



TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL

Board of Adjustment Meeting Minutes

Town Hall
405 Martin Luther King Jr.
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Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Chair Thomas Grasty
Vice Chair Thomas Wortman
James Bartow
James Faron
Allan Fishkin

Benjamin Mcavoy-Bickford
Judith Miller
Andrew Strada
BJ Warshaw

Thursday, November 7, 2024

6:30 PM

Virtual Meeting

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Opening

Roll Call

Tas Lagoo (Principal Planner) served as the staff liaison to the Board.

Present

8 - Chair Thomas Grasty, James Bartow, Allan Fishkin,
Benjamin Mcavoy-Bickford, Judith Miller, Andrew Strada, BJ
Warshaw, and Vice-Chair Thomas Wortman

Absent 1 - James Faron

Approval of Agenda

A motion was made by Wortman, seconded by Strada, to approve the draft agenda. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

Announcements

Petitions

Approval of Minutes

1. Approval of the June 20, 2024, Draft Meeting Minutes [\[24-0528\]](#)

A motion was made by Wortman, seconded by Miller, to approve the minutes of the June 20, 2024, meeting. The motion carried with a five ayes and three abstentions.

Aye: 5 - Chair Thomas Grasty, Judith Miller, Andrew Strada, BJ Warshaw, and Vice-Chair Thomas Wortman

Absent: 1 - James Faron

Abstain: 3 - James Bartow, Allan Fishkin, and Benjamin Mcavoy-Bickford

New Business

2. Discussion Regarding Board of Adjustment Review of Special Use Permits [\[24-0529\]](#)

Please note that there are no attachments for this agenda item. Tas Lagoo will make a brief presentation to the Board followed by an opportunity for questions and discussion.

Lagoo presented a proposal to assign all new Special Use Permits to the Board of Adjustment. Following questions and discussion, Board members expressed support for the proposal. No official action was taken.

Adjournment

Next Meeting - December 5, 2024

Order of Consideration of Agenda Items:

- 1. Staff Presentation*
 - 2. Applicant's Presentation*
 - 3. Public Comment*
 - 4. Board Discussion*
 - 5. Motion*
 - 6. Restatement of Motion by Chair*
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7. Vote

8. Announcement of Vote by Chair

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Unless otherwise noted, please contact the Planning Department at 919-968-2728; planning@townofchapelhill.org for more information on the above referenced applications.

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