

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

PLANNING BOARD

CITY HALL ANNEX, 344 BROADWAY, CAMBRIDGE, MA 02139

The Planning Board of the City of Cambridge will hold a public hearing on **August 18, 2020, at 7:30 p.m.**, conducted remotely (see below for directions) on a petition by the City Council to amend the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Cambridge by creating a new Paragraph 22.25.2(d) within the Green Building Requirements. <u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: This hearing was originally scheduled for August 4th but has been rescheduled to **August 18th**.

The new Paragraph 22.25.2(d) would read as follows: "A plan shall be submitted to Community Development and Inspectional Services Departments that uses alternative and renewable energy sources and an analysis of the feasibility and cost of installing such a system compared with a fossil fueled energy system for city and public review." Note that this does not mandate that a non-fossil fuel system be installed.

Copies of the petition are on file in the Office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 795 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts and at the Community Development Department, 344 Broadway, and online at www.cambridgema.gov/cdd/zoninganddevelopment/zoning/amendments. Questions concerning the petition may be addressed to Liza Paden at 617/349-4647 or paden@cambridgema.gov.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to statewide emergency orders limiting the size of public gatherings in response to COVID-19, this meeting will be held with remote participation and will be closed to in-person attendance. Members of the public can view the meeting online or on cable television within Cambridge, provide comments before the meeting in writing to planningboardcomment@cambridgema.gov, and attend virtually online or by telephone.

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A link to attend the meeting virtually will be posted in advance on the Meeting Agenda: https://cambridgema.igm2.com/citizens/default.aspx?

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