end, so I appreciate that.
17	Thanks.
18	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: I now move to
19	adjourn.
20	Do I have a second?
21	MR. COTUGNO: Second.
22	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: All those in
23	favor?
24	MS. HAMMES: Aye.
25	MR. KYRK: Aye.
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2	MS. DOUGHERTY-JOHNSON: Aye.
3	MR. COTUGNO: Aye.
4	CHAIRMAN FOOTE: Meeting adjourned.
5	(Time noted: 6:21 p.m.)
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I, STEPHANIE O'KEEFFE, a Reporter and Notary Public within and for the State of New York, do hereby certify that the within is a true and accurate transcript of the proceedings taken on November 7, 2019.

I further certify that I am not related to any of the parties to this action by blood or marriage, and that I am in no way interested in the outcome of this matter.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 7th day of November, 2019.

Stephanie O'Keeffe

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