

## **CITY OF CAMBRIDGE**

**BOARD OF ZONING APPEAL** 

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OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK CAMBRIDGE. MASSACHUSETTS

## **BZA Application Form**

**BZA Number: 176892** 

		Genera	al Information		
The undersigned I	hereby petitions	the Board of Zoning	Appeal for the following:		
Special Permit:	X	Variance:	A	ppeal:	
PETITIONER: 28	31 Concord LLC	<u>C/O Xiaoguang (Ca</u>	<u>thy) Wang</u>		
PETITIONER'S A	DDRESS: 281 C	Concord Ave, Cambi	ridge, MA 021389		
LOCATION OF PI	ROPERTY: 281	Concord Ave , Can	nbridg <u>e, MA</u>		
TYPE OF OCCUP	PANCY: Office; C	Co-working	ZONING DISTRICT:	Business A-1 Zone	
REASON FOR PE	ETITION:				
/Change in Use/O	ccupancy//Park	ting/			
DESCRIPTION	OF PETITION	ER'S PROPOSAL	:		
	e building to host			orking office on the first floo nd required parking cannot	
SECTIONS OF Z	ONING ORDINA	NCE CITED:			
Article: 4.000 Article: 6.000 Article: 6.000 Article: 6.000 Article: 10.000	Section: 6.35 (F Section: 6.20 (C Section: 6.32.1	1 (Commercial Recondering Interest Parking Interest Parking Recondering Exemption (Special Permit).	egulations).		
		Original Signature(s):	Xixo gna- (Petit	tioner (s) / Owner)	_
			riao guan	y Wawy (Print Name)	<del></del>
		Address: Tel. No. E-Mail Address:	28  Unu 857-498-1918 cwang@shengen-cpa.c		bridge 8

### BZA APPLICATION FORM - OWNERSHIP INFORMATION

To be completed by OWNER, signed before a notary and returned to The Secretary of the Board of Zoning Appeals.

I/We XTANGRANG Wang
1/We XTWI Grung Varg  (ONNIER)  Address: 15 Spring St, Cambridge, MA
State that I/We own the property located at
which is the subject of this zoning application.
The record title of this property is in the name of 281 GAGES LLC
*Pursuant to a deed of duly recorded in the date April 151, 2017
County Registry of Deeds at Book 282 , Page 165; or
Middlesex Registry District of Land Court, Certificate No. 4275
Book Page ( Plan No. 16706 A)
Xaoguang Wang
SIGNATURE BY LAND OWNER OR AUTHORIZED TRUSTEE, OFFICER OR AGENT*
*Written evidence of Agent's standing to represent petitioner may be requested.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, County of
The above-name Xian grang Ward personally appeared before me,
this of, 20, and made oath that the above statement is true.
Notary
My commission expires 0/07/36 (Notary Seal).  NICOLAS GARCIA-ESCOVAR  Notary Public Commonwealth of Massachusetts My Commission Expires October 03, 2025

• If ownership is not shown in recorded deed, e.g. if by court order, recent deed, or inheritance, please include documentation.

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#### SUPPORTING STATEMENT FOR A SPECIAL PERMIT

Please describe in complete detail how you meet each of the following criteria referring to the property and proposed changes or uses which are requested in your application. Attach sheets with additional information for special permits which have additional criteria, e.g.; fast food permits, comprehensive permits, etc., which must be met.

Granting the Special Permit requested for <u>281 Concord Ave</u>, <u>Cambridge</u>, <u>MA</u> (location) would not be a detriment to the public interest because:

A) Requirements of the Ordinance can or will be met for the following reasons:

Section 10.43.1 can be met based on the intended use. Anticipated delivery and loading operations will be miniminal as the use is a new form of shared office space, whereby events can be hosted by local businesses, companies, insitutions, etc. for corporate or private events due to the reduction in overall office space use throughout the city. Loading will be limited. No additional environmental nuises will be added and hours of operation shall be limited by city ordinance and managed by applicant. The storefront and the architectual appeal of the building matches the visual character of the surrounding area and conforms to the City's urban design objectives. The type of use is desireable for the City as it incorporates the new post-COVID-19 work environment whereby office uses are working form home but still require space to host events and corporate meetings.

Furthermore, while the ordinace requires 9 parking spaces, the applicant is both a small business and the building was in existence prior to the parking ordinance. Moreover, applicant has secured an agreement with the abutting preschool located at 299 Concord Avenue to provide 14 tandem parking spaces on weekends and nights to address any parking and loading needs.

Traffic generated or patterns of access or egress would not cause congestion hazard, or substantial change in established neighborhood character for the following reasons:

Traffic is already limited due to neighborhood character. Clients generally take a car ride sharing service or walk. Applicant has instituded new guidelines on ride sharing services, including limiting number of people waiting outside for a car, and encouraging use of a abutting parking lot. Applicant is also using local restaurants and other service providers in the immediate area.

The continued operation of or the development of adjacent uses as permitted in the Zoning

Ordinance would not be adversely affected by the nature of the proposed use for the following reasons:

The neigbhorhood allows for additional hospitality businesses. There is one directly across the street and others within a block or two of the building. In addition, the density of the neighborhood supports the operation of the proposed use and adjacent uses. Moreover, the proposed use requires the services of nearby businesses, generated further benefit to all.

Nuisance or hazard would not be created to the detriment of the health, safety, and/or welfare of the occupant of the proposed use or the citizens of the City for the following reasons:

We are proposing a well-designed, well-regulated events to be held in the building. Hours of operation and strict compliance with sound ordinances will be strictly followed, including a hard shut down of 10 PM for any noises beyond ambient sounds. Focus of use will be higher-end, business

or insitutional specific uses to address growing need for companies to use private space for stay at home employees or corporate events.

For other reasons, the proposed use would not impair the integrity of the district or adjoining district or otherwise derogate from the intent or purpose of this ordinance for the following reasons:

Applicant has had to evolve its business model due to COVID-19, which has changed the office enviorment to one of flexibility and desired need for a shared space for private events. Applicant has adjusted its policies, creating tighter contracts, improved leaning and waste management protocols, adjustment of hours, management of ride sharing programs, an agreement for off-street parking, and staff and ownership level suprervision of all events.

\*If you have any questions as to whether you can establish all of the applicable legal requirements, you should consult with an attorney.

Date:	
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## **BZA Application Form**

#### **DIMENSIONAL INFORMATION**

Applicant: 281 Concord LLC Present Use/Occupancy: Office; Co-working

Location:

281 Concord Ave , Cambridge, MA

Zone: Business A-1 Zone **Commercial Recreation** 

Phone:

857-498-1918

Requested Use/Occupancy: Establishment

		Existing Conditions	Requested Conditions	<u>Ordinance</u> <u>Requirements</u>	
TOTAL GROSS FLOOR AREA:		3724	3724	3724	(max.)
LOT AREA:		4029	4029	4029	(min.)
RATIO OF GROSS FLOOR AREA TO LOT AREA: <sup>2</sup>		0.92	0.92	1.0/0.75	
LOT AREA OF EACH DWELLING UNIT		4029	4029	4029	
SIZE OF LOT:	WIDTH	50	50	None	
	DEPTH	59	59	None	
SETBACKS IN FEET:	FRONT	0	0	None	
	REAR	0	0	0	
	LEFT SIDE	0	0	None	
	RIGHT SIDE	0	0	None	
SIZE OF BUILDING:	HEIGHT	20	20	35	
	WIDTH	59	59	None	
RATIO OF USABLE OPEN SPACE TO LOT AREA:		0.25	0.25	None	
NO. OF DWELLING UNITS:		0	0	0	
NO. OF PARKING SPACES:		0	0*	9*	
NO. OF LOADING AREAS:		0	0	0	
DISTANCE TO NEAREST BLDG. ON SAME LOT		0	0	0	

Describe where applicable, other occupancies on the same lot, the size of adjacent buildings on same lot, and type of construction proposed, e.g; wood frame, concrete, brick, steel, etc.:

General Office use., no new construction proposed.

- 1. SEE CAMBRIDGE ZONING ORDINANCE ARTICLE 5.000, SECTION 5.30 (DISTRICT OF DIMENSIONAL REGULATIONS).
- 2. TOTAL GROSS FLOOR AREA (INCLUDING BASEMENT 7'-0" IN HEIGHT AND ATTIC AREAS GREATER THAN 5') DIVIDED BY LOT AREA.
- 3. OPEN SPACE SHALL NOT INCLUDE PARKING AREAS, WALKWAYS OR DRIVEWAYS AND SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM **DIMENSION OF 15'.**

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281 Concord Ave

ABID, SAJID & ISHRAT ABID

306 PLEASANT ST

BELMONT, MA 02472

281 CONCORD LLC C/O XIAOGUANG WANG 115 SPRING STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

229-12 BOLOTIN, STEVEN J. & ANDRA S. BOLOTIN 7C DONNELL ST. CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

229-12 KULIN, ARLEEN 7A DONNELL ST. CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

229-99 DECARLO, PETER L., JR. & ELLEN BETZ 356 WALDEN ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

230-5 HOUSTON, MICHAEL JOSEPH & MAUDE ANN HOUSTON 274-276 CONCORD AVE UNIT #272 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

230-2 286 CONCORD AVENUE, LLC C/O ERIC HOAGLAND 195 LEXINGTON AVE CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138-2137

229-103 WANG, XIAORU & NIENHUEI JIANG 180 TELFORD STREET #611 BOSTON, MA 02135

229-103 WANG, XIAO & JIA LIU 297 CONCORD AVE - UNIT 2 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

229-82 JOSEPH, MARC ARTHUR & GLENNY CASADO 273-275 CONCORD AVE., #B CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139 229-130

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BROWN, MARK R. & MARY-CLAIRE VAN LEUNEN 300 POND PARISH RD AMHERST, NH 03031

229-131 281 CONCORD LLC 281 CONCORD AVE CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

229-82 WU, GRACE TSO-HENG 44238 FREMONT BLVD FREMONT, CA 94538

230-5 BRENNAN, MICHAEL R. 274 CONCORD AVENUE CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

229-119 279 CONCORD AVENUE LLC ONE LEWIS WHARF BOSTON, MA 02110

229-82 WALLACE ELIZABETH AINSLIE 273-275 CONCORD AVE - UNIT 2 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138 RICH MAY, P.C. C/O JAMES B. HEFFERNAN 176 FEDERAL STREET BOSTON, MA 02110

230-4 CONCORD-WALDEN, LLC 294 CONCORD AVE CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

229-100 ROBBIO, MENICA R, SAL ROBBIO & STEPHEN ROBBIO, TRS. OF THE ROBBIO REALTY TRUST 44 CHARLES DRIVE TEWKBURY, MA 01876

230-5 VASQUEZ, LUIS & DARIAN C. VASQUEZ 274-276 CONCORD AVE #276 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

229-103 DING, YIZHENG 297 CONCORD AVE - UNIT 3 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

229-12 HELPMAN, ELHANAN & RUTH HELPHAN 7B DONNELL ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138



## City of Cambridge

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE MASSACHUSETTS
INSPECTIONAL SERVICES OF ZONING APPEAL

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## **BZA**

## POSTING NOTICE - PICK UP SHEET

The undersigned picked up the notice board for the Board of Zoning Appeals Hearing.

Date: _	66/07/2022
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	Date: _

Thank you, Bza Members

### TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM

TO: Xiaoguang Wang

**Built Work Gather** 

FROM: Ajeet Sandhu, EIT

DATE: June 24, 2022

RE: Parking Demand Management Memo

281 Concord Avenue - Built Work Gather

The forthcoming memorandum will serve as an outline for the parking demand management plan for Built Work Gather located at 281 Concord Avenue. The plan will include an overview of the existing roadway network, a summary of existing parking conditions, and a plan for managing parking generated by the site.

#### **Existing Conditions**

The site, identified as parcel 175-75 by the City of Cambridge Assessor, is approximately 4,029 square feet. No changes to the site are proposed. The site is bound by Concord Avenue to the south, residential property to the east, west, and north and located in the City of Cambridge Business A-1 Zoning District. The surrounding land use is primarily commercial and residential.

Concord Avenue runs east to west for approximately 1.2 miles between the Alewife Brook Parkway and its intersection with Garden Street. The roadway is classified as an urban principal arterial by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT). At the existing site, Concord Avenue includes one 10-foot westbound travel lane, one 12-foot eastbound travel lane, on-street parking on the southern side of the roadway, and eight-foot sidewalks on both sides of the road. No bicycle accommodations are provided on Concord Avenue, but many cyclists were observed on the roadway. Vehicle speeds were observed to be low and not conflicting with pedestrians or cyclists.

#### Multimodal Access

The proposed development site is serviced by the Massachusetts Bay Transit Authority (MBTA) bus and train systems. There are numerous transit access points located within one mile of the proposed site listed below.

- Porter Square Station is located approximately one mile from the site and is serviced by the MBTA red line and Fitchburg commuter train.
- An MBTA bus stop is located on Concord Avenue approximately 200 feet west of the site, just west of Walden Street, and services MBTA buses 74 and 78.

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> An MBTA bus stop is located on Concord Avenue approximately 900 feet east of the site, just east of Huron Avenue, and services MBTA buses 72, 74, 75, and 78.

Additionally, two bike share stations managed by Bluebike are located within one quarter mile of the site. It is also worth noting, the Harvard Square Station is located just over one mile from the site and is serviced by the MBTA red line and bus lines 71, 73, 74, 75, 77, 78, 86, and 96.

#### Parking Analysis

Public street parking is provided on several roadways in the vicinity of the site. Additionally, a public parking lot is located within one quarter mile of the site at 161 Garden Street. On-site parking is not provided or proposed as part of this special permit application.

In order to determine available parking in the area, I conducted parking occupancy counts at the following locations:

- Concord Avenue between Walden Street and Huron Avenue
- Walden Street south of Concord Avenue
- Appleton Street south of Concord Avenue
- The parking lot located at 161 Garden Street

Counts were conducted between 5:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 22, 2022. This period is thought to coincide with peak site operations.

A total of 24 on-street parking spaces are available on Concord Avenue and surrounding side streets. A total of 22 parking spaces are located at the 161 Garden Street public parking lot in addition to one handicapped space and two electric vehicle charging spaces. Built Work Gather also has an agreement with the preschool located at 299 Concord Avenue, approximately 250 feet west of the site, to provide 14 tandem parking spaces on weekends and nights. Total parking supply is 60 parking spaces.

Parking on Concord Avenue and Appleton Street is limited to two hours between 8 am and 6 pm, except Sundays. Parking on Walden Street is limited to one hour between 8 am and 6 pm, except Sundays. Parking at the 161 Garden Street lot is limited to four hours between 8 am and 8 pm with no parking between 11 pm and 5 am.

On a typical Wednesday, public parking spaces were found to be between 65 and 80 percent occupied, with a minimum of 10 spaces available during the study period. A summary of collected parking count data is detailed in the below table. It should also be noted three 30-minute parking spaces between the hours of 9 am and 8 pm are available on Donnell Street but do not have parking restrictions on Saturdays and Sundays. Permitted on-street parking is also available outside of the counted areas, with no permit required on Sundays.

Table 1 – Parking Inventory Summary

Time	Concord Ave. between Walden St. & Huron Ave.	Walden St. South of Concord Ave.	Appleton St. South of Concord Ave.	161 Garden St. Public Parking Lot	Total [Percent Occupied]
5:30	17	1	2	11 (+2 EV)	31 [67%]
6:30	15	0	1	15 (+2 EV)	31 [67%]
7:30	15	0	3	15 (+2 EV)	33 [72%]
8:30	17	0	2	17 (+2 EV)	36 [78%]
Total Spaces Available	20	1	3	22 (+1 Handicap +2 EV Chargers)	46 (+1 Handicap +2 EV Chargers)

Note: The parking availability in this table does not reflect the 14 tandem parking spaces provided by the neighboring preschool on weekends and nights.

The 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, organized by United States Census Bureau, can be used to estimate typical trip distribution for the site. Census data indicates that in Cambridge, approximately 25% of workers commute by vehicle, 25% by public transportation, 25% on foot, 5% by bicycle, and the remaining 20% used other modes of transportation or worked from home.

Assuming a minimum of 10 public parking spaces and 25% of site trips to be conducted by vehicle, an assessment can be made that events of 40 people or less will not exceed existing public parking supply. Factoring in the 14 tandem spaces provided by the neighboring preschool, the assessment can be revised to accommodate events up to 96 people. Therefore, it is recommended that the parking provided by the neighboring preschool be utilized for events greater than 40 people.

In the case where events are expected to exceed parking availability, it is recommended Built Work Gather advise clients to seek alternative methods of transportation. Public transit, bicycle facilities, pedestrian amenities, and rideshare services are all provided within the area. One item to accommodate this recommendation is to include a Frequently Asked Question (FAQ) on their website regarding best ways to reach the site, while recommending the above options over driving.

#### Conclusion

The purpose of preparing this parking demand management plan is to identify the impact to existing local parking of the proposed commercial facility at 281 Concord Avenue in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Dedicated parking on site is not proposed, but public street parking is provided on most roadways in the vicinity of the site. The inventoried street parking found there to be at minimum 10 spaces available on a

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typical weekday. Built Work Gather also has an agreement with the preschool located at 299 Concord Avenue, approximately 250 feet west of the site, to provide 14 tandem parking spaces on weekends and nights. Utilizing census data, 25% of trips are expected to take place by vehicle. With a minimum of 24 total spaces available, an assessment can be made that the development can hold events up to 96 people without exceeding existing parking supply.

The following items are recommendations to manage parking demand for the site.

- The 14 tandem parking spaces provided by the neighboring preschool be utilized for events greater than 40 people
- Include a FAQ on the website regarding best ways to reach the site, and recommend clients use public transit, bicycle facilities, pedestrian amenities, and rideshare services

Given the site's proximity to public transportation and location in a walkable neighborhood, as well as the census mode share data, very few trips to the site are expected to take place by vehicle. Therefore, it is my opinion that development traffic will not have a significant impact on parking demand following the above recommendations.

### Pacheco, Maria

From: Laura Jean Studio <studio@ljfloral.com>

Sent: Wednesday, June 8, 2022 10:33 PM

To: Pacheco, Maria

Subject: Case no: BZA-176892

#### Hello,

We have been in this neighborhood for a long time and what was once a thriving area and tight knit community has been stricken down by the pandemic. Now that old businesses are coming back and new businesses are opening their doors, we are a little more hopeful that our shop and our neighbor's can survive this time. I do think Built converting to an event space would bring a lot of opportunity to many small businesses in this area. I do think an event space is an innovative and wonderful idea and Cathy has already demonstrated that most of her clients would be new to the neighborhood and become local patrons. She has also noted many of them will not be parking in the area but rather utilize car shares, so we really do not see any reason to deny this business access to the area. We are in support of Cathy and her venture at Built.

Thank you,

LauraJean Floral Team 270 Concord Avenue Cambridge MA

### Pacheco, Maria

From: GRACIELA GALUP < gracielagalup@comcast.net>

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 21, 2022 4:12 PM

To:Pacheco, MariaSubject:BZA-176892

### Dear Ms. Pacheco,

I'm writing in support of a local business in my neighborhood called Built. I feel that Built has helped to raise the character of the intersection of Walden and Concord Avenues. When I first moved to the neighborhood 10 years ago, it was a quiet corner with a few wonderful small businesses, but it had a somewhat dilapidated feeling. Nonetheless, the quaint historical commercial building at 281 Concord Avenue showed a lot of potential in an already existing small business district. I remember that a few businesses moved into this location over the years but they didn't manage to make a successful contribution to the area. When Cathy Wang tastefully restored and modernized the building and grounds, she created what I felt was an innovative business idea that could be of use and value to the neighborhood. But the timing of the opening of Built was unfortunate thanks to covid and the business wasn't able to flourish as I'm sure it otherwise would have. Since then, I am aware that Ms. Wang has changed the scope of her business to a neighborhood public space for functions and I think it's a wonderful idea. I walk by Built often and have occasionally noticed small gatherings of people enjoying themselves there and I did not feel that it was disruptive whatsoever. I think it's a great opportunity to have a walkable/bikeable function space for the neighborhood which can also be reached by public transportation. I welcome it and hope that her idea can bring more life and business to the area while keeping the flavor of the neighborhood. Her success would undoubtedly contribute not only to the existing unique shops and restaurants in that intersection but also to the other locally-owned businesses just a block away on Huron Avenue, and to the neighborhood character and value as a whole.

Sincerely, Graciela Galup 36 Copley Street June 22, 2022

To: Maria Pacheco Inspectional Service Department, City of Cambridge

#### **Letter of Support for Built**

I live on 258 Upland Road in North Cambridge, and am writing this letter of support for Built workspace. Cathy Wang has converted Built from an unused building (next to an empty lot) to an elegant, well-designed workspace. Apart from being an eye-catching and intriguing part of the neighborhood Built has served as a great addition to the mixed-use neighborhood, strengthening the business ecosystem of Concord Avenue which features diverse businesses such as restaurants, cafes, architecture offices, furniture stores and spas to name just a few. A workspace for local engineers, scientists, entrepreneurs and knowledge-workers to congregate could form the crux of a creative community in North Cambridge.

Built provides a high-quality public space, from co-working to private events to day-use offices. As an entrepreneur living here in the Observatory Hill neighborhood, I have had to travel to Kendall Square for quality work spaces. Importantly, neither Harvard Square, Porter Square, nor Alewife afford such workspaces for entrepreneurs and knowledge-workers. I very much appreciate the fact that I can go to a neighborhood space such as Built to meet with potential customers, collaborators or business partners — many of whom live in the neighborhood! I like the fact that Built has affordable and accessible daily meeting rental and private gathering event space rentals to the neighborhood community. This space could be used to further arts, music and public gatherings and form part of a vibrant community center.

In the heavily residential areas of North and West Cambridge, there is limited access to public spaces like Built. I strongly believe the City of Cambridge should encourage Built to be a public space that holds events (either public or private) and a safe-space for communities to build new ideas, businesses and connections. I am very pleased with this new and creative use of the building and look forward to seeing It further its mission to build a stronger and more vibrant community.

Thank you for your consideration!

Salil Desai

Case details:

Case: BZA-176892

Spillen

Location: 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA

Petitioner: 281 Concord LLC- % Xiaoguang (Cathy) Wang

June 23, 2022

To: Maria Pacheco
Inspectional Service Department,
City of Cambridge

Case: BZA-176892

Location: 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA

Petitioner: 281 Concord LLC- % Xiaoguang (Cathy) Wang

### Re: A letter for supporting Built's petition

I am a film degree graduate student from Mass Art College and am writing this letter of support for Built.

Built supported my graduation film shot at its open space and backyard patio.

Built provides a charming public space. As an artist, I appreciate a public space like Built to allow daily rental that further arts, music, and public gatherings at a culturally rich neighborhood.

I traveled through Europe and Asia. The new and creative use of the buildings are very common there after Covid pandemic. By allowing Built to operate as it is petitioning for, it will help build a more vibrant, safe, and less divisive community.

Thank you for your consideration!

Yangfan Luo

### **Letter of Support for Built**

Dear Maria,

We live on 293 Concord Avenue Cambridge, next door to Built. My wife and I are writing this letter of support for Built.

Built is a charming building on Concord Avenue. Our family has enjoyed being neighbors to Built.

Cathy Wang talked to our family about her vision of being able to open to the neighborhood through the hearing. Built's plan about opening the space to the public to allow neighbors and kids to appreciate live classic music and meeting with artists is very appealing to us.

Our family enjoys the Observatory neighborhood. It is vibrant, with shops, cafes, restaurants, design studios on our block. Built adds a missing piece which is a public gathering space. Built's plan to allow people in the city and in the neighborhood to have private events, and attend public events hosted by musicians, and artists are going to bring new patrons and foot traffic to the neighborhoods, enrich the culture, and engage the community, especially families. Built's business will benefit residents and businesses.

Built did not create noise or was disruptive to our neighborhood.

Thank you for your consideration!

Dan and Nataly Feldman 293 Concord Ave. Cambridge.

### Pacheco, Maria

From:

Phyllis Simpkins <hollywoodsix@icloud.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, June 22, 2022 7:55 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

Case #BZA 176892- 281 Concord Avenue

I wrote a letter opposing this petition for the last hearing, which I understand did not happen.

I continue to oppose the request for a special permit. This is a neighborhood with a combination of a few businesses and dense residential housing. This family oriented neighborhood is not designed to accommodate loud music, drinking outside, significant traffic and non-resident cars for events. Their management chose to ignore that their patrons were disturbing residents, parking illegally and breaking rules and regulations which forced families to call the police on several occasions.

This is not an appropriate location to pivot from a work space to an after hours event space. We all know that baby showers will not be their "bread and butter." They should not be granted a liquor license nor any other special permits that change their intent from a business work space to entertainment. Perhaps they should move to the Fresh pond mall which has many empty stores and plenty of nighttime parking.

Thank you. Phyllis Simpkins

Sent from my iPhone

### Pacheco, Maria

From:

Cathy Wang < cwang@shengen-cpa.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, June 22, 2022 10:13 PM

To: Cc: Pacheco, Maria

Culai a ata

**Built Works** 

Subject:

my abutter

Attachments:

Margarette Brown ABUTTER AGREEMENT and supplementary emails.pdf

Hello Maria,

When I started talking to cambridge community development about change of usage on March, 2022, i got the zoning code and was advised to ask the direct abutter to sign the form. Attached is the form, and email communication with the owner of 293-295 concord avenue Margarette Brown, who is the daughter of the owner. She granted egress to Built, and supported our construction from the beginning by letting us use their parking lot, and allowing access to build our backyard garden through their garden.

Please let me know if you can or I can upload this for a supper letter.

I cc'd her in this email.

Cathy

Cathy Wang, Partner, CPA <u>www.shengen-cpa.com</u> Built, Founder <u>www.builtworks.io</u>

Shen Gen Accounting, Tax, and Financial Services, LLC C: 857-498-1918 | 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02138

"Referrals are welcomed and greatly appreciated."



## OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

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DONNA P. LOPEZ INTERIM CITY CLERK

FORM)

### ABUTTERS FORM FOR SPECIAL PERMIT USE

To Whom It May Concern:	Date 3.29.22
As Owner of Agent of 293/295 Concord  Massachusetts, I do hereby declare my disapproval  application of 281 Concord Avenue for a special use permit under	approvalof the
Recreation."	
Signed: Manage & Bound Parish Rd. Am	Date 3.29.22 herst, NH 03031
ABUTTERS:	
PLEASE COMPLETE FORM WHETHER OR NOT YOU AP SPECIAL PERMIT AND RETURN IT TO THE <u>APPLICANT</u> INCLUSION IN THE APPLICATION.	
APPLICANT:	

PLEASE FILL IN DATE THAT FORM WAS DELIVERED TO ABUTTER (TOP RIGHT OF THIS



### Re: abutter agreement

Maggie Mimeault <mesmerize138@gmail.com>
To: Cathy Wang <cwang@shengen-cpa.com>
Cc: Built Works <hello@builtworks.io>

Tue, Mar 29, 2022 at 10:56 AM

Absolutely! I'll send it back momentarily!

- Maggie

On Tue, Mar 29, 2022 at 10:47 AM Cathy Wang <cwang@shengen-cpa.com> wrote: Hello Margaret,

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Would you please kindly sign this abutter form and email or mail back to us?

Our mailing address is:

281 concord avenue, cambridge, MA 02138 Thank you very much!

Cathy Wang, Partner, CPA www.shengen-cpa.com Built, Founder www.builtworks.io

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Tue, Mar 29, 2022 at 11:07 AM

I saw that! It looks so nice! I would definitely love to meet you for lunch sometime. I'll let you know when I'm in town!

Signed form is attached.

- Maggie

On Tue, Mar 29, 2022 at 11:05 AM Cathy Wang <cwang@shengen-cpa.com> wrote: Thank you so much Maggie!

Let me know when you will be in town, I would love to meet and have lunch or dinner with you. Do you know there is a new restaurant across the street of Hirise Bakery? They are packed every night:)

Cathy

On Tue, Mar 29, 2022 at 10:59 AM Maggie Mimeault <a href="mesmerize138@gmail.com">mesmerize138@gmail.com</a> wrote: Absolutely! I'll send it back momentarily!

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### Pacheco, Maria

From:

wani <wani@waniyang.com>

Sent:

Thursday, June 23, 2022 5:37 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

RE: CASE# BZA-176892- 281 Concord Ave, BUILT ---- Abutters letter from 280 Concord Ave

**Attachments:** 

281 Concord ave.pdf; parking map from BUILT website.pdf; FAQ Built- parking .pdf

Hello Maria,

My name is Wani Yang

I am a Cambridge resident.

I live at 280 Concord Ave and am an abutter to 281 Concord Ave- the petitioner.

I am also the landlord to 282, 290, 292, 294 Concord Ave and 380 Walden. My parents own the small business located at 294 Concord Avenue.

Thank you in advance for reviewing my concerns as an abutter to the petitioner.

# I want to voice that I do not support the permit that the petitioner of 281 Concord Avenue is looking to obtain at this time.

I would like to make the Board aware they have had 15 accounts of noise disturbance to the CPD since 2020. Some of the neighbors are quite concerned with the disturbances and the possibility of it escalating with the special permit being granted for allowing alcohol to be served, with live entertainment, louder loiterers, louder music etc within event hours and time after the city noise ordinances.

I have only reported the noise disturbance once on record with the CPD and because I am a direct abutter I chose to speak up for this hearing after being aware of other neighbor's own concerns with this petition and noise disturbances.

As I understand: Built- 281 Concord Ave wants to continue with business as an event space. It is observed that Some types of events that has been happening have been continued without the special permit since 2020-. Live music, dancing, loud music, over occupancy, alcohol served. One supervisor reported on site for most functions to monitor many attendees does not seem feasible.

The office space pivoting to a private event space was very sudden and our neighborhood did not have time to react to such a fierce change. I understand that COVID happened very quickly. Private Events were also being held pre-COVID.

I understand that COVID has changed the world, but if we can have some sense of quiet and normalcy where we live it matters. I know people will try keeping that quiet if it is being challenged so close to where we are present.

A couple of my neighbors and I decided to help make aware of the Permit she has petitioned for. We thought the entire neighborhood has the option of sending in concerns after hearing some facts if they choose. I don't think a concern can just be by an abutter, but from other neighbors. Flyers were sent and left in doorways and under door matts.

Cathy Wang the manager of the space singled me out, bullied me and intimidated me using the term "our war is on" which verbalizes the idea of violence and some sort of harm towards myself or possibly to anyone who wants to oppose the permit being granted.

A copy of message will be attached.

This leads me to believe she does not want me to voice "my particular" right as the abutter and as a Cambridge resident of the neighborhood.

She has also frightened myself and my parents at their cafe that is on the corner of Concord Ave and Walden by visiting their business and also my place of work right after her intimidating message was sent with her video taping us at work. I have surveillance. I would like to point out that My parents have nothing to do with her.

My tenants from The House of Chang has notified me that they are installing a camera in front of their business to record further littering, smoking on property from attendees of events and loitering incidents. Because I am the landlord, also a resident and abutter, the House of Chang have also elected me to say something. My families properties are right across and diagonal from Built 281 Concord Ave and has found litter and loitering from the attendees of her private events frequently. This includes where I reside 280 Concord Ave. Broken glass has repeatedly been found along sidewalks after certain events which brings danger to pets being walked, other pedestrians and families with strollers in the neighborhood. There is a daycare a few doors down on Concord Ave from the petitioner, I fear could be affected by the glass and litter that may be generated along the sidewalks from attendees leaving the event premise.

I don't think I feel safe at times when there are the larger and louder events going on across the street at night and I certainly don't feel safe now after the intimidating message Cathy Wang sent me.

Built moved into the neighborhood letting people know it was to be co-working office space. They have not upheld their original intentions of business in our neighborhood. Within a very short time the use of the space changed. This began Pre COVID.

The space for the past 5 decades at least has been used for retail space and or office in my neighborhood. I have personally been present for over 4 decades.

As I understand that the normalcy of the world had been paused by COVID for a period, and that businesses and the way of life shifted for many, I just know that we all want to keep ourselves safe and

find quiet time in the place we call home. Feeling safe and finding the quality of everyday be good is important. Being able to speak our minds is important.

I do know that the neighborhood just has always had a quiet one especially at night and weekends up until the private events started.

Additionally, Parking for residents and for the present businesses are greatly diminished when many events are being run at 281 Concord Ave. Congestion from ride shares prevents other cars, buses to pass safely and inevitably hinder emergency vehicles that would have to pass by. There is no loading zone in front of 281 Concord and I have observed that the loading and unloading of equipment from caterers and people setting up for the events take up many of the small business parking spaces during the day and the people setting up often seem like they put themselves in danger crossing back and forth to the event space. The event crew often park in spaces extended periods that the businesses need for customers throughout their open hours. Limited space already.

Attached you will find the police reports that I obtained from CPD and a message sent to me by the manager of 281 Concord Ave, Cathy Wang the petitioner.

I would also like to bring attention to Built's marketing on their website regarding parking. Attached you will also find some images of what Built's website states to aide the event attendees in securing a parking space.

What is also concerning is that Built especially states that residential spaces can be parked all day on Sundays and all other available spaces are mapped out on their website- color coded. As residents, we have family members who use those spaces with their visitor permits and also as residents ourselves, not being able to find a space on Sundays due to them being occupied by event attendees after a weekend away is frustrating.

You will also find one example/footage from an event that shows ride shares parked illegally on the side of the street, street congestion from multiple ride shares, people crossing in the middle of the street in traffic and cars trying to pass. This is one example of many that happens due to these events. This example is time stamped after midnight.

One example of broken glass after an event is also included for review.

Thank you in advance for being able to review this and considering my concerns.

Sincerely,

Wani Yang 280 Concord Ave

p: 617.686.9868 |e: wani@waniyang.com









Dear Wani,

Built is engaging a lawyer to sue you since you are harassing us.

Police department has all the call logs. The disposition from the police department will help us build the case against you.

Your behavior disgusted us. Even disgusted dis. Even disgusted neighbor it's when your flyer arrived to their mail





















Cathy Neighbor
Police department has
all the call logs. The
disposition from the police department will help us build the case against you.

Your behavior disgusted us. Even disgusted neighbor it's when your flyer arrived to their mail box

Our war is on

It seems that your relentless behavior can only be rationalized by law suit







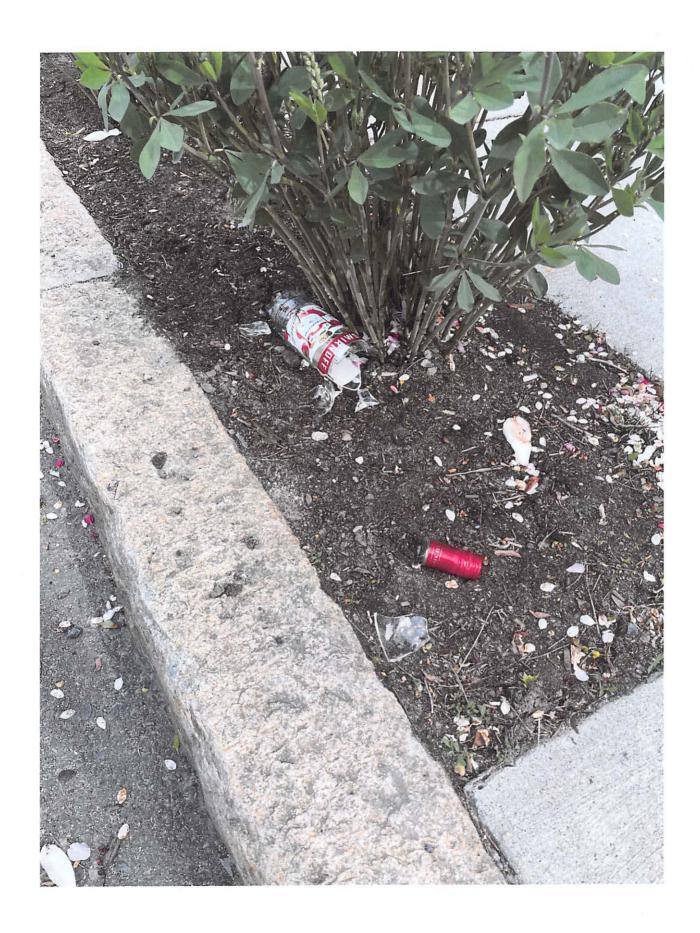


















Incident Inf	ormation							
]		ncident Da )2/06/202		:30:55	Call Taker dharmon			
Police # .	·	F	ire#			Ambulance #		
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Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN Landmar ST		ks	Additional SEGMENT ADDRESSES RANGE FROM 263 TO 297					
Reporting f	Person							
RP Name RP Phone			How Received RADIO					
RP Address Closed By dharmon			Date Closed 02/06/2021 18:31:26					

## **Incident Types**

Dispatch Class	Incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

## Note(s)

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL-TKR	02/06/2021 18:31:22	dharmon	front door was open, they have now closed it
UNITS	02/06/2021 18:31:22	dharmon	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY

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## **Officers and Units**

CAD Units			·
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name
CAM-PD	19	305	MARSHALL JR, DENNIS

## **Unit Statuses**

CAD Units							
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID		
19	RESP	18:31:22	N		dharmon		
19	ONLOC	18:31:22	N		dharmon		
19	CLEAR	18:31:26	Y		dharmon		

## **Dispositions**

Dispositi	Dispositions							
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By			
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	02/06/2021 18:31:24			MARSHALL JR,DENNIS			



Incident Info	rmation						
Incident # 21025138		Incident Da 04/03/202		:12:39		Call Taker gcohen	
Police #		Fire#			Ambulance #		
Incident Type (8) NOISE N		Description				Priority 3	
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RP Address			sed By urring	ton ·		ate Closed 4/03/2021 02:22:38	

## **Incident Types**

Dispatch Class	Incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

## Note(s)

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL- TKR	04/03/2021 02:13:03	gcohen	large gathering in the commerical space at this loc - loud music
UNITS	04/03/2021 02:13:03	gcohen	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
	1		

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CALL- TKR	04/03/2021 02:13:03	_	Added by Update-and-Continue: More information to follow.
INFO	04/03/2021 02:13:38	gcohen	inside and outside this loc according to RP.
INFO	04/03/2021 02:22:46	kharringto	done for the night

## **Officers and Units**

CAD Units				
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name	
CAM-PD	5	654	BROWN, ZACHARY	
CAM-PD	5X	670	KUNCHOK, TENZIN	

## **Unit Statuses**

CAD Un	CAD Units							
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID			
5	RESP	02:13:22	N		kharrington			
5X	RESP	02:13:24	N		kharrington			
5	CLEAR	02:22:37	Y		kharrington			
5X	CLEAR	02:22:38	Y		kharrington			

## **Dispositions**

Dispositions .						
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	04/03/2021 02:22:40			BROWN, ZACHARY	



Incident Inf	ormation								
Incident # 21029260			1			Call Taker rskorker			
Police #		Fire#			Ambulance	#			
Incident Type (8) NOISE	MUSIC		Description			Priority 3			
Ems Level	Alarm L	Alarm Level Modified By			1	Modified Date 04/17/2021 00:15:35			
Event Infor	nation								
Municipality 1 CAMBRI	DGE					Business BUILT	Name		
Fire Box 83					RA 908 .				
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Reporting F	erson						•		
RP Name		RP Phone			How Received 3300				
RP Address		Closed By feliacin			Date Closed 04/17/2021	00:45:42			

## **Incident Types**

Dispatch Class	incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

## Note(s)

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL-TKR	04/17/2021 00:15:35	rskorker	loud party
UNITS	04/17/2021 00:15:35	rskorker	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
INFO	04/17/2021 00:45:58	feliacin	party done

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## **Officers and Units**

CAD Units					
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name		
CAM-PD	5	659 <sup>-</sup>	O'REGAN, BRIAN		
CAM-PD	5X	660	ANTONOPOULOS, MILTIADES		

## **Unit Statuses**

CAD Units							
Unit ID	Status .	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID		
5	RESP	00:16:25	N		feliacin		
5X	RESP	00:16:25	N		feliacin		
5	ONLOC	00:18:04	N		feliacin		
5X	ONLOC	00:19:45	N		feliacin		
5	CLEAR	00:45:41	Y		feliacin		
5X	CLEAR	00:45:42	Y		feliacin		

## Dispositions

Dispositions								
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By			
POLICE	(124) SERVICED, NOTES	04/17/2021 00:45:59			O'REGAN, BRIAN			



Incident Inf	ormation					v-		
Incident # 21040192			Incident Date 05/23/2021 20:47:58			Call Taker hperez		
Police #		Fire#			1	Ambulance	#	
Incident Type (8) NOISE	MUSIC	Descrip	tion .		1	Priority		) managed to the second of the
			ed By		- 1	Modified Date 05/23/2021 20:48:56		
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Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN ST				Landmarks Additional		al		
Reporting F	erson							
RP Name			RP Phone		Hov 330	v Received		
RP Address	RP Address Closed By gmwillia				1	e Closed 23/2021	20:56:1	9

Dispatch Class	Incident Type			
AMBULANCE				
FIRE/RESCUE				
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC			

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL-TKR	05/23/2021 20:48:56	hperez	loud music and talking, outdoor function area
UNITS	05/23/2021 20:48:56	hperez	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
INFO	05/23/2021 20:56:42	gmwillia	space is rented until 10pm will move it inside

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## **Officers and Units**

CAD Units						
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name			
CAM-PD.	11R	469	MALDONADO,THOMAS			
CAM-PD	5	659	O'REGAN, BRIAN			

### **Unit Statuses**

CAD Un	its ·				
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	· Avail?	Location	Disp ID
11R	RESP	20:50:17	N.		gmwillia
5	RESP	20:50:17	N		gmwillia
5	ONLOC	20:54:39	. N		gmwillia
11R	ONLOC	20:55:17	N		tmaldona
11R	ONLOC	20:55:18	N		tmaldona
5	CLEAR	20:56:17	Y		gmwillia
11R	CLEAR	20:56:19	Y		gmwillia

Dispositions						
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	(124) SERVICED, NOTES	05/23/2021 20:56:42			O'REGAN, BRIAN	



Incident Inf	ormation							
Incident# 21040255		Incident Date 05/24/2021 (				Call Taker ncampbell		
Police #		Fire#			Ambulance	#		
Incident Type (8) NOISE	MUSIC	Description			Priority 3			
Ems Level Alarm Level Modified By				Modified Date 05/24/2021 02:12:19			12:19	
Event Infor	mation							
Municipality 1 CAMBRI	DGE	7			Business Name BUILT			
Fire Box 83				*	RA 908			
Correct Locati BUILT /	on CONCORD	AVE .		:				
Street#		et Name NCORD AVE			Apartme	nt#	Cross Street	
Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN ST			Landmarks		Additio	onal		
Reporting F	erson		7					
RP Name	29	RP Phone	Ho 33	w Received 00				
RP Address		Closed By dlinehan	1	e Closed /24/2021 02:	36:10			

Dispatch Class	Incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL- TKR	05/24/2021 02:12:19	ncampbell	loud party, music and people. Caller stated on going issue at this location.
UNITS	05/24/2021 02:12:19		SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY

INFO	05/24/2021	dlinehan	building is being used as a hall.
	02:36:05		different party from earlier.
			party now broken up

#### **Officers and Units**

CAD Units						
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name			
CAM-PD	5	636	NICOTRA,ALFRED			
CAM-PD	5X	662	EVANS, JONATHAN			

## **Unit Statuses**

CAD Un	its				
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID
5	RESP	02:14:53	N		dlinehan
5X	RESP	02:14:53	N		dlinehan
5	ONLOC	02:14:55	N		dlinehan
5X	ONLOC	02:14:55	N		dlinehan
5	ONLOC	02:14:58	Y		dlinehan
5X	ONLOC	02:14:58	Y		dlinehan
5X .	ONLOC	02:22:25	N		dlinehan
5	ONLOC	02:22:26	N		dlinehan
5	CLEAR	02:36:09	Y		dlinehan
5X	CLEAR	02:36:10	Y		dlinehan

Dispositions						
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	05/24/2021 02:36:12			NICOTRA,ALFRED	



Incident inf	ormation								
Incident # 21040258			1.1			Call Taker gcohen			
Police #			Fire#	22.50.10			Ambulance #		
Incident Type (8) NOISE MUSIC			Description			Priority 3			
Ems Level Alarm Level			1				Modified Date 05/24/2021 02:52:31		
Event Infor	mation						Traverse tracers		
Municipality 1 CAMBRI	DGE				Business N BUILT			- 1,	
Fire Box 83					RA 908				
Correct Locati BUILT /		RD AVE							
Street#		Street Nar	ne ORD AVE			Apartme	nt#	Cross Street	
Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN ST					Landmarks		Addition	al .	
Reporting F	Person								
RP Name					How Received 3300				
RP Address	ress Closed By Date					Date Closed 05/24/2021 03:13:39			

Dispatch Class	Incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
1	05/24/2021 02:51:45	gcohen	RP concerned that 100-200 ppl outside dispersing are still partying, going into people's properties, cursing, yelling, etc.
UNITS	05/24/2021 02:51:45	gcohen	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY

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4	05/24/2021 02:51:45	gcohen	Added by Update-and-Continue: More information to follow.
4	05/24/2021 02:52:19	gcohen	RP complaining because one of them threw a bottle onto his property and was yellling/being loud outside RP's home.
	05/24/2021		RP refused info but sts this happens every weekend.

# **Officers and Units**

CAD Units						
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name			
CAM-PD	11R	656	SOREY, BRIELLE			
CAM-PD	13R	601	MCGINTY, DANIEL			
CAM-PD	. 5	636	NICOTRA,ALFRED			
CAM-PD	5X	662	EVANS, JONATHAN			

## **Unit Statuses**

CAD Un	CAD Units						
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID		
11R	RESP	02:53:07	N		cbetts		
5 ·	RESP	02:53:52	N		· cbetts		
5X	RESP	02:53:52	N	·	cbetts		
11R	CLEAR	02:53:55	Y		cbetts		
13R	RESP	02:54:48	N		cbetts		
13R	CLEAR	03:13:39	Y		cbetts		
5	CLEAR	03:13:39	Y		cbetts		
5X	CLEAR	03:13:39	Y		cbetts		

Dispositions						
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	05/24/2021 03:13:43	·		SOREY, BRIELLE	



Incident Inf	ormation							
Incident # 21056885			cident Da 7/15/202		:21:39		Call Taker dharmon	
Police #		Fi	re #				Ambulance #	
Incident Type (8) NOISE	MUSIC	De	escription				Priority 3	
Ems Level	Ems Level Alarm Level N			y			Modified Date 07/15/2021 21:22:57	
Event Infor	mation							
Municipality 1 CAMBRIDGE				Business Name				
Fire Box 83				RA 908				
Correct Locati	on ORD AVE					***************************************		
Street #	Street Name CONCORD A	VE		Apartment #			Cross Street	
Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN ST		Landmarl	Landmarks Additional SEGMEN TO 297		T ADDRESSES RANGE FROM 263			
Reporting F	Person							
RP Name RP Ph		RP Pho	P Phone		How Received 3300			
			Closed By aspears			Date Closed 07/15/2021 21:43:49		

Dispatch Class	Incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC ·

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL- TKR	07/15/2021 21:22:56	dharmon	loud music and party
UNITS	07/15/2021	dharmon	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY

	21:22:56		·
CLOSED	07/15/2021 21:43:49	aspears	INCIDENT CLOSED
HNEO	07/15/2021 21:44:32	lachearc	STS OWNER OF THIS PLACE CALLED HIM AND TURNED OFF MUSIC

Dispositions								
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By			
POLICE	(103) CANCELED BY RP	07/15/2021 21:44:32						



Incident Inf	ormation						
Incident # 21079424		•	Incident Date 09/17/2021 23:59:06			Call Taker efullerton	
Police#		Fire#				Ambulance#	
Incident Type (8) NOISE MUSIC		Descriptio	Description			Priority 3	
Ems Level	Alarm Level	Modified By				Modified Date 09/18/2021 00:00:06	
Event Infor	mation				- Simon		
Municipality 1 CAMBRIDGE			Busir	Business Name			
Fire Box 83			RA 908				
Correct Locati	ion ORD AVE				-		
Street #	Street Name CONCORD AV	√E	Apar	Apartment # Cross Street		Cross Street	
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Reporting F	erson						
RP Name		RP Phon	e -/	•	How 3300	Received O	
RP Address		Closed B	-			Closed 8/2021 00:15:51	

Dispatch Class	Incident Type	
AMBULANCE		
FIRE/RESCUE	·	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC	

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL-TKR	09/18/2021 00:00:06	efullerton	LOUD PARTY ON BACK PATIO
UNITS	09/18/2021 00:00:06	efullerton	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
INFO	09/18/2021 00:15:58	lspencer	party shut down per 10R

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### **Officers and Units**

CAD Units				
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name	
CAM-PD	10R	577	BURKE, STEVEN C	
CAM-PD	11R	701	LEVINS, BRIAN	

### **Unit Statuses**

CAD Un	CAD Units						
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID		
10R	RESP	00:00:33	, N'		lspencer		
11R	RESP	00:00:33	N		lspencer		
10R	CLEAR	00:15:51	Y		. lspencer		
11R	CLEAR	00:15:51	Y		lspencer		

	Dispositi	ons				
-4	Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By
	POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	09/18/2021 00:15:53			BURKE, STEVEN C



Incident Inf	ormation					
Incident # 21082240			ncident Date 09/25/2021 21:53:43			Call Taker tcerasale
Police #		Fire#				Ambulance #
Incident Type (8) NOISE MUSIC		Description				Priority 3
Ems Level Alarm Level Modified By mcarpenit			Modified Date 09/25/2021 22:11:19		100000000000000000000000000000000000000	
Event Infor	mation	**************************************	EC 8 W( 0	***************************************	******	
Municipality 1 CAMBRIDGE			Business Name			
Fire Box 83			RA 908			
Correct Locati	on ORD AVE					
Street#	Street Name CONCORD AVE		Apar	tment#		Cross Street
Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN Landmar ST		ks .	Additional SEGMENT ADDRESSES RANGE FROM 2 TO 297		PRESSES RANGE FROM 263	
Reporting F	erson					
RP Name RP Phone		е	How 330		Received )	
RP Address		Closed B mcarpe	-		Date Closed 09/25/2021 22:11:25	

Dispatch Class.	Incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
1	09/25/2021 21:54:30	tcerasale	RP STS HER SON IS ONLY 15 AND TRYING TO SLEEP BUT CANT DUE TO LOUD PARTY STS THAT ITS A STREET OVER - UNK WHAT STREET
		·	

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4	09/25/2021 21:54:30	tcerasale	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
	09/25/2021 21:54:30	tcerasale	Added by Update-and-Continue: More information to follow.
	09/25/2021 22:11:19	mcarpenito	FROM: (1) 5 DONNELL ST TO (1) 281 CONCORD AVE
4	09/25/2021 22:11:19	mcarpenito	TURNED THE MUSIC DOWN BEFORE POLICE ARRIVED BUT AGREED TO KEEP IT DOWN

# **Officers and Units**

CAD Units				
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name	
CAM-PD	10R	629	GALUSKI,KYLE	
CAM-PD	13R	624	NEIL,MICHAEL	

### **Unit Statuses**

CAD Units							
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Ayail?	Location	Disp ID		
10R	RESP	21:55:18	N		mcarpenito		
13R	RESP	21:55:18	N		mcarpenito		
13R	ONLOC	22:01:21	N		mcarpenito		
10R	ONLOC	22:01:23	N		mcarpenito		
10R	CLEAR	22:11:22	Y		mcarpenito		
13R	CLEAR	22:11:25	Y		mcarpenito		

Dispositions						
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	09/25/2021 22:11:27			GALUSKI,KYLE	



Incident Info	ormation							•
Incident # 21084841			Incident Date 10/02/2021 22	2:10:47	1	Call Taker feliacin		
Police#			Fire#			Ambulance	#	
Incident Type (8) NOISE MUSIC			1 - 1			Priority 3		
Ems Level Alarm Level			1 1			Modified Date 10/02/2021 22:12:19		
Event Inform	nation							
Municipality 1 CAMBRII	DGE					Business Name BUILT		
Fire Box 83						RA 908		
Correct Location BUILT / 281		RD AVE	,					
Street #		Street Nat	me ORD AVE			Apartme	ıt #	Cross Street
Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN ST					Landmarks		Additions	al ·
Reporting P	erson							
RP Name	RP Phone How Rec			w Received 00				
RP Address		4	sed By Willia	te Closed /02/2021 22:2	29:58			

Dispatch Class	incident Type
AMBULANCE ·	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
UNITS	10/02/2021 22:11:51	feliacin	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
	10/02/2021 22:11:51	feliacin	Added by Update-and-Continue: More information to follow.

	10/02/2021 22:12:09	feliacin	RP STS LOUD MUSIC COMING FROM THIS BUSINESS	
CALL- TKR	10/02/2021 22:12:19	feliacin	PPL IN THE STREET BEING LOUD	
INFO	10/02/2021 22:13:39	Tenacin	RP STS PEOPLE DRINKING ON THE ST AS WELL , TALKING LOUDLY , BABY CANT SLEEP	
INFO	10/02/2021 22:29:38	etompkins	owner and contact info per 13R -	
INFO	10/02/2021 22:30:06	gmwillia	party is over	

### **Officers and Units**

CAD Units							
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name				
CAM-PD	10R	690	HOUSTON, SAMUEL				
CAM-PD	11R	687	RUSSELL,CAITLYN				
CAM-PD	13R	577	BURKE, STEVEN C				

#### **Unit Statuses**

CAD Units						
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID	
10R	RESP	22:14:52	N	·	gmwillia	
11R	RESP	22:14:52	N		gmwillia	
13R	RESP	22:15:56	N		gmwillia	
11R	ONLOC	22:19:30	N		gmwillia	
10R	ONLOC	22:21:08	N		gmwillia	
10R	CLEAR	22:29:58	Y		gmwillia	
11R	CLEAR	22:29:58	Y		gmwillia	
13R	CLEAR	22:29:58	Y		gmwillia	

Dispositi	ons				
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By
POLICE	(124) SERVICED, NOTES	10/02/2021 22:30:07		·	HOUSTON,SAMUEL



Incident Info	rmation						· ·	
l E			ncident Da 04/30/202		:20:49		Call Taker feliacin	
Police #		1	Fire#			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Ambulance #	
Incident Type (8) NOISE MUSIC			Description				Priority 3	
			Modified By feliacin				Modified Date 04/30/2022 22:22:03	
Event Inforr	nation		•					
Municipality 1 CAMBRIDGE				Business Name				
Fire Box 83				PA				
Correct Location CONCO		3						
Street #	Street Na CONC	ame ORD AVE		Apartment # Cross Street			Cross Street	
Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN ST			cs	SEGMENT ADDRESSES RANGE FROM 263 TO 297				
Reporting P	erson	//						
RP Name RP Phone				How Receive				
RP Address Closed By cchabot				Date Closed 04/30/2022 22:43:57				

Dispatch Class	incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL- TKR	04/30/2022 22:21:26	feliacin	loud music
UNITS	04/30/2022	feliacin	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY

	22:21:26		
	04/30/2022 22:21:26	feliacin	Added by Update-and-Continue: More information to follow.
INFO	04/30/2022 22:44:13	cchabot	SPOKE TO THEM / NOISE AT REASONABLE LEVEL AND ENDING AT 2300 HRS

### **Officers and Units**

CAD Units ·						
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name			
CAM-PD	5	660	ANTONOPOULOS, MILTIADES			
CAM-PD	5	687	RUSSELL,CAITLYN			

#### **Unit Statuses**

CAD Units						
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location		Disp ID
5	RESP	22:21:38	N			cchabot
<b>5</b> .	CLEAR	22:43:57	Y			cchabot

Dispositions						
		Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	04/30/2022 22:43:58			ANTONOPOULOS, MILTIADES	



Incident in	ormation								
Incident#			1			Call Taker			
22040844			05/01/2022	20:44:23		ecrane			
Police #			Fire#			Ambulance	#		
Incident Type (8) NOISE	MUSIC		Description			Priority 3			
Ems Level Alarm Level			Modified By			Modified Date 05/01/2022 20:45:16			
Event Infor	mation			****					
Municipality 1 CAMBR1	DGE					Business Name BUILT			
Fire Box 83						RA 908			
Correct Locat BUILT /		RD AVE							
Street#		Street Nat CONCC	ne RD AVE			Apartme	nt#	Cross Street	
Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN ST				Landmarks		Addition	al		
Reporting I	Person								
RP Name		RP	Phone	How 330	Received 0				
RP Address	Closed By Date Closed cchabot 05/01/2022 20:59:45					,			

Dispatch Class	Incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL- TKR	05/01/2022 20:45:15	ecrane	LOUD PARTY - DISRUPTING NEIGHBORS
UNITS	05/01/2022 20:45:15	ecrane	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
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INFO 05/01/2022 cchabot BIRTHDAY PARTY / TURNING DOWN MUSIC 20:59:56 AND CLOSING DOORS

## **Officers and Units**

CAD Units							
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name				
CAM-PD	5	636	NICOTRA,ALFRED				
CAM-PD	5	662	EVANS, JONATHAN				

#### **Unit Statuses**

CAD Units						
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID	
5	RESP	20:45:40	N		cchabot	
5	ONLOC	20:58:40	N		cchabot	
5	CLEAR	20:59:45	Y		cchabot	

Dispositions						
Туре	Disposition .	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	05/01/2022 20:59:46			NICOTRA,ALFRED	



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Incident Inf	ormation								
Incident#						Call Taker			
22040866			05/01/2022	22:51:09	<u> </u>	aspears			
Police#			Fire#			Ambulance	#		
Incident Type (8) NOISE MUSIC			1.			Priority			
						Modified Date 05/01/2022 22:51:45			
Event Infor	mation			.,					
Municipality 1 CAMBRI	DGE					Business Name BUILT			
Fire Box 83						RA 908			
Correct Locati BUILT /		RD AVE	,						
Street #	٠	Street Nat CONC	me ORD AVE			Apartme	nt#	Cross Street	
Near BET APPLETON & WALDEN ST				Landmarks	Landmarks Additiona		al		
Reporting F	erson	F WILLIAM							
RP Name		RP	RP Phone How Received 3300						
RP Address	Closed By Date Closed								

Dispatch Class	incident Type
AMBULANCE	
FIRE/RESCUE	
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL-TKR	05/01/2022 22:51:44	aspears	same rp sts they are being loud again
UNITS	05/01/2022 22:51:44	aspears	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
INFO	05/01/2022 23:04:23	gmwillia	rp called again, advised of roll call

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### **Officers and Units**

CAD Units						
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name			
CAM-PD	5	658	CALLINAN, DANIEL			
CAM-PD	5	675	AYOUB, NICHOLAS J.			

### **Unit Statuses**

CAD Units							
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID		
5 .	RESP	23:05:39	N		feliacin		
5	CLEAR	23:19:56	Y	·	feliacin		

Dispositions						
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	·	05/01/2022 23:19:59			CALLINAN, DANIEL	



Incident Inf	formation								
Incident # 22042790						Call Taker efullerto	Call Taker efullerton		
Police #			Fire#	****		Ambulance	#		
Incident Type (8) NOISE			Description			Priority 3			
Ems Level	Alarm Lev	el	Modified By		•	Modified D 05/06/20		3:16	
Event Infor	mation								
Municipality 1 CAMBR	DGE					Business Name BUILT			
Fire Box 83						<b>RA</b> 908			
Correct Locat BUILT	ion CONCOR	ED AVE							
Street#		Street Nan CONCC	ne ORD AVE			Apartme	nt#	Cross Street	
Near BET APPL	ETON & W	ALDEN	ST		Landmarks		Addition	al	
Reporting I	Person							·	
RP Name		RP I	P Phone How Received 3300						
RP Address	Closed By Date Close			Closed 06/2022 23:4	4:35				

Dispatch Class	incident Type	
AMBULANCE		
FIRE/RESCUE		·
POLICE	NOISE MUSIC	

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
	05/06/2022 22:48:16	efullerton	LOUD PARTY
UNITS	05/06/2022 22:48:16	efullerton	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
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-	INFO	05/06/2022	PARTY CLEARING OUT / TURNING DOWN
		23:44:41	AND LEAVING SHORTLY

# **Officers and Units**

CAD Units						
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name			
CAM-PD	5	636	NICOTRA,ALFRED			
CAM-PD	5	662 ·	EVANS, JONATHAN			

### **Unit Statuses**

CAD Units						
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID	
5	RESP	23:10:53	N		cchabot	
5	ONLOC	23:23:34	N		cchabot	
5	CLEAR	23:44:35	. Y		cchabot	

Dispositions					
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	05/06/2022 23:44:36			NICOTRA,ALFRED



Incider	nt Info	rmatic	n					
Incident 200068			:	Incident Date 01/26/2020 00:02:43			Call Taker ecrane	
Police #				Fire#			Ambulance #	
Incident Type (8) NOISE MUSIC			Descri	iption		Priority 3		
Ems Lev	el	Alarm	Level	Modif cchal	•		Modified Date 01/26/2020 00:22:51	
Event I	nform	ation						
Municipality 1 CAMBRIDGE				Business Name				
Fire Box 83	1			RA 1009				
Correct I		_	VE ·					
Street#		Name CORI	O AVĘ	Apartment # Cr			Cross Street	
Near Landmarks		Additional NEAR 298 CONCORD		NCO	RD AVE & 375 WALDEN ST			
Report	ing Pe	rson						
RP Name RP Phone		·		How Received 3300				
RP Address Closed By cchabot		y Date			Date Closed 01/26/2020 00:22:55			

Dispatch Class		Incident Type	
AMBULANCE	•		
FIRE/RESCUE			
POLICE		NOISE MUSIC	

Note Type	Entered By	User ID	Note
CALL- TKR	01/26/2020 00:03:37	ecrane	OFFICE WORKSPACE / LOUD PARTY
UNITS	01/26/2020 00:03:37	ecrane	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY
UNITS	1	ecrane	SEND 2 OFFICERS FOR LOUD PARTY

LOC	01/26/2020		FROM: (1) 381 CONCORD AVE TO (1) CONCORD	
CHG	00:18:49		AVE & WALDEN ST	
CALL- TKR	01/26/2020 00:18:49	gmwillia	i states at the corner of concord and walden	
LOC	01/26/2020	cchabot	FROM: (1) CONCORD AVE & WALDEN ST TO (1) 281	
CHG	00:22:51		CONCORD AVE	
INFO	01/26/2020 00:22:59	cchabot	ADVISED TO KEEP IT DOWN	

## Officers and Units

CAD Units					
Agency Name	Unit ID	Personnel Id	Officer Name		
CAM-PD	5	645	HEPNER, ANDREW		
CAM-PD	5	655	NICOTRA, JOSEPH		

# **Unit Statuses**

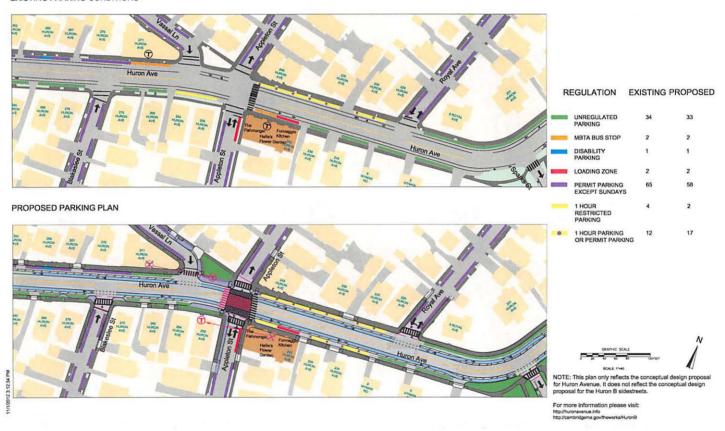
CAD Units					
Unit ID	Status	Date/Time	Avail?	Location	Disp ID
5	RESP	00:08:08	N		cchabot
5 .	ONLOC	00:20:39	N		cchabot
5	CLEAR	00:22:55	Y		cchabot

Dispositions						
Туре	Disposition	Date/Time	Incident Report?	Accident Report?	Due By	
POLICE	(123) SERVICED,NO RPT	01/26/2020 00:22:56			HEPNER, ANDREW	

#### HURON AVE, CAMBRIDGE, MA - APPLETON CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT PARKING

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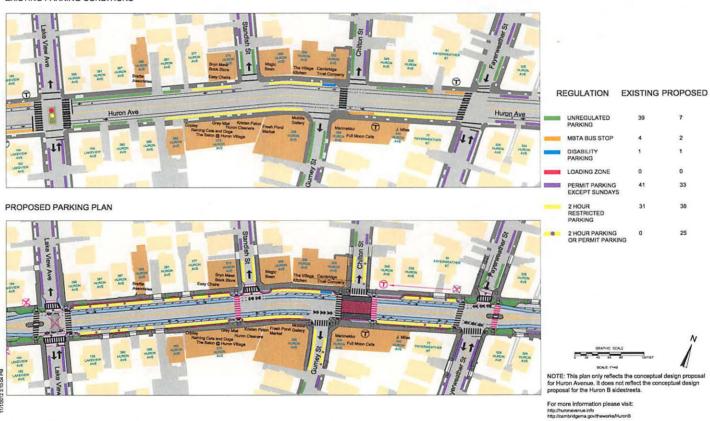
#### EXISTING PARKING CONDITIONS



#### HURON AVE, CAMBRIDGE, MA - CHILTON CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT PARKING

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Q: Can you tell me if you have an easel for me to put a welcome sign?

A: We ordered an easel. I do not have a graphic designer so you might need to write or draw by yourself.

Q: I'm wondering if we would have access to the fridge to hold food and beverages and if we can bring our own decorations, balloons, etc.

A: Yes, you will be able to use our two fridges. We also have a full size convection oven. We can provide white modern plates, silverware and wine glasses.

#### **PARKING:**

Q: Where is the best place to park and for the caterer to park to unload our items for the shower?

A: It is on street parking. There are many non-metered parking spots across the street. On concord avenue/huron avenue, there are a lot of spaces for free all day parking. See the link to the parking map.

On Sunday, you can park anywhere - even with a resident permit area. We have a map for your parking.

PARKING MAP

#### **CLEANING:**

Q: Am I responsible for cleanup?

A: We will clean the space before and after your event: sweeping, mopping, detailing the bathroom, and taking care of any necessary repairs.

## HURON AVE, CAMBRIDGE, MA - APPLETON CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT PARKING

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#### **EXISTING PARKING CONDITIONS**



## HURON AVE, CAMBRIDGE, MA - CHILTON CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT PARKING

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#### **EXISTING PARKING CONDITIONS**

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NOTE: This plan only reflects the conceptual design proposal for Huron Avenue. It does not reflect the conceptual design proposal for the Huron B sidestreets.

For more information please visit: http://huronavenue.lnfo http://cambridgema.gov/theworks/HuronB To:

Maria Pacheco
mpacheco@cambridgema.gov
Inspectional Service Department
City of Cambridge

From:

Danielle Ayer/ Email: <u>danielle@talullacambridge.com</u> Conor Dennehy/Email: kitchen@talullacambridge.com

Owners

Talulla Restaurant

Address: 377 Walden Street Cambridge, MA 02138

Date: June 23, 2022

Re:Case no: BZA-176892

Location: 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA

Dear Maria,

Danielle and I wish to provide our support in favor of the special permit that Built is petitioning for.

We believe that Built at 281 Concord Avenue has been a great addition to the neighborhood as follows:

- As a business owner myself, I support any efforts that ensure the creative and new use of building. The Covid pandemic changed people's behavior permanently. Office buildings are no longer needed as much as they were pre-pandemic. Built's pivot to an event space is a necessary business move.
- Business owners' ability to create new and interesting spaces in our mixed-use neighborhood of Observatory Hill is a credit to their ingenuity, resiliency, and creativity, and should be celebrated and supported in every way possible.
- Built's switch to event usage enlivens the Concord Avenue and Walden Street area and
  fosters a safe and business-friendly atmosphere. I support making sure commercial
  buildings are here to stay for our small businesses and community.

• I also want Built's owner to know that they are supported and appreciated, and that there is a demand for an event space in our neighborhood.

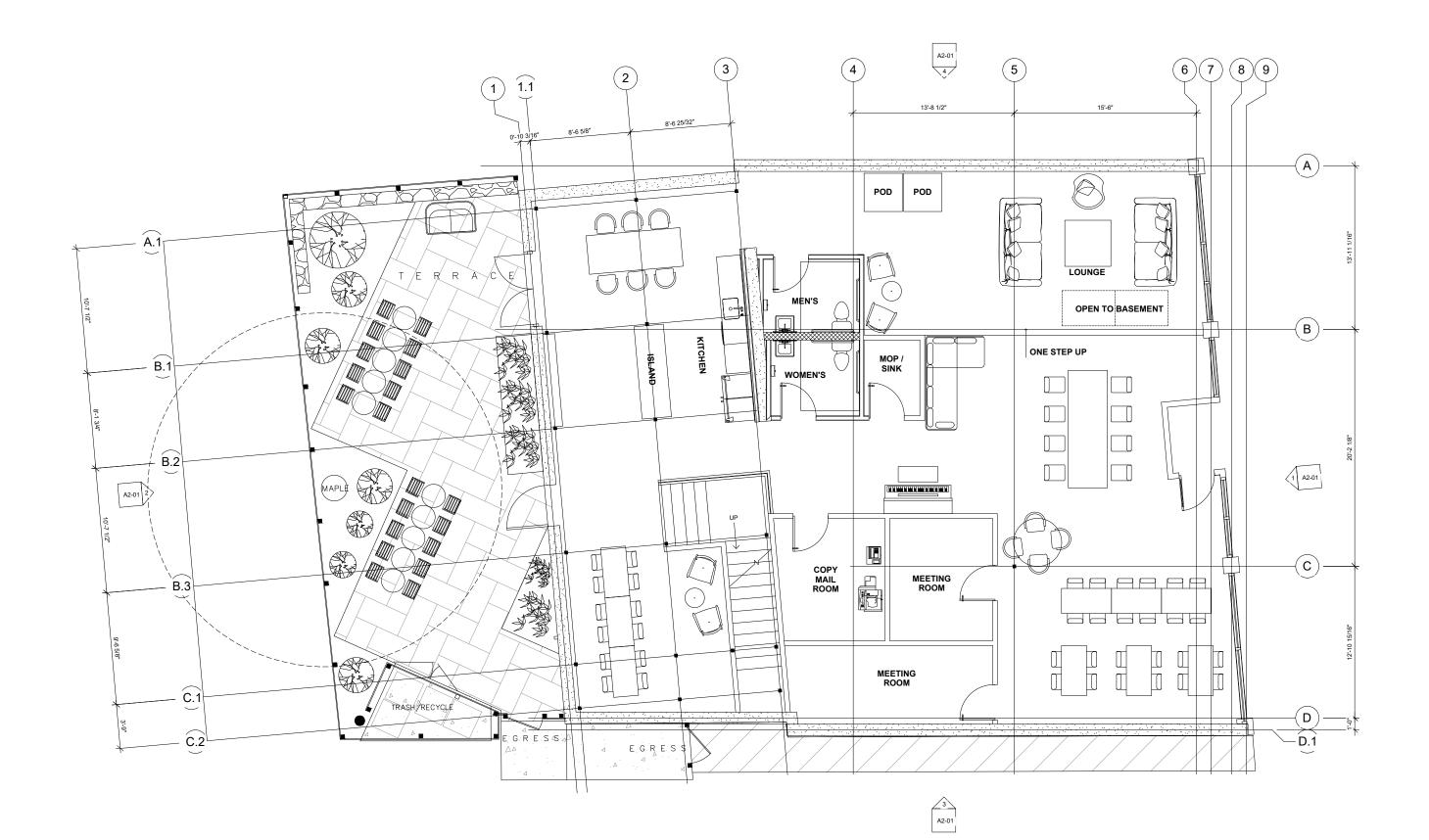
In general, I believe any effort to rethink how to use this commercial building in a positive and communal way should be supported and protected.

Thank you for your kind consideration.

Sincerely,

Conor Dennehy

Danielle Ayer



To Whom It May Concern,

As an expecting parent with deep ties to Cambridge, I would like to express my strong support for Built at 281 Concord Ave in Cambridge. Its mission to serve as a community gathering place is special enough – and the fact it is stewarded by a single mother, passionate community builder, and woman of color in a neighborhood that has seen more than its fair share of profit-driven development is exceptional.

Built is an integral part of the West Cambridge community. Ask the parents who have had their baby showers here. Or the nonprofits that have hosted informational sessions. The examples go on and on.

Cathy Wang's inviting and community-oriented building can continue to support *crucial* programming for community relationship building, celebration, education, culture, health/wellness, employment, and local pride. I hope this space maintains its right to be a reasonably affordable meeting and working place for moderately sized gatherings from the Cambridge and surrounding area.

Sincerely yours,

Mercy Bell

(415) 559 7632



99 Bishop Allen Drive Cambridge, MA 02139 617.354.8991 PHONE

June 24, 2022

Maria Pacheco Inspectional Service Department, City of Cambridge Case: BZA-176892

RE: 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA

Dear Ms. Pacheco and Zoning Board Members,

I am writing this letter in support of the **Built** space's continued usage as a special events and meeting space.

Spaces like **Built** are invaluable to a thriving and future looking Cambridge. Solvable issues like parking, noise level, hours, specific event criteria/capacity, should not hinder a local, thoughtfully designed and relatively affordable space like **Built** from taking root on a commercially zoned stretch of a classic Cambridge neighborhood.

**Built** would be an amazing candidate for non-profits like YPP, to use for donor fundraisers, foundation meet-and-greets, and community awareness gatherings. While we are thrilled to have the privilege of occupying the newly renovated Cambridge Non-Profit Center at 99 Bishop Allen Drive in Central Square, there are only two (2) medium-sized conference rooms available for tenants' usage. Other options for such events are often corporate, require a specific membership or affiliation and /or are prohibitively expensive. (i.e. We Work, CIC, etc.) The Young People's Project and our sister organization, The Algebra Project, are likely two of many organizations that would benefit and would plan to utilize such a space upon approval of the special permit.

On a personal level, I was born and raised in Cambridge, as a youth played soccer at many of the fields a stone's throw from **Built**, attended Cambridge Public schools from K - 12th grade, and have known and been in community with hundreds of kids and families from ALL Cambridge neighborhoods, including this one. One of the best aspects of growing up in such and amazing and diverse place like Cambridge was this diversity of people and experiences *across* the city. Cambridge needs spaces like **Built** to thrive.

Lastly, while I have not been following this special permit application super closely, I am taken aback by some of the issues and language I have seen used in opposition to what I understand to be an "as-of-right" permit.

"Night Club Crowds". A night club is a place, not a type of person. It's fine to restrict features of a nightclub from a space (i.e. bars, loud music, late hours, dancefloors, large capacities, etc.) However, what doesn't sit right is labeling a "right" type of crowd for the neighborhood. Unvalidated concerns about the "safety" of children around certain types of people, sounds like a familiar dog whistle and reading between the lines has no place in the City of Cambridge.

**Public Parking**, whether permitted or not, is <u>not</u> a right, it's a privilege. There are many recent and local examples of this shift in parking related public policy: the permanent replacement of metered parking with bike lanes on Mass Ave in Cambridge, the implementation of exclusive bus lanes, the intentional increase in parking meter rates in Cambridge, Boston and Somerville to limit the time and encourage more availability of existing spots. Claiming the right to easy parking, <u>all</u> the time, is a privilege no longer afforded to most other parts of the City of Cambridge (i.e., Central, Inman and Harvard Squares; The Port; Riverside; and North Cambridge.) Not to mention the widespread availability of ride sharing options, public transit, bikes and bike lanes, electric scooters, and more. We need to let go of this narrow perspective and prioritize people and access, over cars, to further the growth of our vibrant and world class city.

**Let's support Cathy!** Rather than *dismantle* or *block* her from what could be an invaluable asset to our city, *let's work with her* to figure out how best to integrate **Built** into the neighborhood and the city at large.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Chad Milner

National Director of Media & Technology

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#### Pacheco, Maria

From:

Alberto Maccatrozzo <albmacc@gmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, June 24, 2022 9:53 AM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

Case no: BZA-176892

**Attachments:** 

Founders Talk Summary .pdf

To: Maria Pacheco

mpacheco@cambridgema.gov

Inspectional Service Department, City of Cambridge

From: Alberto Maccatrozzo

Email: alberto.maccatrozzo@venetausa.us

Address: 67 Walker Street Apt. No. 5 Cambridge, MA 02138

Re: Case no: BZA-176892

Location: 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA

Dear Maria,

I support 281 Concord LLC (Built)'s petition.

I have lived in West Cambridge and worked from Kendall Square in Cambridge for a long time.

I have occasionally attended Built's events since its opening, like the Founders' Talks. I was amazed and pleased that such an event was held in my neighborhood! I share Cathy's vision of bringing innovation and entrepreneurship to the West Cambridge neighborhood. I met many entrepreneurs and interesting people there. I attached the schedule of Founder's Talk at Built for your information.

In addition, Built provides such a beautiful indoor and outdoor space to rent for client meetings and events, cozier than the typical setting of public spaces. I very much like the fact that Built can be opened to the neighborhood from daily meeting rentals to public events, such as the Founders' Talks.

In the vast residential area of West Cambridge, we have no access to public space for one day meeting spaces and one day event rentals. I hope the City of Cambridge will encourage Built to be a public space that holds private events, public events and team meetings in our neighborhood. I appreciate the new and creative use of the building.

Thank you for your consideration!

Alberto Maccatrozzo

Founders' Talk Summary

-Oct 16th

Speakers:

Ariel Elizarove, Founder at Lazarus Enterprises

(Linkedin: https://www.linkedin.com/in/arielelizarov/)

Aran Nathanson, VP Product Management at

Incorta (Linkedin: https://www.linkedin.com/in/arannathanson/)

#### Topics:

1. How to get your first customer?

2. How to grow a team from two guys and a dog to 50 employees (and mistakes to avoid)? Hiring is always a challenge; we like to hang out with people we like, but that's not always the best way to build a team

-Oct 23th

#### Speakers:

Aran Nathanso, who started a software company in Europe; 95% of sales were outside Italy; about 45% in the US; grew from \$0 to \$5M in 4 years; no funding – 100% bootstrapped; had staff in US, Europe, Australia and Canada; sold almost entirely through a partner network; software only – no services; had many technical partners

Dana Bullister, who has had the pleasure of working in outstanding teams as a data scientist and then data science program manager at SolarWinds MSP, an IT software company, as well as in other previous roles including research collaborator and volunteer. She has since started a local SaaS company in the project management space

#### Topics:

- 1. Growing from \$500k in revenue to \$5M in revenue: The first few sales are one thing, how do we operationalize everything so that we don't get crushed by our own success?
- 2. Building a phenomenally productive development team: How do you get the most out of your highly paid engineers and designers?

-Oct 30 <sup>th</sup>
Speakers:
Kat Schneider <a href="https://www.linkedin.com/in/ohkatschneider/">https://www.linkedin.com/in/ohkatschneider/</a>
Kachina Studer <a href="https://www.linkedin.com/in/kachinastuder/">https://www.linkedin.com/in/kachinastuder/</a>
Kat Schneider is an architectural and user interface designer with a deep research interest in computational design and VR/AR. Kachina Studer is a UX and Research Product Development Lead working with immersive technologies. Together they have facilitated the development of Arrowstreet's Virtual Design Studio, an emerging research incubator centered around VR/AR technologies for design visualization and future impacts on the built environment.
Topics:
AR/VR & Computational Design
-Nov 13 <sup>th</sup>
Speaker:
Otlin Cekani, who used to be a business development director and customer relations consultant. Linkedin: <a href="https://www.linkedin.com/in/oltin-cekani-mba-55499028/">https://www.linkedin.com/in/oltin-cekani-mba-55499028/</a>
Topics:
Value Proposition Review and Calculate Risks: How to contemplate providing value to your customers not only see it as a transaction? How to calculate and manage the risk to keep the business growing?
-Nov 20 <sup>th</sup>
Speaker:
Kristjan Kristjansson, CEO & Founder, tech talk speaker, co-founded and managed the #1 Seed Accelerator in Iceland. Learn more: <a href="https://about.me/kfkristjansson">https://about.me/kfkristjansson</a>

Topic:

Future of Work: What is the future of work? How will new technology reshape how we find jobs, get qualified and hired? What are some of the technology advancements driving this shift and what can you do to stay ahead of the curve?

-Nov 27th

Speaker:

Maria Vetrano

Topic:

PR Demystified: What do entrepreneurs need to know about public relations to succeed in a competitive world?

-Dec 4th

Speakers:

Sumiao Chen, the owner of Sumiao Hunan Kitchen, who arrived Boston from China and brought a new type of regional Chinese cuisine to Kendall Square

Ronald Liu: the owner of Love Art Sushi, who owns three successful restaurants in Berkeley, Commonwealth and Boston Downtown

Topic: The owners of top restaurants in Greater Boston Area will share how they get successful in operational management, marketing and branding.

From:

Marcel Cai < hongbo.cai@necmusic.edu>

Sent:

Monday, June 27, 2022 1:01 AM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

**Support Letter for Built** 

**Attachments:** 

NEC student (1).docx

Dear Ms. Pacheco

Attached please find a support letter and a concert series proposal for the fall I have drafted for Built. I sincerely support Built's petition and hope everything goes smoothly for our concert plan. Thank you for reading my email.

Best regards Hongbo June 24, 2022

To: Maria Pacheco Inspectional Service Department, City of Cambridge

Case: BZA-176892

Location: 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA

Petitioner: 281 Concord LLC- % Xiaoguang (Cathy) Wang

Dear Maria.

I sincerely support 281 Concord LLC (Built)'s petition.

I am a graduate student from New England School of Conservatory (NEC). I am a pianist.

Cathy Wang invited me to play at Built when the audiences are limited to her and her staff members. There is a great piano at Built. And I enjoyed very much sharing my music to the neighborhood and families.

Cathy invited me to organize a series of monthly classic music performance at Built if the petition of a hall space is granted by the city. She described that an impressive portion of the population for the areas around Concord Ave have a graduate degree with more than half of the population (55%-60%) . That constitutes a key characteristic for the neighborhood with a highly educated population. The areas surrounding Concord Ave show a higher level of home ownership than the city average, which can suggest a stronger sense of community and belonging in the neighborhood.

I am certainly convinced that it is a perfect neighborhood to cultivate the passion and atmosphere for classical music. I am looking forward to organizing my NEC musician classmates as well as fellow artists to perform there in the near future.

Thank you for your attention!

Hongbo Cai

Email: hongbo.cai@necmusic.edu

## Plan for the monthly classical music performance in Fall 2022

9/7 Piano & Violin Concert

Piano: Hongbo Cai (NEC'22) Violin: Liyuan Xie (NEC'22)

10/5 Piano & Guitar Concert Piano: Hongbo Cai (NEC'22)

Guitar: Yanchen Yan (Berklee'22)

11/9 The Night of Film Music Piano: Hongbo Cai (NEC'22)

Presenter: Ziming Liu (Emerson'24)

12/7 Songs of the Night

Piano: Hongbo Cai (NEC'22) Singer: Chun Bao (Harvard'22)

170043 & 176892

From:

Luis Vasquez < luisvasquez 617@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, June 27, 2022 5:00 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

Case number BZA-170043- Built work and gather. Abutters letter

Thank you for allowing comment via email regarding Built: Work & Gather.

When Built first arrived to the neighborhood a few years ago, we were under the impression that the business model would focus on offering work and meeting space during the day. Sure, perhaps that would mean an event or a larger gathering here and there, but nothing would brace us for what we would have to endure to this day.

Very quickly, especially as the pandemic and its restrictions took effect, an influx of parties during all days of the week, many going late into the night, or very early hours into the morning, caused for many sleepless nights, exhausted children in the morning, and walking out to litter and glass bottles on cars, on the avenue, and in our property. Just looking out of our window we've seen public urination, including on the side of the building neighboring a three family home, fights between patrons where glass bottles are thrown back and forth, loitering out in the middle of the street daring cars to hit them, and patrons outside smoking marijuana which on more than one occasion has made its way into our children's bedroom when their windows are open.

The constant nightclub behavior exhibited at this business has been a huge disruption for our neighborhood and my family. Our routines have been altered because of these constant parties that mostly go deep into the night. My kids are fearful now of going outside when there are parties. We don't walk our dog anymore when there are parties due to safety concerns, which again, can be at any night of the week including Sunday nights and Monday nights. There has been little to no regard for the residential area that surrounds them.

People come from all over and bring DJ's, alcohol, and take up parking, including residential spots. Their website advertises "free parking on Concord and Huron" - that is not fair to homes and small businesses in the area. Our driveway specifically is almost regularly partially blocked or fully blocked by visitors of Built and has even been trespassed multiple times to unload items and equipment.

We are concerned and very nervous that giving this business more leeway to continue being a disruption in the neighborhood with constant nightclub behavior and little to no regard for the residential area they are in, will only bring more conflict and unease to the families that surround them. I am not quite sure exactly what they are permitted for at the moment or if they can even host these parties to begin with, or go well past 10pm on any day of the week, or have alcohol, which happens very regularly already, as evidenced by a photo just a couple weeks ago we woke up to of a shattered bottle of hard alcohol outside of their front door where our son passes by with his friend on their way to the bus stop for school on a regular basis. That is very dangerous.

We root for small businesses to succeed, but this one here has, unfortunately, been very irresponsible, disruptive, combative to resident concerns, and unsafe. Something has to change with their current operation, and rewarding them with more flexibility to capitalize on more dollars over being good and peaceful neighbors does not seem courteous, fair, and is unfathomable. Interestingly enough, in the weeks leading up to this hearing, the place has been quiet with no parties, which is extremely rare, never happens, strategizing for this upcoming hearing.

I am confident that the unruly free for all nightclub activity will resume once this hearing passes, despite the adjusted permits being granted or not. I really hope that is not the case.

We strongly encourage you to look up the police reports and citations that have been filed regarding violations and disruptive behaviors exhibited by Built, because there are many. We ask you to take those into consideration.

Please do not allow this problem to get worse. Cambridge has always put families first, which makes it a unique and vibrant community. Granting a permit to this business would bring more chaos and disruption to such an otherwise peaceful and thriving neighborhood where many children live, where tranquility is a featured attraction, and where camaraderie unites the community.

We very kindly ask that you not approve this permit request by Built work and gather and to execute a proper investigation into this business and its practices, including their constant and disruptive nightclub activity.

Thank you.

Luis Vasquez Owner of 276 Concord Avenue in Cambridge, MA

From:

Luis Vasquez < luisvasquez 617@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, June 27, 2022 7:43 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

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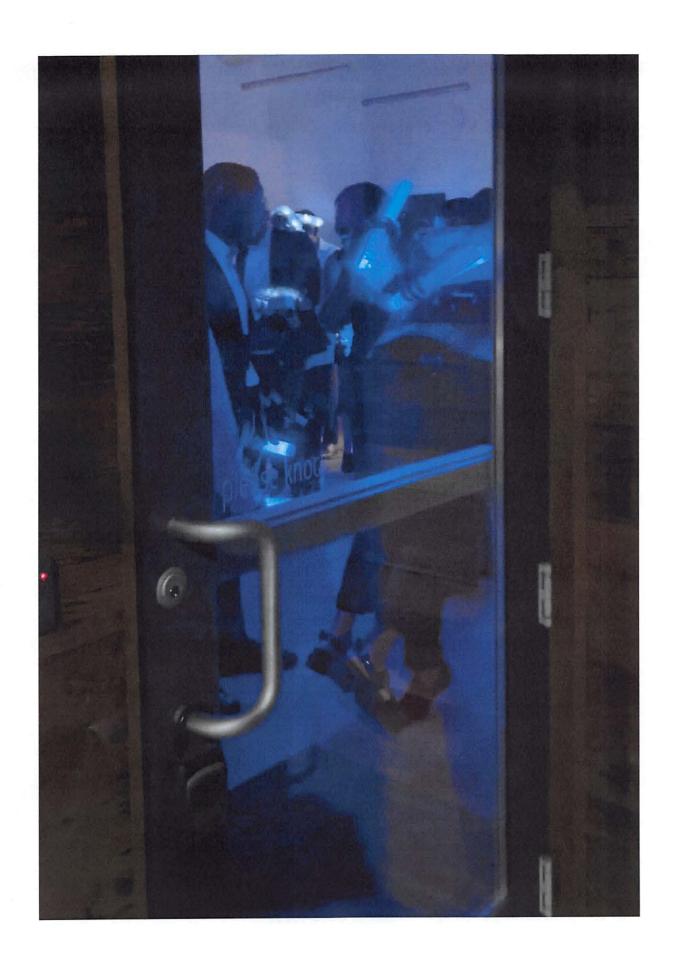
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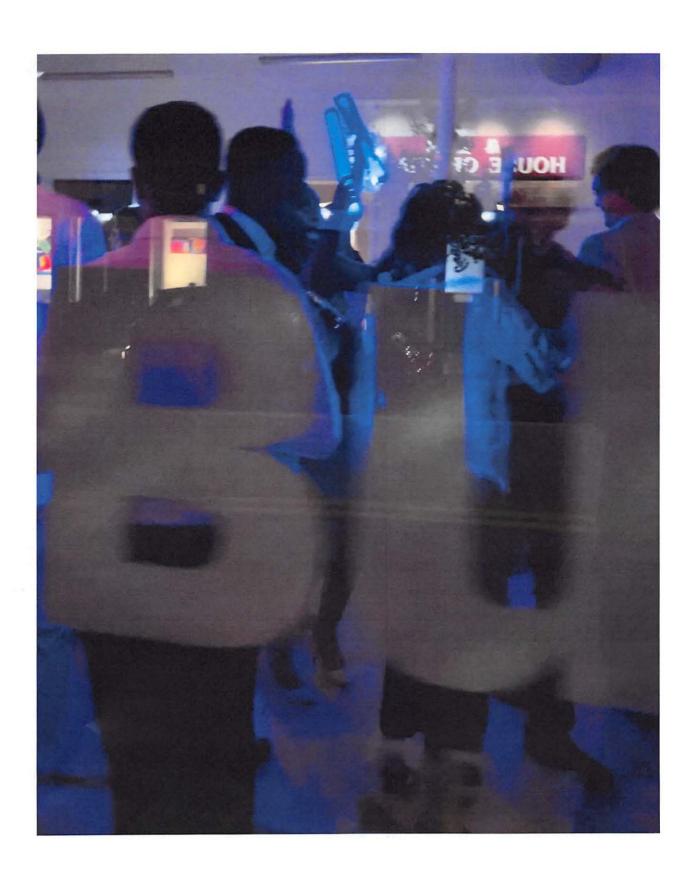
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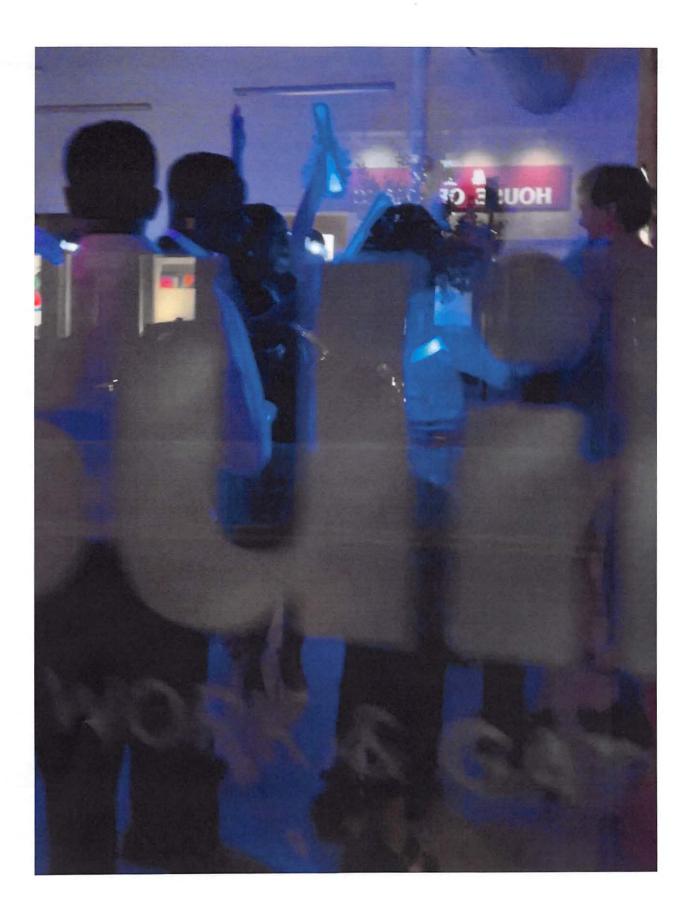
Here are some stills from the same event (of many).











#### Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 27, 2022, at 5:15 PM, Pacheco, Maria <mpacheco@cambridgema.gov> wrote:

I am not able to attach the video but I do have your letter.

From: Luis Vasquez < luisvasquez 617@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Monday, June 27, 2022 5:02 PM

To: Pacheco, Maria <mpacheco@cambridgema.gov>

Subject: Case number BZA-170043- Built work and gather. (VIDEO)

This is a very mild example, as these parties can be much more hectic and chaotic following the event.

From:

Dari Vasquez <darivasquez617@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, June 27, 2022 6:03 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

Case no: BZA-176892. "Built" 281 Concord Ave. Hearing date 6/30

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My name is Dariana Vasquez. I live across the street from the business "Built work and gather" originally promoted to be an office space and corporate events which now operates more like a lounge and nightclub space in a residential neighborhood, even during most of the pandemic where countless infractions were committed. Build's perimeter is surrounded by mostly homes and is not zoned for the way it has been operating due to parking restrictions and operating hours. Please see Google Maps where you can look at all the homes around the building and across the street, including my home.

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We have three kids who can't sleep when these events are happening and don't feel safe even walking our dog when there are large gathering people overtaking the neighborhood hanging outside, sitting in peoples steps, lingering, or on residential streets where many guests have been parking without a permit. This is not allowed by the city of Cambridge's rules and regulations for this zone.

I have also called the police multiple times about cars blocking my driveway, time and time again, as these events bring people who do not live here to take over all the street parking and sometimes even inside my driveway. I cannot believe my eyes when their guests have pulled trucks or vans into our private driveway to unload equipment for their events. Built even requires event insurance for these events even when they do not have an event and entertainment license themself. Some of the party goers damage property as they can get wild in the illegal nightclub.

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Built is not a responsible business and does not monitor these parties which also brings other activity into our neighborhood. I have to avoid going out with my family because they gather out front to smoke and they have even urinated on the side of the business between the building and the homes next door. What a shame the whole experience has been since opening.

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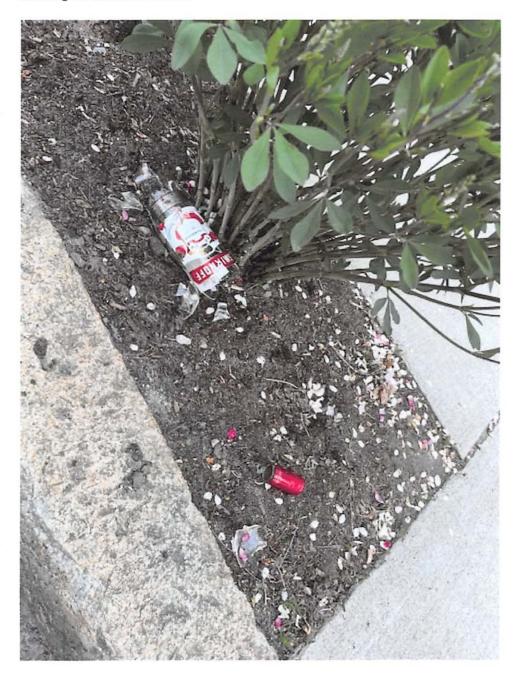
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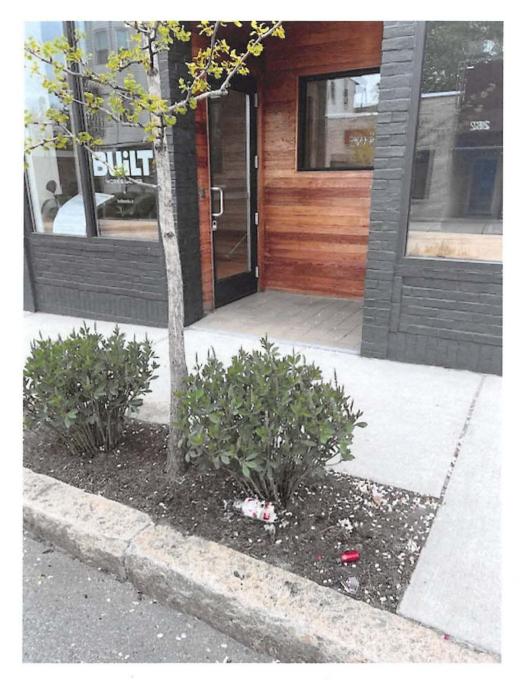
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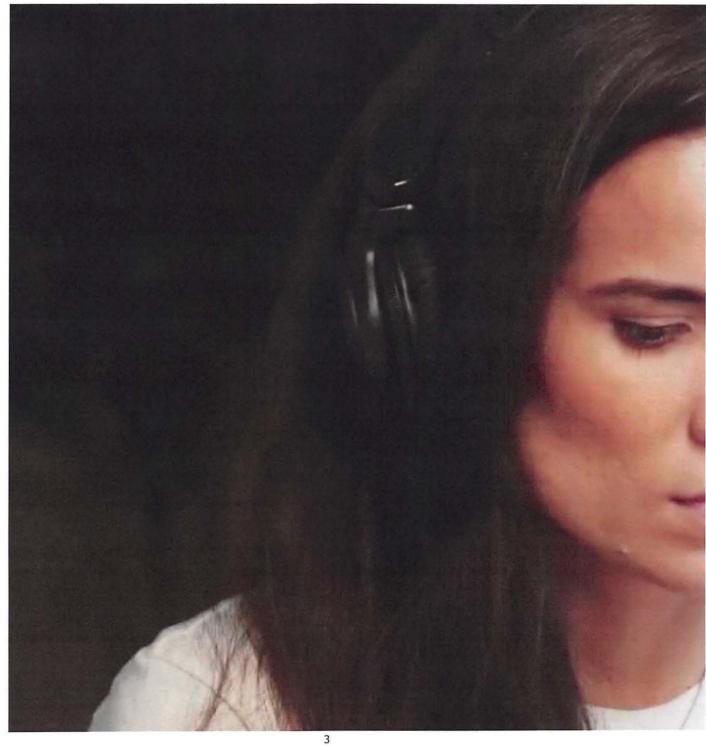
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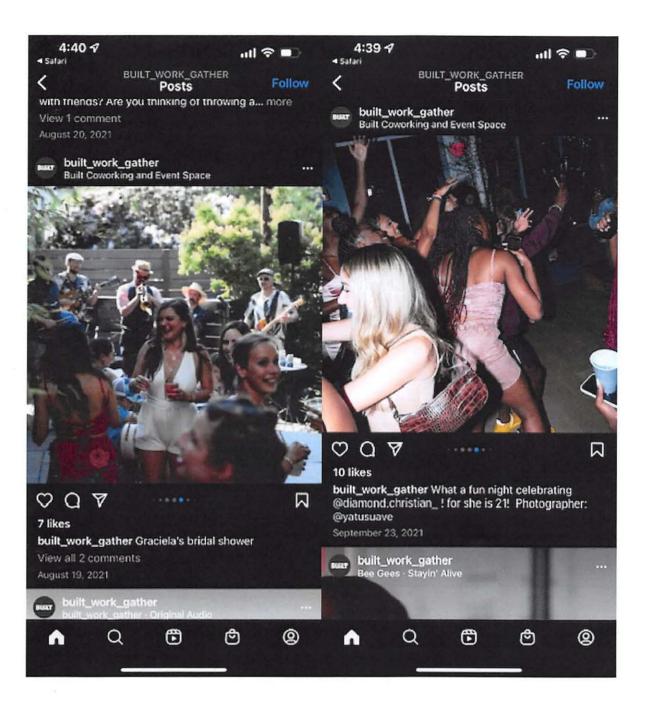




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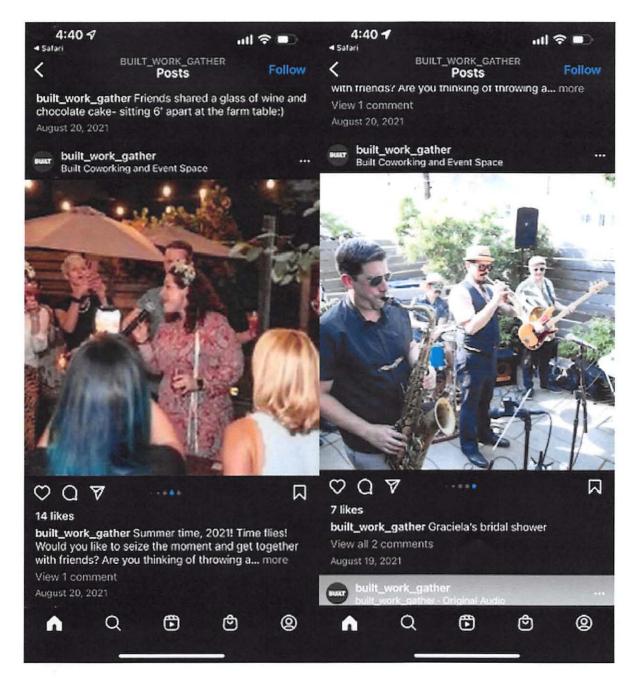
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Please confirm that you can see these pictures as part of my letter. Dari Vasquez

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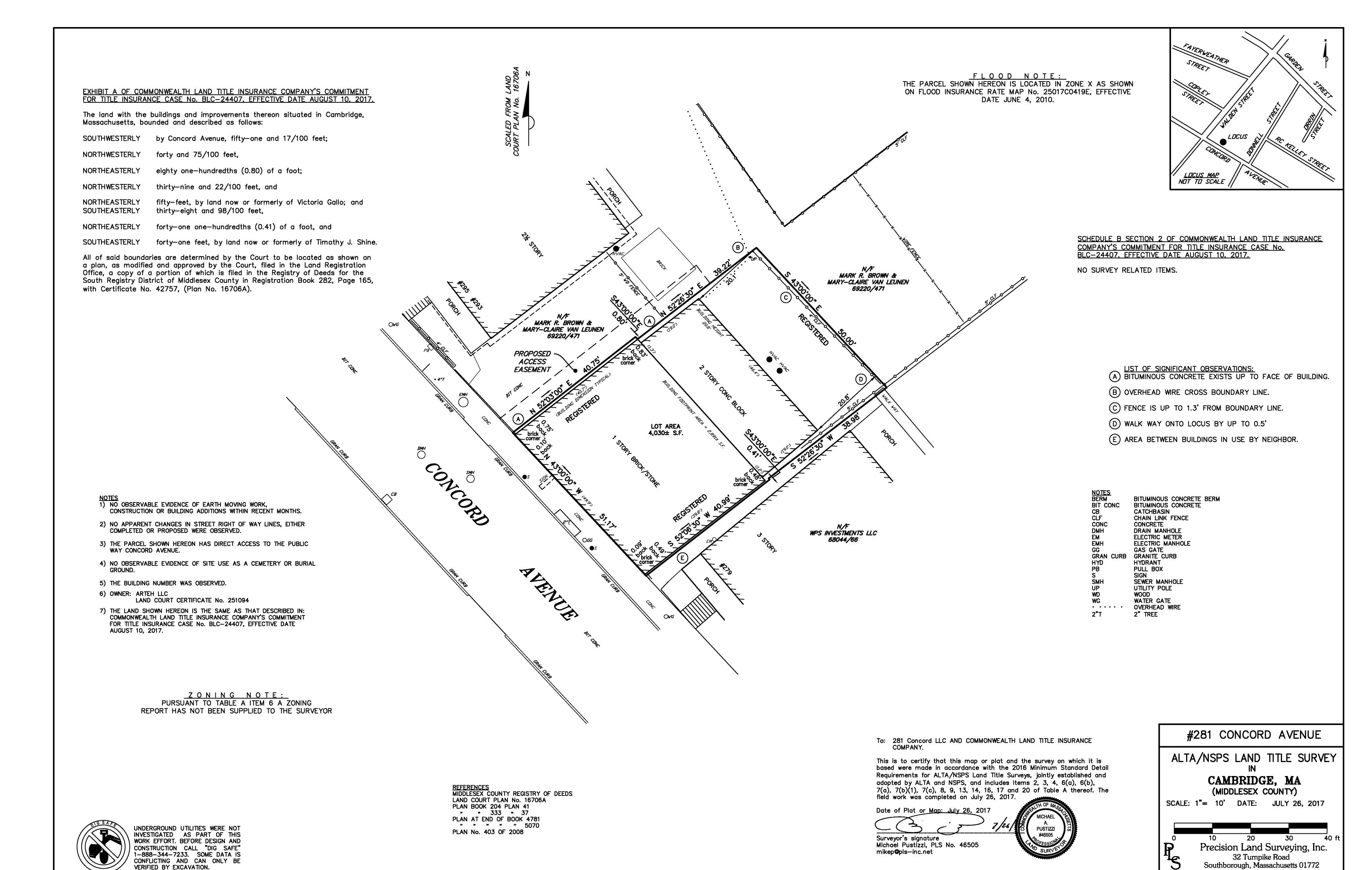
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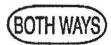


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#### Return Document to:

James B. Heffernan, Esq. Rich May, P.C. 176 Federal Street Boston, MA 02110

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#### GRANT OF ACCESS EASEMENT

THIS GRANT OF ACCESS EASEMENT (this "Easement") is made effective as of October 27, 2017 by MARK R. BROWN and MARY-CLAIRE VAN LEUNEN with an address of 516 Malden Avenue, E. Seattle, WA 98112 (collectively, "Grantors"), for consideration paid and in full consideration of Forty Five Thousand and 00/100 (\$45,000.00) Dollars, to and for the benefit of 281 CONCORD LLC, a Massachusetts limited liability company with an address of 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA ("Grantee").

WHEREAS, Grantors are the owners of that certain parcel of land known as 293 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts, pursuant to: (i) that certain Quitclaim Deed dated November 3, 2014, and recorded with the Middlesex South Registry of Deeds in Book 64458, Page 569, (ii) and that certain Quitclaim Deed dated April 11, 2017, and recorded with the Middlesex South Registry of Deeds in Book 69220, Page 471 (the "Grantors' Property");

WHEREAS, Grantee is the owner of that certain parcel of land known as 281 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, MA, more particularly described in Certificate of Title Number 266345 (the "Benefitted Property");

WHEREAS, Grantee proposes to improve the Benefitted Property, which requires access on the Grantors' Property for use of a second ingress and egress for the Benefitted Property; and

WHEREAS, Grantors have agreed to permit Grantee, its successors and assigns, and the users and occupants of the building located on the Benefitted Property, the right to pass and repass over a portion of Grantors' Property as shown on the plan entitled "Easement Plan" by Olinger Architects, dated September 22, 2017, and labeled "PROPOSED ACCESS EASEMENT", as shown under Exhibit A attached to this Easement and incorporated herein (the "Easement Area"), as a secondary means of ingress and egress thereto, in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Easement.

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Grantors hereby grant Grantee, its successors and assigns an easement in, over and to the

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Easement Area for the purpose of a secondary means of ingress and egress to the building located from time to time on the Benefitted Property as hereinafter set forth:

- 1. Access Easement. Grantors hereby grant and conveys to Grantee, and Grantee accepts, a perpetual non-exclusive right and easement appurtenant to the Benefitted Property in, over, and to the Easement Area, for purposes of pedestrian ingress, egress, and access on and over all portions of the Easement Area, as the same is improved from time to time for as a path or pedestrian walkway. Such easement includes ingress, egress, and access from and to any public or private way which connects to or abuts the Benefitted Property.
- 2. <u>Unimpeded Access</u>. In furtherance of the easement granted herein, Grantors covenant that, at all times, free access between the Benefitted Property and the Easement Area via designated paths or walkways, will not be impeded and will be maintained, and Grantors shall not obstruct or permit the obstruction of the Easement Area in any way so as to impede or impair access to the Benefitted Property.
- 3. Nature and Effect of Easement: Successors. The terms and provisions of this Easement creates an equitable servitude upon the Grantors' Property in favor of the Benefitted Property and shall run with the land and shall be binding upon Grantors' Property and upon its mortgagees, tenants, subtenants, beneficiaries, guests, invitees, licensees, successors and assigns from time to time, and shall run in favor of and inure to the benefit of the Benefitted Property and Grantee and its mortgagees, tenants, subtenants, beneficiaries, guests, invitees, licensees, successors and assigns from time to time. Grantee shall hold harmless and indemnify the Grantors and their successors in interest for any liability or personal injury sustained by the use of the Easement by Grantee or any of Grantee's members, managers, officers, employees, customers, tenants, invitees, or guests.
- 4. Maintenance Standards. Grantee shall have the right to repair, replace, and maintain the Easement Area subject to the terms and provisions of this Easement. The repair, replacement, and maintenance of the Easement Area (i) shall be conducted in a good and workmanlike, safe and efficient manner in accordance with all applicable permits (which shall be obtained by Grantee prior to any work and with copies of such permits provided to Grantors upon request) and regulations, (ii) no excavation shall remain open without proper safeguard or for any longer than the minimum period necessary for the performance of the work, (iv) such repair, replacement and maintenance shall be conducted in a manner which minimizes the effect thereof upon the operation of the Grantors' Property, and (v) once commenced, any construction work will be diligently and continuously pursued to completion. The parties shall use good faith, reasonable efforts to cooperate and to coordinate work that may lead to interruption of the use of any property due to the repair, replacement and maintenance of the Easement Area, and to cooperate with requirements relating to any government permit or requirement in connection with Grantee's building permit or requirements of any state or local requirements relating to the repair, replacement, or maintenance of the Easement Area. Any party exercising its rights hereunder shall promptly cause any lien arising therefrom to be fully discharged and released.
- 5. Enforcement. This Easement and the rights hereunder may be enforced by appropriate legal proceedings, including the right to obtain injunctive and other equitable relief

against any violations (the parties expressly agreeing that damages for breaches of this Easement are an inadequate remedy and consenting to the specific enforcement of such provision), and shall be in addition to, and not in limitation of, any other rights and remedies available to the other party at law or in equity on account of any breach by any party of the provisions of this Easement, including, without limitation, an action for monetary damages. Enforcement of this Easement shall be at the discretion of each party or any assignee of such party's rights under this Easement, and any forbearance by a party to exercise its rights shall not be deemed or construed to be a waiver. The exercise by any party hereto of any right or remedy to which it is entitled hereunder shall not preclude or restrict the exercise of any other such right or remedy. No delay or omission by a party to exercise any right or power accruing upon any non-compliance or failure of performance by the other party under the provisions of this Easement shall impair any such right or power or be construed to be a waiver thereof. In the event a party institutes any legal action or proceeding for the enforcement of any right or obligation herein contained, the prevailing party after a final adjudication shall be entitled to recover its costs and reasonable attorneys' fees incurred in the preparation and prosecution of such action or proceeding.

- 6. Governing Law. This Easement shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
- 7. Term. The easements, covenants, and conditions contained in this Easement shall be effective commencing on the date of recordation of this Easement in the Middlesex South Registry of Deeds and shall remain in full force and effect thereafter in perpetuity, unless this Easement is modified, amended, canceled or terminated by the written consent of the Grantors, Grantees, or their relevant successors and assigns, in recordable form and recorded with said Middlesex South Registry of Deeds.
- 8. <u>Severability</u>. The invalidity of any covenant, restriction, condition, limitation or any other part or provision of this Easement shall not impair or affect in any manner the validity, enforceability or effect of the rest of this Easement.
- 9. No Relationship of Principal and Agent. Nothing contained in this Easement nor any act of the parties shall be deemed or construed by the parties or by any third person to create the relationship of principal and agent, or partnership, or joint venture, or of any association between the parties, nor shall anything contained in this Easement or any act of the parties be construed to render either of the parties liable for the debts or obligations of the other parties, except as specifically provided herein.
- 10. <u>Waiver</u>. No waiver of any breach of any of the easements, covenants and/or agreements herein contained shall be construed as, or constitute, a waiver of any other breach or a waiver, acquiescence in or consent to any further or succeeding breach of the same or any other covenant and/or agreement.
- 11. Recording. A fully executed counterpart of this Easement shall be recorded in the Middlesex South Registry of Deeds.

- 12. <u>Headings</u>. The subject headings of the sections and paragraphs of this Easement are included for purposes of convenience only and shall not affect the construction or interpretation of any of its provisions.
- 13. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Easement (including exhibits attached) constitutes the entire agreement and understanding between the parties with respect to the subject matter contained herein, and supersedes any prior agreement and understanding about the subject matter hereof. This Easement may be modified or amended only by a written instrument executed by the parties hereto.

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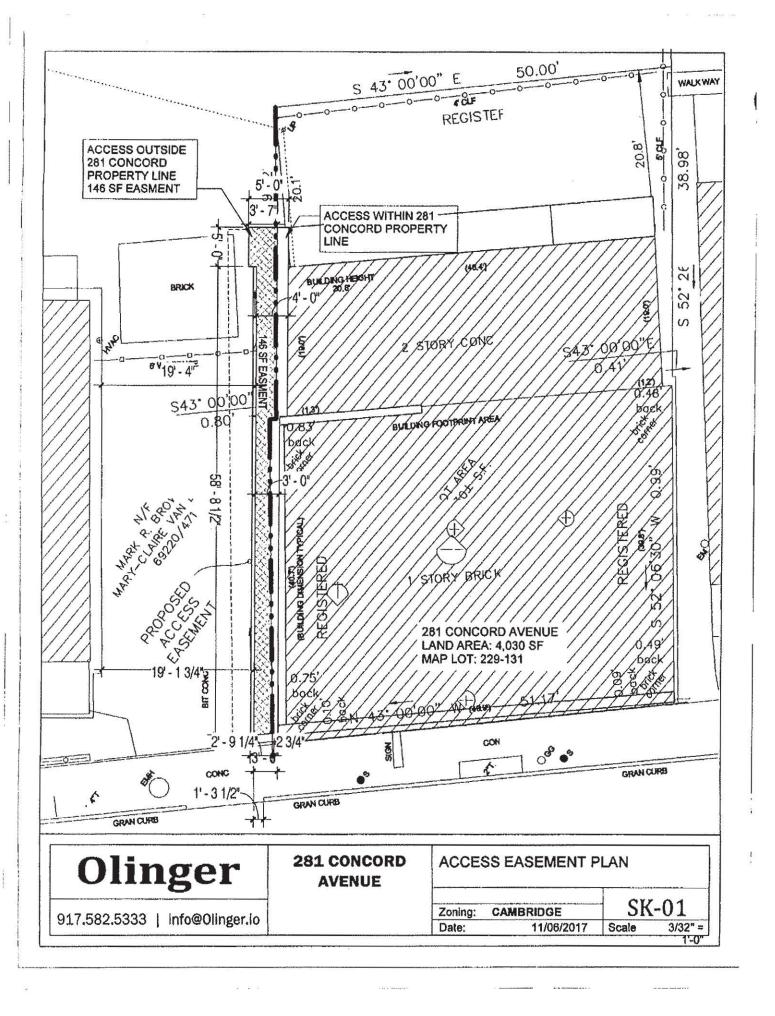
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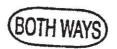
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From:

Eitan Normand <eitanormand@gmail.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 12, 2022 4:39 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

Support Letter for CASE NO. BZA-170043

May 12, 2022

Dear Board of Zoning Appeal members,

I am writing in support of the petitioner (Cathy Wang) from 281 Concord Ave. in case number BZA-170043. I am a direct abutter, live in 295 Concord Ave. and fully support this petition.

I have known Cathy since we moved into this house in January 2021. She is a kind person; and considerate and thoughtful neighbor. On the rare occasions when we had complaints, we reached out to her directly and she made the effort to resolve every issue we raised in a timely manner.

I advocate for livable neighborhoods and livable cities and that means people! Built does that and hopefully could keep doing it with your support. I can see the huge benefits that it brings in supporting the other small businesses on the street, providing additional quality public space and even to slow traffic and reduce noise generated from traffic – to name a few.

Our family enjoys the events that are hosted in Built very much by listening to the live music that is played there from time to time for example. Our 3 kids love Cathy who allows them to come to the building and roam the garden or play the piano.

Last fall there was an event on our street in support of small businesses and I was amazed by the sheer amount of people who came to stroll along and do some holiday shopping. It changed the atmosphere entirely. I am hoping that allowing Built to do this transition will help us get some more of this atmosphere.

We need to negate the toxic and aggressive hate talk. I received the flyer rallying against this petition and it saddened me. There is no parking shortage or problem in the street – day or night, weekdays or weekends. There is also no real noise problem coming from this venue and I live right next door! The only noise that is constant and disturbing comes from speeding cars and from buses (and no one is proposing to eliminate that...). I don't consider quiet as a sacred value, I prefer vibrancy. People should see the good in others rather than focusing on made up accusations.

of course, this should be done in a considerate and a non-harmful way, that respects everybody. I believe it is achievable!

I hope that you will allow the city to thrive by encouraging anyone who is willing to invest in it and make it a better place - Like Built.

Thank you,

**Eitan Normand** 

From:

Nate Emerton < nemerton@gmail.com >

Sent:

Monday, May 9, 2022 5:41 PM

To:

Pacheco, Maria; License Commission

Subject:

BZA - 170043 / letter of support

#### **Dear Board Members**

I'm writing in support of the petitioner for case no. BZA-170043 at 281 Concord. While I'm not a direct abutter I do live two streets over on Hutchinson St. I have zero concerns about the use of this building incorporating gatherings in the manner described by the petitioner. They would be a welcome addition to a neighborhood supportive of small business.

More concerning to me is the attached flyer, which is how I found out about this petition. These are the same scare tactics the anti-affordable housing crowd have used in our city to stifle new and creatives uses of building that benefit the many and not just the privileged.

It's unfortunate to see these same tactics deployed on an entrepreneurial business owner that has only improved the neighborhood since originally converting this space to the welcoming and enjoyable co-working business, Built.

Best Regards, Nate Emerton 4 Hutchinson St

# QUIET ZONE IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD NEEDS TO BE PROTECTED

"BUILT" Work and Gather office space located at 281
CONCORD AVE has been renting out their space for private events and bringing in disruptive gatherings.

They are petitioning for a special permit so that they can operate with an entertainment permit to allow alcohol to be served to the public, loud music, dancing and more at private events, not just corporate events and wedding events. There have been multiple violations involving the volume of noise and operation without this permit up to this point for nightclub activity. Residential parking spaces are being taken up weekends due to participants of these private events with gatherings continuing after allowed hours.

# VIRTUAL HEARING REGARDING THIS PETITION SCHEDULED FOR

THURSDAY- MAY 19, 2022 @ 7:30PM
(be advised can be earlier or later in the docket)
Copies of application are on file with City Clerk's office
All HEARINGS FOR THAT DAY STARTS AT 6PM - Standby!
members of the public can participate or view the meeting
remotely using the Zoom Webinar

link: https://cambridgema.zoom.us/j/85702655517
Or join by phone: Dial +1 929 436 2866 or + 1 301 715 8592 - Webinar ID: 857 026 55517

- CASE NO: BZA-170043
- LOCATION: 281 CONCORD AVENUE CAMBRIDGE, MA
- ZONING DISTRICT: BUSINESS A-1-ZONE (MIXED USE RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL)

Please review the Public Notice posted at 281 Concord Ave.
Please help keep our neighborhood a quiet zone by joining the virtual hearing and please email: <a href="mailto:license@cambridgema.gov">license@cambridgema.gov</a> and Maria Pacheco mpacheco@cambridgema.gov with concerns before 5pm Monday May 16, 2022

Nate Emerton Mobile: 617-645-4152

From:

Sent:

Subject:

Dear Maria,

292 Concord Avenue Cambridge, MA 02138

To:

I am co-owner of Abroad Modern ( <u>www.abroadmodern.com</u> ), a small women-owned business located at 292 Concord Avenue, Cambridge MA. We are located across the street from Built and have significantly benefited from our proximity to Built
Built events bring people to the neighborhood that otherwise would not come to Concord Ave and visit our store. Built has generated significant foot traffic for us and other adjacent businesses. This in turn has increased sales and brand recognition of our store. This has been immensely helpful getting through the significant slow down of our business after the holiday season in 2021.
I believe that having Built pivot to private and corporate events will even further generate foot traffic and help the businesses along Concord Avenue. I do hope that Cambridge will approve the Built request.
I am happy to discuss this in person with you as well, if that will help.
Many thanks in advance!
Joy Joy Kolin Abroad Modern Director of Impact + Founder
women owned + impact driven creating jobs for global partners + supporting women world-wide
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Letter in support of Built (281 Concord Ave, Cambridge MA)

Monday, May 9, 2022 6:16 PM

Pacheco, Maria

From:

Alan Zhao <alanzzhao@gmail.com>

Sent: To: Monday, May 16, 2022 1:36 PM Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

Built Event Space - CASE NO. BZA-170043, 281 CONCORD AVENUE

Dear Maria Pacheco & Zoning Board,

We are writing in support of Cathy and her appeal for CASE NO. BZA-170043, 281 CONCORD AVENUE.

We are nearly decadelong Cambridge residents, and first time home owners in West Cambridge. We live with our 10 month old daughter on Saville St, one street over from Built's Concord Ave location. In our time here, we have never seen any traffic impacts, disturbances, or trash by the building.

While we have certainly heard some event noise when walking on Concord, it is no louder than the regular MBTA buses, or other emergency vehicles sirens. It is comparable or quieter to the restaurant, La Royal, right up the street, which is open until 11PM.

Thriving small businesses are exactly what we like to have next door, and the mix of homes and businesses is why we love West Cambridge. It brightens our day to see happy people celebrating birthdays, engagements, and babies in our neighborhood.

Alan Zhao & Elaine Wong Cambridge, MA 02138