

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE MASSACHUSETTS BOARD OF ZONING APPEAL 831 MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139 617 349-6100

BZA APPLICATION FORM

Plan No:

BZA-016758-2018

GENERAL INFORMATION

The undersigned	hereby pet	itions the Board of Zoning Appeal for the f	ollowing:
Special Permit :		Variance :	Appeal :
PETITIONER:	Roy Ru	ussell & Robin M. Chase - C/O Mi	chael W. Wiggins, Esq.
PETITIONER'S AD	DRESS:	Weston Patrick, P.A., 84 Sta	ate Street, 11th Floor Boston, MA
LOCATION OF PR	OPERTY:	40 Cottage St Cambridge, MA	
TYPE OF OCCUPA	ANCY:	Residentil Two Family ZON	NING DISTRICT: Residence C Zone
REASON FOR PE	TITION:		
	Add	itions	
DESCRIPTION OF	PETITION	ER'S PROPOSAL :	
would be less any of the di The proposed allowed use i	than 25 mensiona improvem n the di	%. none of the new construction l limits under the Zoning Ordina ments would enable two family use	ld be provided to comply with the
SECTIONS OF ZO	NING ORD	INANCE CITED :	
Article 8.000		Section 8.22.2.C (Non-Conform	ming Structure).
		Original Signature(s):	Roy Russell and Foben M. Charley Mehae N. Wiggins duly authorize (Petitioner(s) / Owner) Roy Russell and Robin M. Chase
			(Print Name)
		Address:	40 Cottage Street
			Cambridge, MA 02139
		Tel. No. :	617 230 3088
	1.	E-Mail Address	roy@alum.mit.edu
Date :	15/18	Weston 84 Sta	y Michael W. Wiggins Patrick, P.A. te Street, 11th Floor on, MA 02109 Tel. 617 742 9310

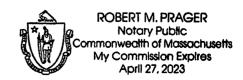
email mww@westonpatrick.com

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 Robin M. Chase and Roy P. Russell
(OWNER)
Address: 40 Cottage Street
State that I/We own the property located at 40 Cottage Street ,
which is the subject of this zoning application.
The record title of this property is in the name of Robin M. Chase
and Roy P. Russell
*Pursuant to a deed of duly recorded in the date
County Registry of Deeds at Book 24692 , Page 516 ; or
Middlesex Registry District of Land Court, Certificate No
BookPage
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 Middlesex
The above-name Roy P. Ryssell personally appeared before me,
this 6 of June, 2018, and made oath that the above statement is true Notary
My commission expires Marie 2) 2033 (Notary Seal).

 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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ROBERT M. PRAGER
Notory Public
NCommonwealth of Massachusetts
W Commission Expires
April 27, 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 40 Cottage St Cambridge, MA (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:

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The improvements proposed will constitute an enlargment of less than 25% in area and volume of the existing conditions and will not further violate any setback or other dimensional requirements. the size and of the new building will fit perfectly with use and size of building on lots in the immediate vicinity in this district and the use will conform to the authorized use of other lots in the district for two families.

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

Off street parking via a single lane driveway wil provide 2 parking spaces for the proposed 2 family use, so no addition to traffic congestion or interruption or vehicular or pedestrian use of street and sidwalk will occur

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:

As reconfigured the building will accommodate the same 2 family use as is prevalent and allowed in the district

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:

The improvements will afford ample space for two families to occupy the building, and there will be no detriment to the health safety or welfar of Cambridge citizens as the new use will simply conform to the generally prevailing use of other buildings in the immediate neighborhood as 2 family residences.

E) 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:

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DIMENSIONAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT: Weston Patrick, P.A. single family PRESENT USE/OCCUPANCY: 40 Cottage St Cambridge, MA ZONE: Residence C Zone **LOCATION:** two family PHONE: **REQUESTED USE/OCCUPANCY: EXISTING** REQUESTED **ORDINANCE** CONDITIONS CONDITIONS REQUIREMENTS 2885 2889 2902 TOTAL GROSS FLOOR AREA: (max.) 4836 5000 4836 (min.) LOT AREA: .6 .597 .598 RATIO OF GROSS FLOOR AREA (max.) TO LOT AREA: 4836 2418 1800 LOT AREA FOR EACH DWELLING UNIT: (min.) 60 60 50 (min.) SIZE OF LOT: WIDTH 78 78 N/A DEPTH 6.9 6.9 10 SETBACKS IN FEET: FRONT (min.) 3.7 3.7 20 REAR (min.) 34.5 23.5 7.5min20 LEFT SIDE (min.) 3.1 3.1 7.5min20 RIGHT SIDE (min.) 28 28 35 SIZE OF BLDG.: HETGHT (max.) 67.5 67.5 N/A LENGTH 24 N/A 33 WIDTH .497 .576 .36 (min.) RATIO OF USABLE OPEN SPACE TO LOT AREA: 1 2 2 NO. OF DWELLING UNITS: (max.) 1 2 2 (min./max) NO. OF PARKING SPACES: N/A N/A N/A NO. OF LOADING AREAS: (min.) 10 N/A N/A DISTANCE TO NEAREST BLDG. (min.) ON SAME LOT:

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

No other occupancies

Existing garage on lot to be demolished.

Iimprovements to be wood frame construction and foundation to be concrete

- SEE CAMBRIDGE ZONING ORDINANCE ARTICLE 5.000, SECTION 5.30 (DISTRICT OF DIMENSIONAL REGULATIONS).
- 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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CAMBRIDGE HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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E-mail: histcomm@cambridgema.gov URL: http://www.cambridgema.gov/Historic

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Jurisdiction Advice

	Jurisdiction Adv	<u>ice</u>				
To the Owner of Property at	40 Cottage Stree	et	_			
The above-referenced property is reason of the status referenced bel		he Camb	oridge H	istoric	al Commiss	ion (CHC) by
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CHC staff initialsSLB		Date _	June	28,	2018	-
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cc: Applicant Inspectional Services Cor	nmissioner					

Demolition Delay Ordinance and Application Information

The Demolition Delay Ordinance (Chapter 2.78, Article II of the Cambridge Municipal Code) was adopted by the City Council in 1979 to afford public review of demolition permit applications for potentially significant buildings. When the Historical Commission determines that a building is significant and should be preserved, demolition will be delayed for up to six months so that solutions can be sought to preserve the building indefinitely. The Ordinance covers all buildings over 50 years old, city-wide. The Historical Commission archives provide dates of construction for all properties in the City.

Demolition is defined in the ordinance as "the act of pulling down, destroying, removing or razing a building or commencing the work of total or substantial destruction with the intent of completing the same." The Inspectional Services Commissioner has provided further guidelines to outline what actions require a demolition permit. In addition to complete demolition of a building, the following actions may require a demolition permit,

- removal of a roof,
- removal of one side of a building,
- gutting of a building's interior to the point where exterior features (windows, etc.) are impacted, and
- removal of more than 25% of a structure.

Please contact the building inspector or a staff member of the Historical Commission if you have questions about whether a demolition permit is required for a particular project.

Demolition permit applications can be obtained from the Inspectional Services Department. The completed application should be submitted to the Historical Commission, where the staff will review the application. If the Executive Director of the Historical Commission makes an initial determination that the building is significant, a public hearing will be scheduled with Historical Commission. If the staff makes an initial determination that the building is not significant, the application is released for further review by the Building Commissioner.

More information about the demolition permit application procedures is available on the Historical Commission's web site or by calling or dropping by the Historical Commission office.

July 2003

Cambridge Historical Commission 831 Massachusetts Ave., 2nd Fl. Cambridge, MA 02139 Ph: 617/349-4683 or TTY: 617/349-6112 http://www.cambridgema.gov/Historic



The Board of Zoning Appeal

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Board of Zoning Appeal Waiver Form

831 Mass Avenue Cambridge, MA 02139 (Print Petitioner Name) (Print Owner Name) 🥱 🕠 Petitioner's and/or Owner's Petitioner or (Print Agent/Representative Name) Agent or Representative, hereby waives the Petitioner's and/or Owner's right to a Decision by the Board of Zoning Appeal on the above referenced Case # 1514-0/6758-2018 within the time period as required by Section 9 or Section 15 of the Zoning Act of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40A, and/or Section 6409 of the federal Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012, codified as 47 U.S.C. §1455(a), or any other relevant state or federal regulation or law, as applicable, until <u>August 30</u> Waiver to extend Hearing Owner | □ Petitioner (Petitioner's and/or Owner's Agent or

Representative

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C/O MICHAEL J. WIGGINS, ESQ.
84 STATE STREET, 11TH FL.
BOSTON, MA 0210+9

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C/O ALEXIS L BOYLAN & MICHELE P. MCELYA
46 COTTAGE ST. UNIT 2
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

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VAUGHAN, MARY W. & MICHAEL WEINER
C/O SNIGHT, MICHAEL TRAVIS &
46 COTTAGE ST., #3
CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

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CHASE-RUSSELL RESIDENCE

40 Cottage Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts

List of Drawings

AO.0 DRAWING LIST \$ SITE / ROOF PLAN

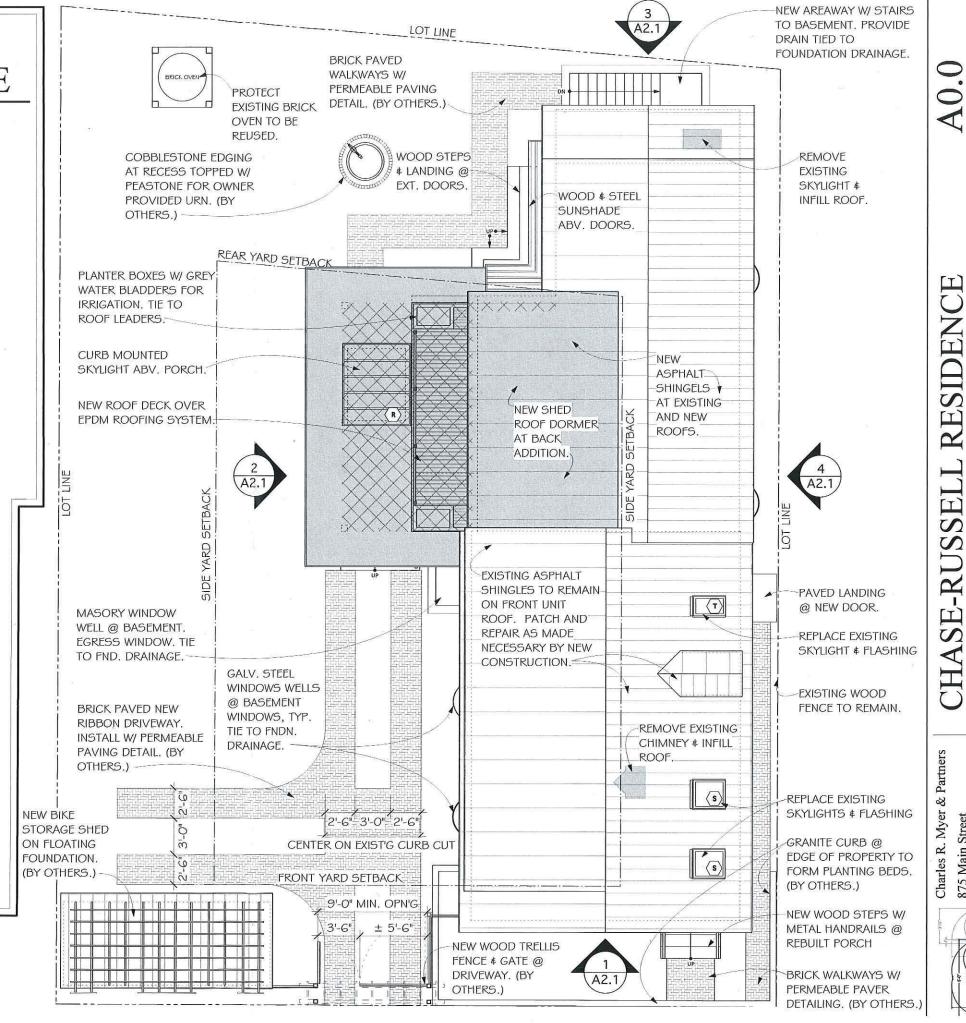
FLOOR PLANS A1.0

A2.1 **EXTERIOR ELEVATIONS**

GENERAL SITE AND ROOF NOTES:

- 1. SITE PLAN BASED ON SURVEY DATED 7 JUNE 2013 BY EVERETT M. BROOKS CO., 49 LEXINGTON STREET, WEST NEWTON, MA 02465 (617.527.8750)
- 2. FIELD VERIFY CONDITIONS & REVIEW ANY DISCREPANCIES WITH ARCHITECT.
- 3. PRESERVE EXISTING TRESS & PLANTINGS WHERE POSSIBLE. REVIEW WITH OWNER TO DETERMINE WHAT SHOULD BE PROTECTED OR MOVED.
- 4. RESTORE GRADE AROUND HOUSE PERIMETER TO PROVIDE POSITIVE DRAINAGE AWAY FROM FOUNDATION. RESTORED AREAS NOT RECEIVING GROUND COVER TO BE SEEDED WITH GRASS SEED IMMEDIATELY AFTER RESTORATION. LANDSCAPING BY OTHERS.
- 5. EXISTING ASPHALT ROOF SHINGLES TO REMAIN AT FRONT UNIT ROOF. PATCH AND REPAIR AS NECESSARY. BACK UNIT SLOPED ROOFS TO BE NEW ASPHLAT SHIGLES TO MATCH. PAINTED STEEL FLASHING TO MATCH GUTTERS. PROVIDE LIGHT COLORED MEMBRANE ROOFING SYSTEM AT FLAT ROOF BELOW WOOD DECK.
- 6. NEW GUTTER AND DOWNSPOUTS TO BE K STYLE HI-BACK GUTTERS W/ INTEGRAL APRON. ATTACH MATCHING 3" Ø ROUND DOWNSPOUTS TO LEADERS RUNNING TO DAYLIGHT OR DRYWELLS.
- 7. COORDINATE LOCATIONS OF PLANTING BEDS W/ OWNER \$
- 8. REVIEW LOCATION OF EXTERIOR HVAC EQUIPMENT W/ OWNER
- 9. REFERENCE FOR ELEVATION HEIGHTS: EXISTING FINISH FLOOR TO REMAIN @ FRONT UNIT = 100'-0".
- INDICATES AREA OF NEW CONSTRUCTION





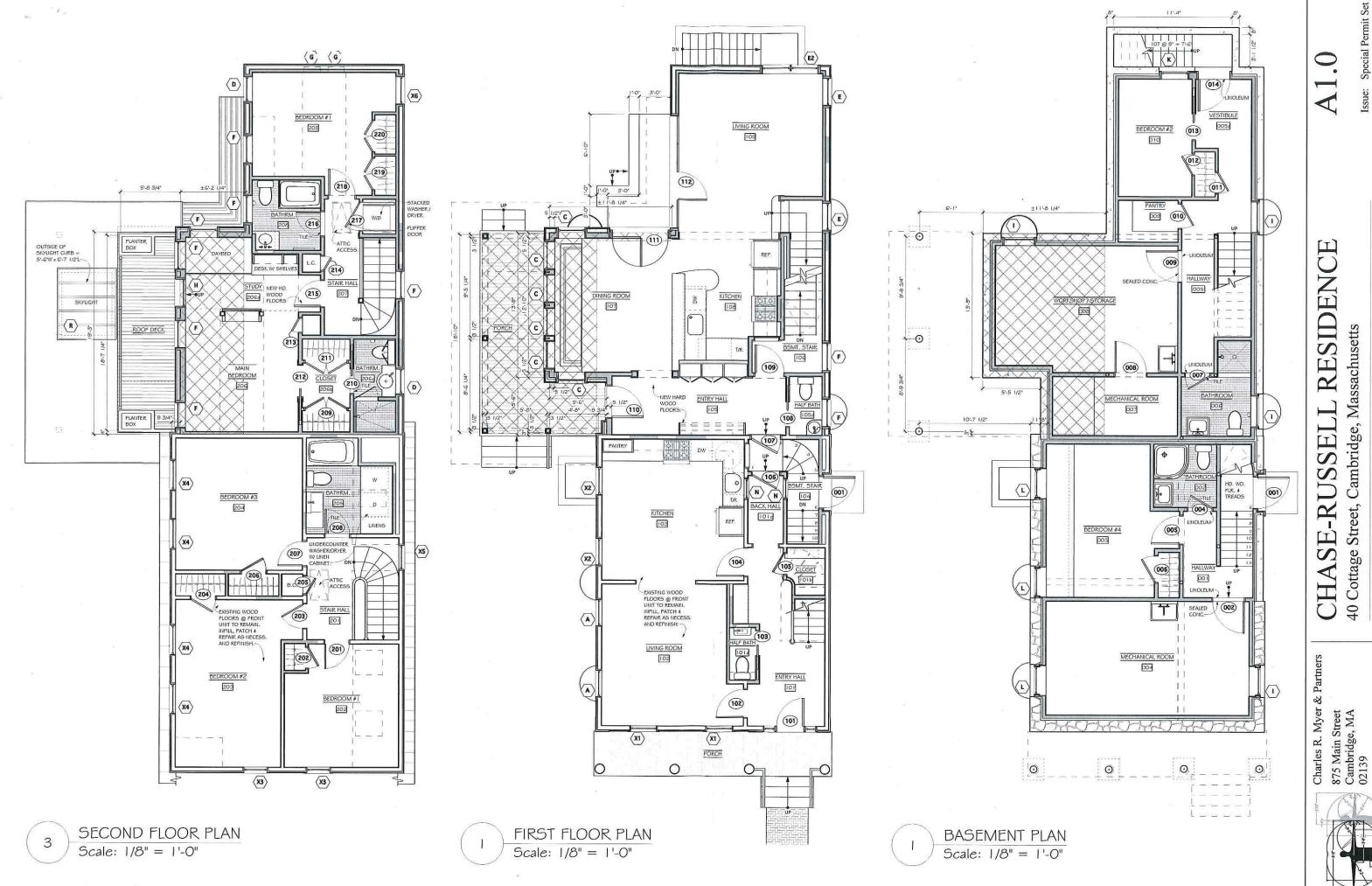
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Site Roof Plan

Cambridge, Massachusetts

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875 Main Street Cambridge, MA 02139



Special Permit Set 06/07/2018

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Floor Plans

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Special Permit Set 06/07/2018

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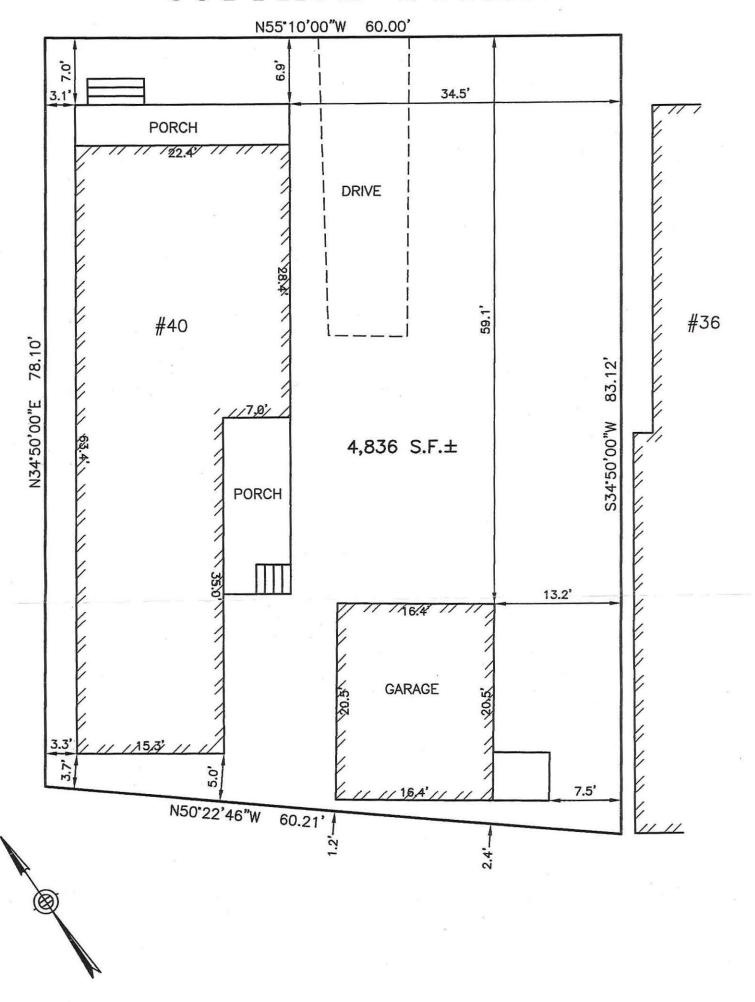
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Exterior Elevations

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COTTAGE STREET



DEED REFERENCE: BOOK 24692 PAGE 516

ESTABLISHED 1916

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SURVEYORS & ENGINEERS

49 LEXINGTON STREET WEST NEWTON, MA 02465

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PLAN OF LAND IN CAMBRIDGE, MA

40 COTTAGE STREET EXISTING CONDITIONS

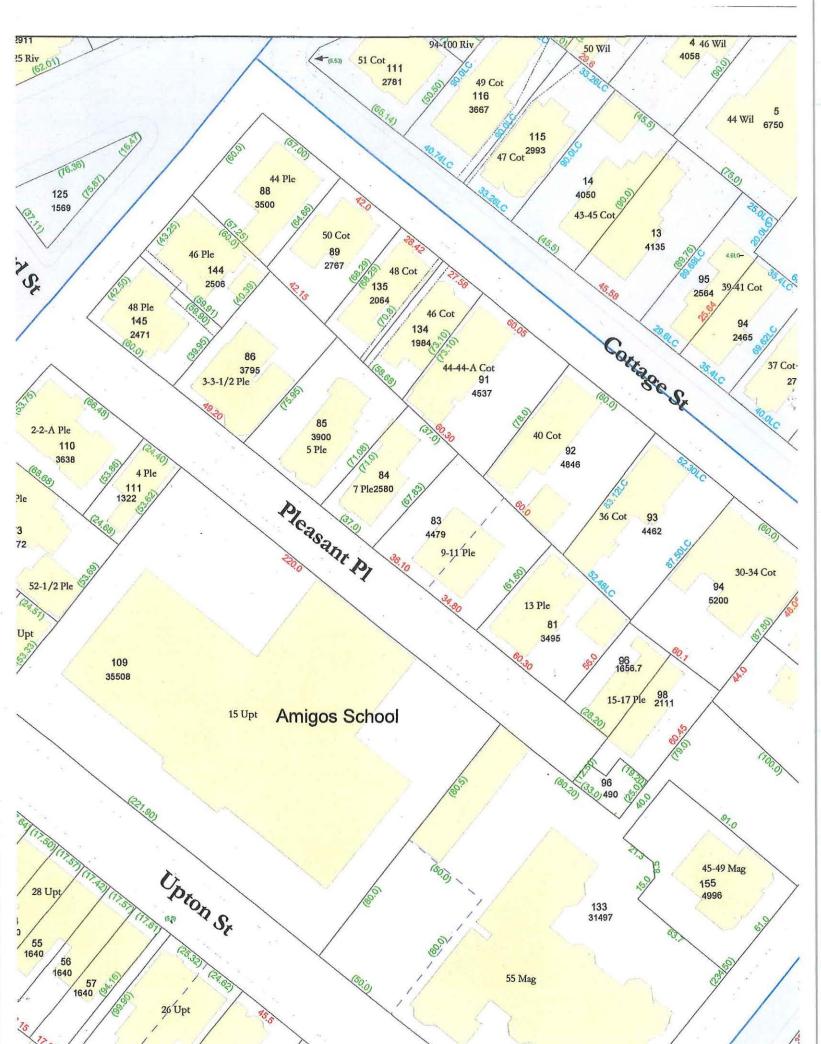
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Pacheco, Maria

From:

Michael W. Wiggins < mww@westonpatrick.com>

Sent:

Friday, June 15, 2018 10:59 AM

To:

Pacheco, Maria

Subject:

40 Cottage Street BZA #016758-2018

Dear Maria,

I have just checked with my clients. They would not be available for a hearing on July 26. They would ask for a date in mid to late August, either the 16th, 23rd or 30th. Please let me know whether any of those dates is open. My clients would be glad to schedule for any of those dates.

Thank you,

Mike Wiggins

Michael W. Wiggins Weston Patrick, P.A. 84 State Street 11th Floor Boston, MA 02109 Tel. 617-742-9310 ext. 313 Fax 617-742-5734 Email mww@westonpatrick.com

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