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BOARD OF ZONING APPEAL

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BZA Application Form

BZA Number: 219312

General Information

ne Board of Zoning A	Appeal for the following:		
Variance:	Appeal:		
eet LLC C/O Sarah L	ike Rhatigan, Esq., Trilogy Law LLC		
rshall Street, Boston,	, MA 02108		
Cambridge St , Cam	bridge, MA		
esearch &	ZONING DISTRICT: Business A Zone		
R'S PROPOSAL:			
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ICE CITED:			
Article: 6.000 Section: 6.43.5 (a) (Special Permit to allow tandem parking) Article: 10.000 Section: 10.40 (Special Permit).			
Original Signature(s):	(Petitioner (s) / Owner) Sarah Like Rhatigan, Esq., on behalf of Petitioner RPI Cambridge Street LLC		
	(Print Name)		
Address:	Trilogy Law LLC, 12 Marshall St., Boston, MA 02108		
	617-543-7009 sarah@trilogylaw.com		
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BZA CAGE # 819312-2023 BZA APPLICATION FORM - OWNERSHIP INFORMATION

(To be completed by **OWNER**, signed before a notary, and returned to Secretary of Board of Appeal).

I, Brett H. Levy, manager of RPI Capital Management LLC, the manager of RPI CAMBRIDGE STREET LLC, a Massachusetts limited liability company, and a per authorized to act with respect to the real property owned by RPI CAMBRIDGE STREET LLC (OWNER)

Address: 619-629 Cambridge Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts

state that **RPI CAMBRIDGE STREET LLC** owns the property located at **619-629 Cambridge Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts** which is the subject of this zoning application.

The record title of this property is in the name of $\ensuremath{\textit{RPI CAMBRIDGE STREET}}$ $\ensuremath{\textit{LLC}}$

pursuant to a deed dated **April 30, 2021** and duly recorded on **May 5, 2021** in the Middlesex South County Registry of Deeds at Book **77699,** Page **236**.

[Signature appears on the following page.]

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RPI CAMBRIDGE STREET LLC,

By: RPI Capital Management LLC, Its Manager

By: Brett H. Levy Its: a Manager Duly Authorized

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

COUNTY:

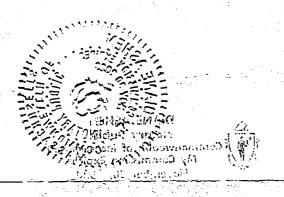
Malk County, ss.

On this day of April, 2023, before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared the above named Brett H. Levy, a Manager of RPI Capital Management LLC, the Manager of RPI Cambridge Street LLC, proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification which was a driver's license or April Manager (form of photo identification) to be the same person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose as a Manager of RPI Capital Management LLC, the Manager of RPI Cambridge Street LLC on behalf of said company.

Notary Public:

Commission Expires:

DIANE ASHEN
Notary Public
Commonwealth of Massachusens
My Commission Expires
November 30, 2023



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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>621 Cambridge St</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:

In October 2021, the Petitioner received a Special Permit from the BZA to allow alterations to the existing commercial building to allow for use for Office, Research & Development, and/or Lab. The construction is now underway. With the Building Permit application, the Petitioner planned for three vehicle parking spaces in a garage area, all dimensionally compliant (see Plan Set, Page 1). It appears likely that future tenants of the building may desire up to 6 parking spaces for certain employees. In order to meet this potential anticipated need, the Petitioner would like to have the option of transforming the three existing parking spaces into six parking spaces with the installation of a vertical car lift positioned at each space. There is sufficient height in the space to allow this. These car lift parking spaces are to be used exclusively for the building's tenants and are not available to the public (see Plan Set, Pages 2-4 and 5-7).

- Traffic generated or patterns of access or egress would not cause congestion hazard, or substantial change in established neighborhood character for the following reasons:
 - The proposed installation of vertical car lifts will not cause congestion hazards nor change the established neighborhood character. The system will be installed within the existing garage area of the building. The garage area is sufficiently sized and designed to allow for the maneuvering of vehicles (on and off the lifts) to occur within the building.
 - The lifts are user-operated devices that do not require an attendant. The system is designed so that the day-to-day management of the lifts would be performed by the tenant. This would include key storage and access coordination. A brochure describing a typical installation is attached (see Plan Set, Pages 5-7). In the case where the upper car leaves first, for example, there is sufficient space in the garage for the lower car to temporarily pull out and stand by while the upper car is lowered and driven away. This sequence is shown graphically in the attached drawing set (Attachment Page 3).
- C) 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 continued operation of or development of adjacent uses will not be adversely affected should the Petitioner be allowed to install car lifts within the building. For the reasons described above, the car lift systems will be safely operable within the existing building and will not result in any cognizable increase in traffic, congestion, or other hazards in the neighborhood.
- 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:

There will be no nuisance or hazard created as a result of allowing for the use of vehicle lifts as proposed. Vehicle stacking systems have been safely in use for several decades. The system to be utilized here has a number of important safety features that allow non-professional use, such as a positive locking system to prevent accidents. Also, there will be sensors to detect objects (or persons) located under the platform or entering the area below the platform while a transfer is taking place.

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:

The proposed installation of car lifts will have no negative impacts on the district. On the contrary, by allowing for additional parking on-site, the installation of the car lift systems will be beneficial to the district in that it will lessen parking demands in the area.

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

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DIMENSIONAL INFORMATION

Applicant:

RPI Cambridge Street LLC

Present Use/Occupancy: Office, Research & Development and/or Lab

Location:

621 Cambridge St, Cambridge, MA

Zone: Business A Zone

Phone:

617-543-7009

Requested Use/Occupancy: Office, Research & Development and/or Lab

		Existing Conditions		Requested Conditions	Ordinance Requirements	
TOTAL GROSS FLOOR AREA:		16,934 sf		16,934 sf	15,000 sf	(max.)
LOT AREA:		15,000 sf		15,000 sf	5,000 sf	(min.)
RATIO OF GROSS FLOOR AREA TO LOT AREA: ²		1.13		1.13	1.0/1.75	
LOT AREA OF EACH DWELLING UNIT		n/a		n/a	600 sf	
SIZE OF LOT:	WIDTH	150 ft		150 ft	none	
	DEPTH	100 ft		100 ft	none	
SETBACKS IN FEET:	FRONT	0.1 ft		0.1 ft	0 ft	
	REAR	0 ft		O ft	H+L/7, not less than 10 ft	
	LEFT SIDE	3.6 ft		3.6 ft	0 ft	
	RIGHT SIDE	2.0 ft		2.0 ft	0 ft	
SIZE OF BUILDING:	HEIGHT	37.4 ft		37.4 ft	35.0 ft	
	WIDTH	100 ft		100 ft	none	
	LENGTH	144.4 ft		144.4 ft	none	
RATIO OF USABLE OPEN SPACE TO LOT AREA:		0	-	0	0	
NO. OF DWELLING UNITS:		0		0	0	
NO. OF PARKING SPACES:		3		6	0	
NO. OF LOADING AREAS:		1		1	1	
DISTANCE TO NEAREST BLDG. ON SAME LOT		n/a		n/a	n/a	

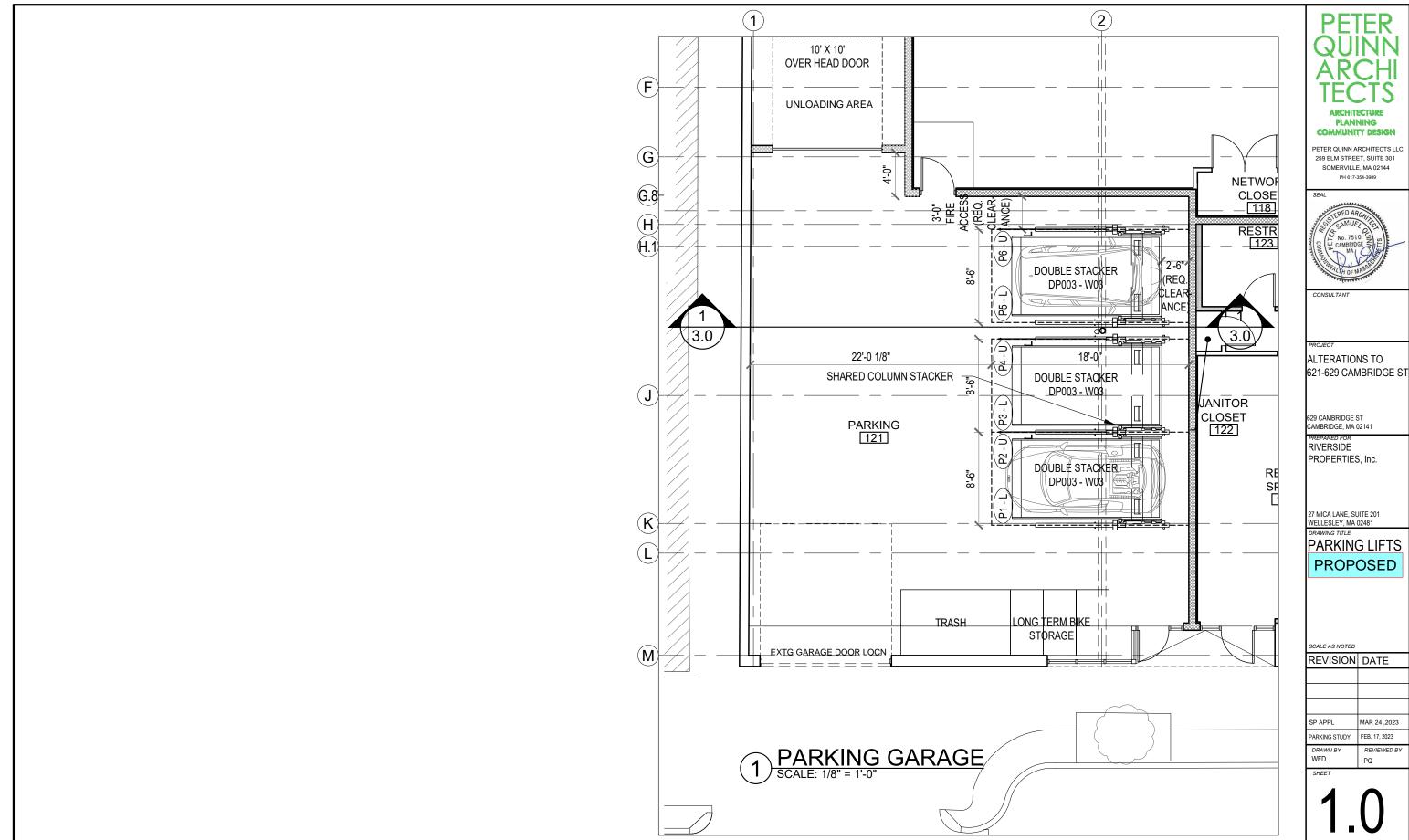
Describe where applicable, other occupancies on the same lot, the size of adjacent buildings on same lot, and type of construction proposed, e.g; wood frame, concrete, brick, steel, etc.:

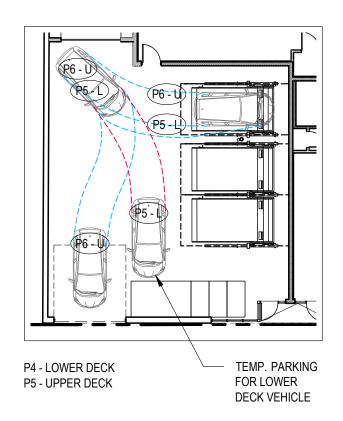
Double Stacker vehicle parking lift system.

- 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'.**

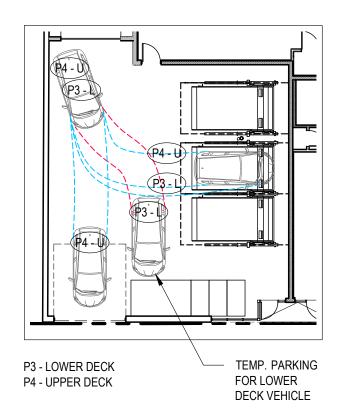


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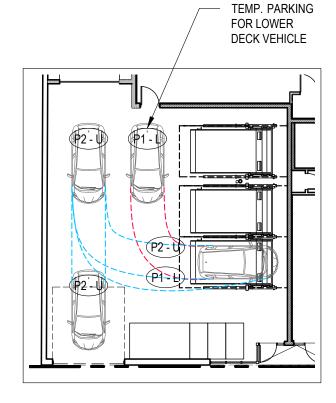




3 P5 & P6 PARKING SCALE: 1/16" = 1'-0"



2 P3 & P4 PARKING
SCALE: 1/16" = 1'-0"



P1 - LOWER DECK P2 - UPPER DECK

1) P1 & P2 PARKING SCALE: 1/16" = 1'-0"



COMMUNITY DESIGN

PETER QUINN ARCHITECTS LLC
259 ELM STREET, SUITE 301

SOMERVILLE, MA 02144

PH 617-354-3989

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CONSULTANT

PROJECT
ALTERATIONS TO
621-629 CAMBRIDGE ST

629 CAMBRIDGE ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

PROPERTIES, Inc.

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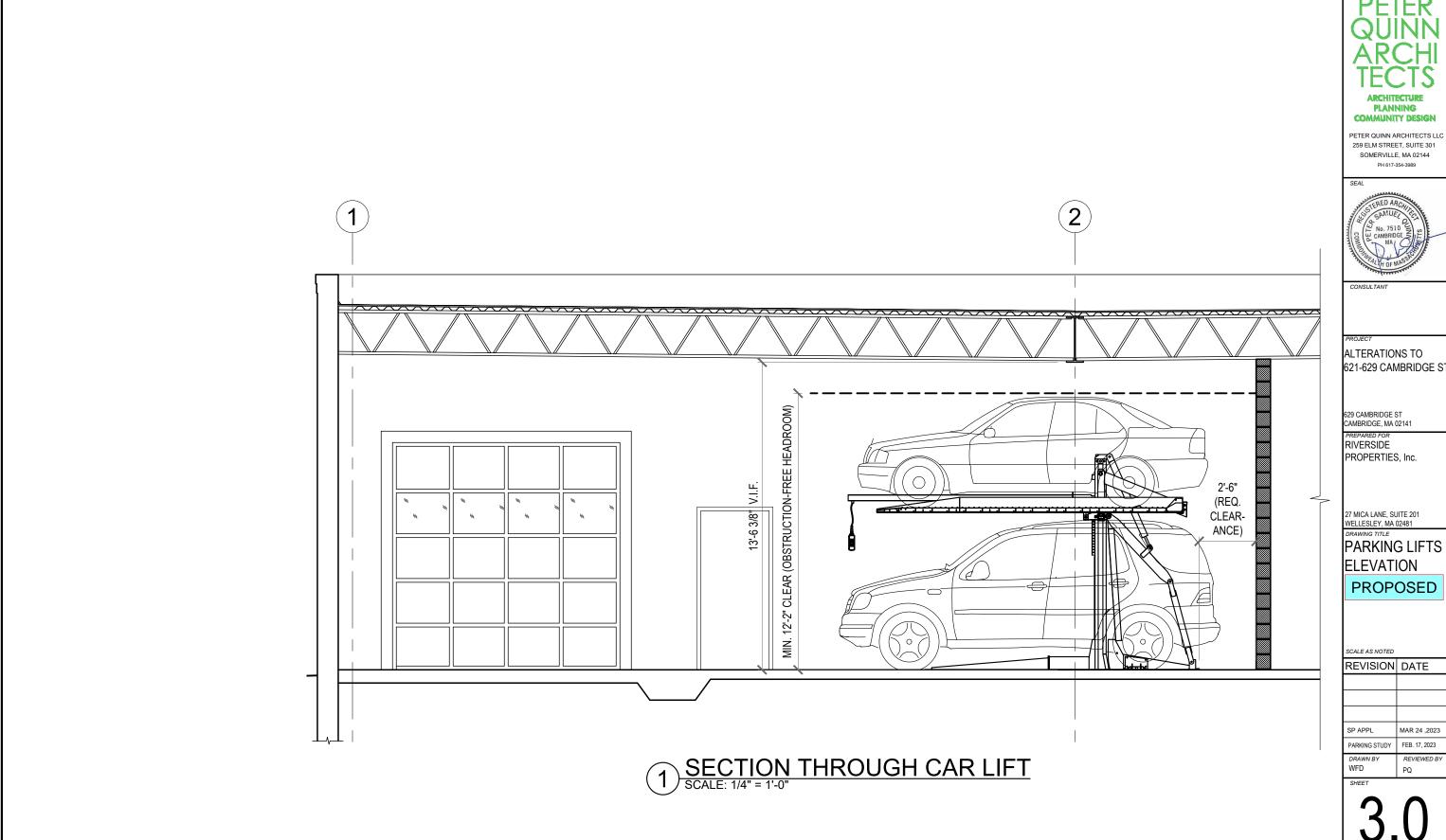
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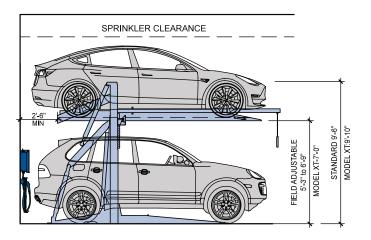
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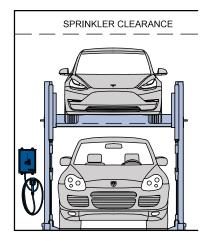
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DATA SHEET

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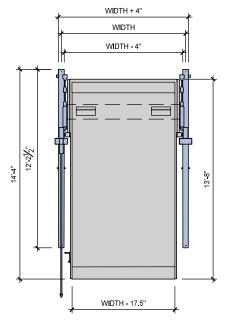


Clearance

S = Standard/SUV C = Compact/Sedan

MODEL	HEIGHT
C/C	10'-6"
C/S	12'-2"
S/S	14'-0"
S/S*	14'-6"

*LA City requirement



Width

MODEL	WIDTH	
W01	7'-11"	
W02	8'-3"	
W03	8'-6"	Г
W04	9'-0"	
W05	Custom	

WIDTH = Center of Leg to Center of Leg

PARKPLUS DP003 DOUBLE STACKER

621-629 Cambridge St. Install 3X

The **PARK**PLUS **DP003** Double Stacker is a hydraulic 2-post, 2-level cantilevered vehicle lift for parking cars one above another. The **DP003** raises and locks a platform in place so that a second vehicle can be parked at grade.

Entire assembly comes pre-welded and is assembled in the field. Stackers may be installed as single units or in arrays with shared common legs. Stacker is designed to be mounted on grade, concrete or asphalt. Approved foundation system may be required for installation of stackers.

The **PARK**PLUS **DP003** Double Stacker is designed to be installed indoors and outdoors. Platform height is field adjustable in $1^{1/2}$ " increments. Each city may have minimum height requirements and different clear requirements for code required parking. Owner/Architect should review with local planning and building departments. **MEP coordination with project team must meet code requirements and satisfy equipment clearances.**

Suitable for

- · Standard passenger vehicles
- SUVs

Specifications

Load per Platform: 6,000 lbs.
Weight of Unit: +/- 3,050 lbs.
Length of Platform: 13'-6"
Length incl. Overhang: 16'-6"
Width of Unit: 7'-11" to 9'-0"
Height of Unit: 9'-6" to 9'-10"
Operation: Hydraulic

Control: Push Button Pendant

*Custom Height and Width Available

Power Pack

Hydraulic Power System (HPS)

HPS1: 1-2 units

(208-230V / 1 PH / 60 HZ / 2-3 HP / 18 FLA)

HPS-1P10: 1-30 units

(208-230V / 1 PH / 60 HZ / 10 HP / 40 FLA)

HPS-3P10: 1-30 units

(208-230V / 3 PH / 60 HZ / 10 HP / 28.4 FLA)

Electrical

1 Disconnect required per HPS

3 PH 208-230V / 40Amp

1 PH 208-230V / 60Amp

All control wiring is a Class 2 Circuit 24V

Applications

DP003 Double Stacker can be installed in attended/valet and self-park applications:

- Single & Multi-Family Residential Buildings
- Indoor & Outdoor Installations
- Low & High Rise Buildings
- Commercial Buildings
- Surface Lots

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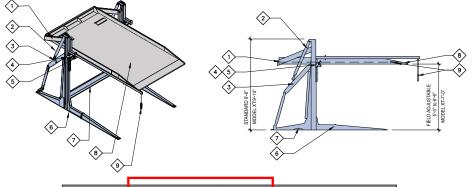


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- In-house Design, Manufacturing, Installation & Service
- Minimal Moving Parts Reduced Maintenance
- Galvanized, Commercial-Grade Machines
- Premium Quality Hydraulic Cylinders

PARKPLUS DP003 Double Stacker Parking System | Data Sheet V2022.07





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Components

- 1 CRADLE FRAME ASSEMBLY
- 2 HYDRAULIC CYLINDER
- 3 PARALLEL ARM ASSEMBLY
- 4 ADJUSTABLE HEIGHT ASSEMBLY
- 5 SAFETY LOCKS ASSEMBLY
- 6 END LEG ASSEMBLY
- 7 SEISMIC BEAM ASSEMBLY
- 8 PLATFORM ASSEMBLY
- 9 PUSH BUTTON CONTROLS

Layout

PARKPLUS DP003 Double Stacker can be arranged in single or tandem arrays on either side of a drive aisle. Queuing space of at least 2 vehicles must be provided to allow for shuffling of cars. Queuing space may be in drive aisle. For commercial projects, during peak traffic, all platforms will be lowered for quick filling of stackers. Surface space to be provided for code-required Accessible Parking.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Safety

Device is equipped with safety locking system. 'Posi-lock' double suspension system holds full weight of vehicle on platform in locked position. Device can be equipped with individual keyed controller for extra safety. Self-attended applications may require additional sensors to detect objects located under platform or entering the area below platform.

Fire Protection

In most metropolitan areas, car stackers are reviewed as similar to high piled storage and non-building structures. Fire rating of structural components is not required. Sprinklers may be required per following section. Each city may have fire department guidelines.

Fire Sprinklers

Outdoor: 1. Most cities do not require fire sprinklers. **2.** May need to conform to additional zoning regulations and building code requirements.

Indoor: 1. Installation shall be in a sprinklered garage. In tandem array, additional sprinkler requirements may apply. 2. Sprinkler Plans filed and approved by local municipality. 3. Sprinkler system designed as required by NFPA 13 and local building codes. 4. Clear building height within parking area must accommodate height of equipment plus additional requirements for adequate coverage of fire sprinklers.

Temperature

Device is designed to operate between 20° and 120° F. For below freezing environments, hydraulic heaters for Power Packs are recommended.

Loading

Structural design and loading is provided on a project by project basis and is dependant on seismic zones, soil conditions and other environmental conditions.

Warranty

12-month Standard Manufacturer's Warranty on new equipment. Equipment Lifespan: Indoor = 7,500 cycles; Outdoor = 5,000 cycles.

Service

At end of 12-month warranty period a service contract is available upon request.

Rental option may include Service & Maintenance for full term.

Approvals

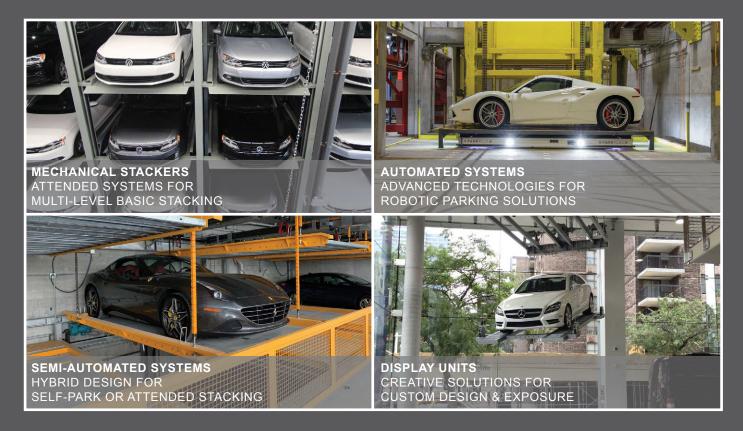
- MEA/OTCR Certified, City of New York
- LAETL Approved, LARR#930501, City of Los Angeles
- California Seismic Code Compliant
- · Miami Dade County Compliant
- · Approved in Multiple U.S. Cities

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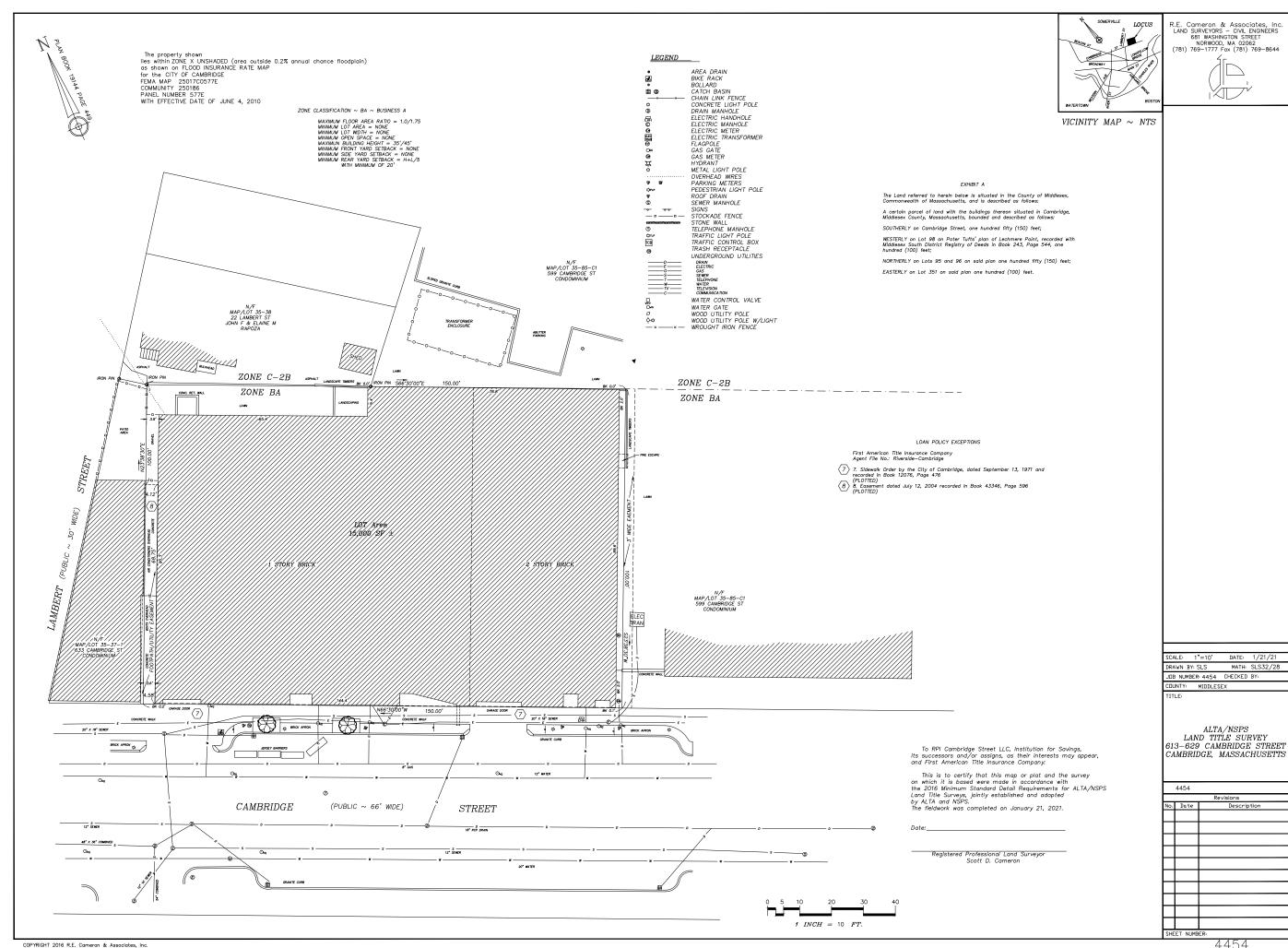


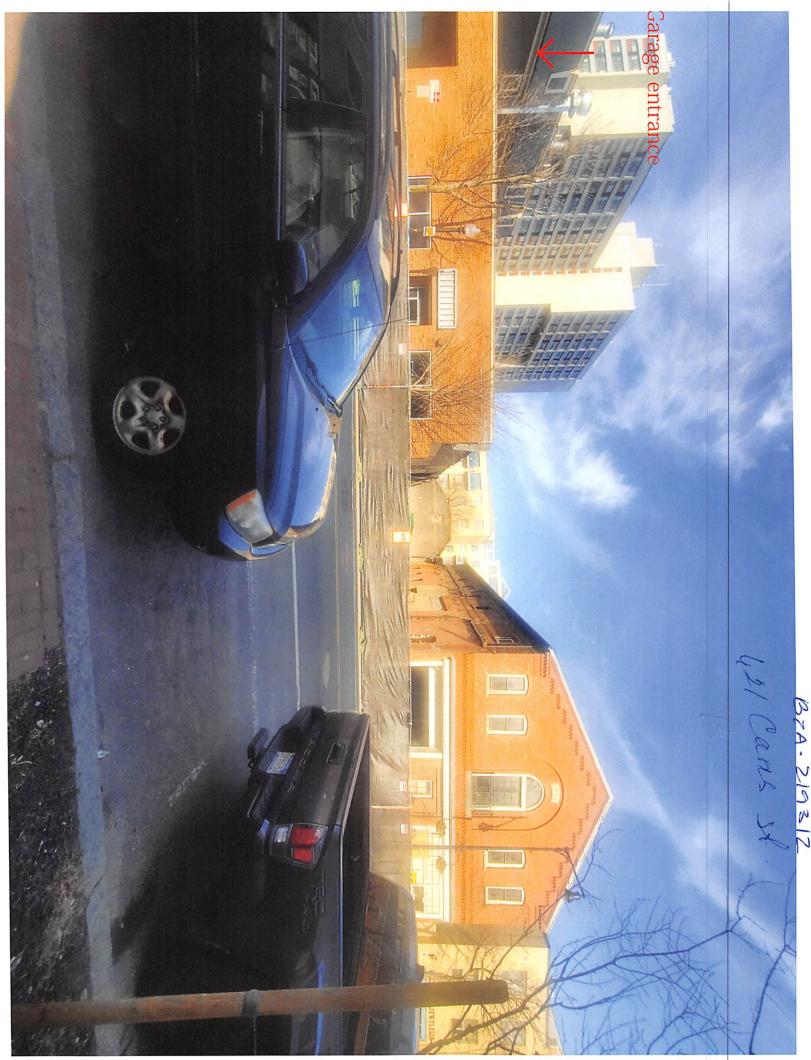
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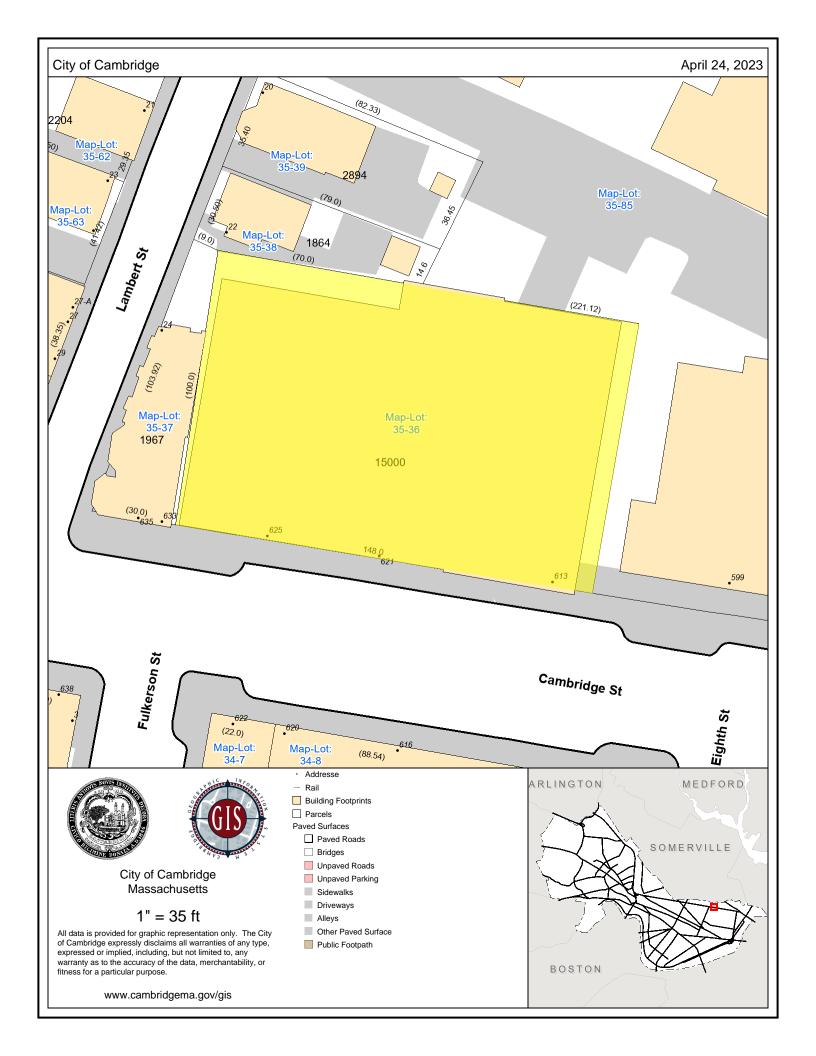
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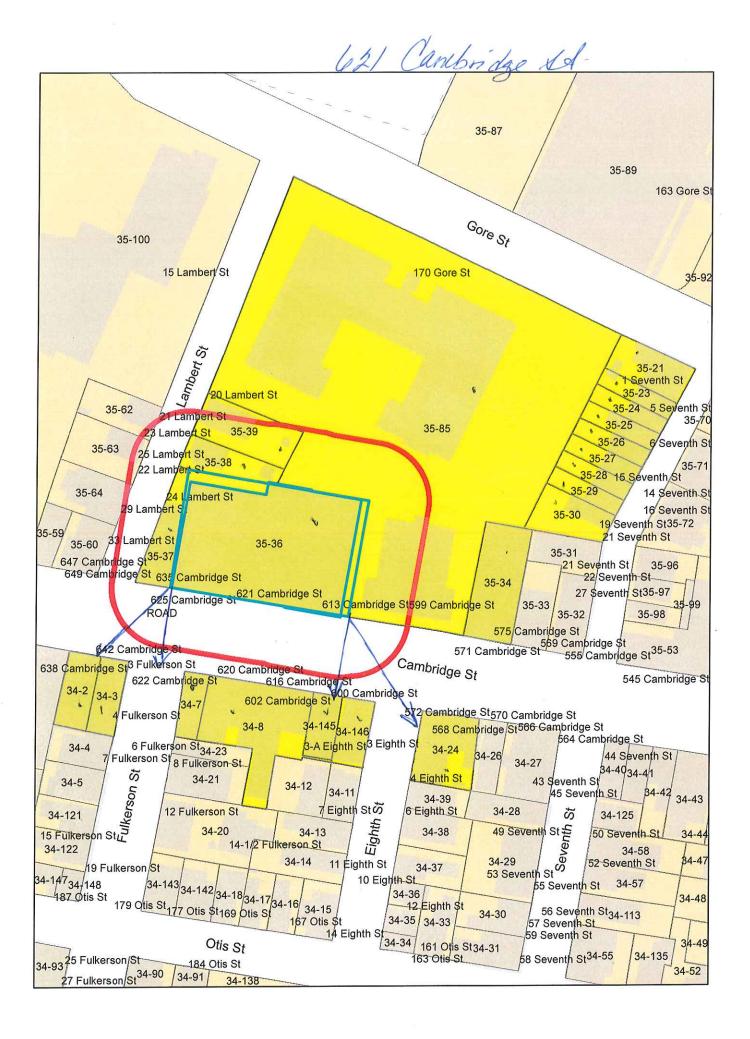
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34-24 LAMBERT, GERARD 572 CAMBRIDGE ST. UNIT#1 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

34-24 MCCOWAN, COREY C. 578 CAMBRIDGE ST. UNIT 2F CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

34-24 BENATTIA, CHERIF & ISMA BENATTIA 655 CONCORD AVE. APT#701 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

35-37 RICKER, JOSEPH A. 633-635 CAMBRIDGE ST - UNIT#4 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

34-8 SHREE MANAKAMANA LLC 620 CAMBRIDGE ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 XIANG, YANG 599 CAMBRIDGE ST, UNIT 203 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 ZHOU, XIANGMING 599 CAMBRIDGE ST UNIT #302 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 YOUNG, JAY 170 GORE ST #211 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

34-24 ZHOU PING & ANNETTE JUN DIAO DIAO DAKUI 578 CAMBRIDGE ST - UNIT 3R CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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34-24 KIEU, ALIX CHINH Q. 17 CARLISLE STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

34-24 JESSEL, MELANIE 2 EIGHTH ST., #2 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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35-85 YANG, LAN 170 GORE ST 616 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

34-2 VASQUEZ, ALBERTO E. & ROSA P. VASQUEZ 21 LAMBERT STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 SINGH, HARINDER, TRUSTEE 405 HIGHLAND ST WESTON, MA 02493

35-39 REAL99 LLC 3 SARAH JANE CT ACTON, MA 01720

34-145 DAR MAHJAR, INC. 4 SHELDON RD. WATERTOWN, MA 02472

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34-24 BABE BOOM, LLC. 21 RENEE TERRACE NEWTON , MA 02459

35-37 TREEHOUSE REALTY, LLC, 477 CAMBRIDGE ST ALLSTON, MA 02134

34-3 VASQUEZ, ALBERTO E. ,ROSA P. & GLORIA C/O GLORIA E. ALBERTO & ROSA P. VASQUEZ 21 LAMBERT STREET CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 CLARK, ROBERT C. 114 IRVING ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

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TRUSTEE OF SALVATORE S. FANTASIA TR.
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35-27 RUBENS, JACOB & CATHERINE AHEARN 13 SEVENTH ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 HUR YONG & YUMI OGATA 170 GORE ST - UNIT 314 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 PACHECO-PAVILLION LIMITED PARTNERSHIP 54 LARCHWOOD DR CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

35-85 CAMACHO, RALPH J. 170 GORE ST., #118 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141 621 Cards-St.

35-85 SINGH, SUKHWINDER L. & JASWINDER KAUR 25 PINE ST BELMONT, MA 02478

35-85 LUO,LAURA & EDWOOD NG TRUSTEE 16 DEARBORN TER WEST NEWTON, MA 02465

35-85 HARDWICK, JOSEPH B., JR, TRS THE JOSEPH B. HARDWICK , JR. TRUST 170 GORE ST #117 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-25 NOVAK, JOSEPH V. 63 MARTIN AVE NORTH ANDOVER, MA 01845

35-85 TAPPER, JONATHANN 170 GORE ST UNIT 518 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 MEKRUT, JOAN TR. OF THE JOAN G. MEKRUT 2019 TR 4 FAIR OAKS DR LINCOLN , RI 02865

35-85 LIU GUOHUI 170 GORE ST - UNIT 504 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 YORK, STEPHEN P. 170 GORE ST., #105 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 SHEHU, ELVIS 170 GORE ST., #120 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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35-85 ZHENG, BOWEN SAMANTHA R. ZHENG 170 GORE ST UNIT 417 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 HABERMAN, JOHN HYONRA HABERMAN 599 CAMBRIDGE ST UNIT #101 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-36 RPI CAMBRIDGE STREET LLC 27 MICA LN - SUITE 201 WELLESLEY, MA 02141

35-29 GONZALEZ. MAYA 17 SEVENTH ST CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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35-85 ALIANO, JOSEPH 170 GORE ST., UNIT #301 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141 35-85 BEST, WILLIAM H. & JOAN E. BEST 170 GORE STREET, UNIT 208 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

35-85 LIANG SHANRU 599 CAMBRIDGE ST - UNIT 205 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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35-85 LI, ADRIENNE V. 170 GORE ST., #217 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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35-85 XU, XIAO 170 GORE ST., #206 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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35-85 GENOVESE, GIULIO 170 GORE ST., #220 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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35-85 SASSO, JAMES

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35-85 KANNAN, KARUPPIAHN & LAKSHMILATHA KANNAN 170 GORE ST., UNIT #107 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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35-85 **KWON TAE HYUN** 170 GORE ST - UNIT 310 CAMBRIDGE, MA 02141

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Pacheco, Maria

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Sent:

Tuesday, June 13, 2023 9:22 AM

To:

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Subject:

Opposition to BZA-219312 at 6/15 Meeting

To the BZA.

With respect to BZA 219312, 621 Cambridge Street:

The petitioner is requesting to alter their original BZA approved plan from April (BZA Number: 132592) by converting the one loading dock space at 621 Cambridge St into a parking lot entrance with a change of use from one loading spot to 6 parking spots to accommodate spaces that, according to the petition, the space "may require" and "potentially need", but does not have any actually need.

The original application brought to the BZA in April did NOT have three parking spaces and the petitioner stated that "no vehicle parking is required for the renovation" and special permit approval was granted under the guise that the proposed use would, as the petitioner stated, have a "reduced impact in terms of traffic and loading activities that are currently part of what has existed on the site for many years. "

This proposal is a detriment to public interest:

<u>Less active streetscape</u>: Active, six car parking will create a less active streetscape with increased hazard to pedestrians and cyclists. Envision Cambridge strives to activate streetscapes and promote retail, not parking.

Increased traffic: The traffic generated or patterns of access or egress resulting from this project WLL cause congestion, hazard, and create a substantial change in established neighborhood character with more cars using the off-street parking by accessing it directly across Cambridge St. Further cars will be able to enter from both directions further tying up traffic as they attempt to cross the oncoming traffic along Cambridge street when coming from the west.

Adverse Affect on Adjacent Uses: The continued operation of adjacent uses WILL be adversely affected by what is being proposed since Lone Star Taco maintains an outside patio directly adjacent to this proposal.

<u>Detrimental Safety Hazard:</u> Nuisance or hazard WILL be created to the detriment of the health, safety and/or welfare of the citizens of the city as the increase of cars crossing through the pedestrian sidewalk as well as planned bike lane will be hazardous.

<u>Change of Use:</u> Existing site has one loading zone. This petition proposes to change the use from one loading to six parking to the detriment of the public interest.

I want to express my disappointment with this alteration and oppose this petition.

Joseph Rose Spring St



Thank you, Bza Members

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

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Hearing Date: 6/15/23	