

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

PLANNING BOARD

CITY HALL ANNEX, 344 BROADWAY, CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

AGENDA - REVISED

Tuesday, July 20, 2010
Second Floor Meeting Room, 344 Broadway
City Hall Annex – McCusker Building
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Update by Susan Glazer, Acting Assistant City Manager for Community Development.

7:00 p.m.

Board of Zoning Appeal Cases

PUBLIC HEARING

7:20 p.m. PB#231A - 159 First Street, 65 Bent Street and 29 Charles Street. Planned Unit Development 4B Special Permit (Section 13.50) for a five story residential building with 123 dwelling units and ground floor retail and parking; an office/R&D building of approximately 114,076 square feet, and the redevelopment of an open parking lot for 8 townhouse units. The applicant also requests a special permit to reduce the number of parking spaces provided for the residential component of the development from the required one space per dwelling unit as allowed in Section 6.35.1- Reduction of Required Parking. This project was granted a Planned Unit Development special permit on May 7, 2008, which has expired and is the same project approved by the Planning Board in Case No 231. The Project Review Special Permit for this proposal was renewed on April 20, 2010, and is still in effect. The Planned Unit Development process is outlined in Section 12.000 of the Cambridge Zoning Ordinance. Applicant is Bent Street Land Company, LLC.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- 1. City Council Petition to amend Article 7.000 Signs and Illumination, discussion and possible recommendation
 - This item will be on the August 3, 2010 agenda.
- 2. PB#141, Cambridge Research Park, design review for Building G
- 3. MIT Kendall Square concept plan discussion
- 4. Other

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