

September 1, 2017

Theodore Cohen
Chairperson
Planning Board, City of Cambridge
c/o Liza Paden
344 Broadway
Cambridge, MA 02139

Subject: Extension of Special Permit No. PB#300 for addition to 16-18 Eliot Street, Cambridge MA

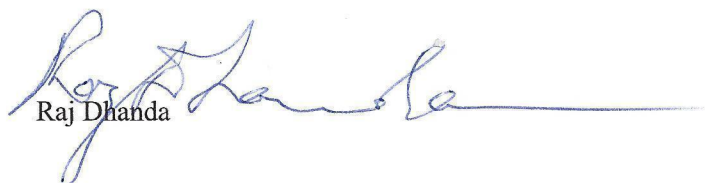
Dear Mr. Cohen,

I am writing to you to request extension of Special Permit No. PB#300 for addition to 16-18 Eliot Street, Cambridge MA. The current Special Permit expires October 7, 2017. The extension request is to extend that date one year to October 7, 2018.

There are several reasons for this request.

1. The original Special Permit was issued to the previous owner and after I purchased the property in spring of 2016, it took me some time to understand engineering and power supply for the proposed addition.
2. We are now in the final stages of applying for the building permit. Building Department has informed us that they are extraordinarily busy and may not be able to issue the building permit, prior to the expiration date of the Special Permit, which is October 7, 2017.
3. If the building department is not able to issue to building permit in time, prior to the expiration date of the Special Permit, it could cause us serious financial hardship.

Thank you.


Raj Dhanda