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To: Tom Morris, Chairman

Village of Wappingers Falls Planning Board

From: Michèle Robinson Greig, AICP

Date: April 3, 2024

Subject: 2544 South Avenue Three-Family Dwelling

For the captioned project we have reviewed a Site Plan prepared by John V. Sullivan/William Moreau P.E. (Sheets S-1 and S-2 dated October 30, 2023 and last revised March 14, 2024); and correspondence from the applicant's representative John V. Sullivan dated March 14, 2024. We offer the following comments for the Planning Board's consideration.

- 1. **SEQR.** The Planning Board adopted a Resolution Classifying the Proposed Project as a Type II Action on March 7, 2024, concluding the SEQR review of the application.
- 2. **Outdoor Lighting.** The proposed building-mounted fixtures have a color temperature of 3000K; a maximum of 2700K is permitted.
- 3. **Special Use Permit.** The proposed project requires a special use permit. The Planning Board should review the project against the standards for a special use permit in § 155-71 of the Zoning Law.
- 4. **Recreation Fee.** Payment of the recreation fee for one (1) additional dwelling unit is required.
- 5. **239-m Review.** The Site Plan application must be referred to Dutchess County Department of Planning and Development for review under General Municipal Law 239-m since the property is located on a State highway.
- 6. **Public Hearings.** Public hearings on the Special Use Permit and Site Plan applications have been scheduled for April 4, 2024.

cc: Todd W. Atkinson, P.E., J. Robert Folchetti & Associates, LLC Lisa M. Cobb, Esq., The Law Offices of Lisa M. Cobb

VILLAGE OF WAPPINGERS FALLS



BUILDING DEPARTMENT 2582 SOUTH AVENUE

WAPPINGERS FALLS, NY 12590

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APPLICATION FOR PLANNING BOARD REVIEW

All information must be completely filled out and returned no later than the stated submission date.

Date Submitted: November 8, 2023 rev'd Feb. 7, 2024 Date of Meeting: December 7, 2023 Current March 7, 2024 **Property Identification:** Address: 2544 South Avenue Zoning District: VR - Village Residential Existing site area: 0.195+/- acres **Owner Information:** Name: Djallel Bouneffouf Address: 7 Gwens Way State: New York City: Poughkeepsie Zip: 12603 Contact Numbers: (H)_____(C) 914.608.4492 (E-mail) djallel_info@yahoo.fr **Applicant Information:** (Please provide if someone other than the property owner is the applicant) Name: (same as above) Address:_____ ______State:______Zip:_____ City:_____ Contact Numbers: (H)______(C) _____ E-mail Address: ______ Lead Design Professional: (J. f applicable) (Indicate the primary design professional associated with this application) Name: John Sullivan Title: Consultant □Architect Engineer Company:____ Address: 16 Barclay Street - Poughkeepsie, NY 12601 Telephone # : 914.456.1299 E-mailAddress: jsullivan2@hvc.rr.com

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VILLAGE OF WAPPINGERS FALLS

APPLICATION FOR PLANNING BOARD REVIEW

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Proposed Site:

Existing Use(s): Two-family dwelling units	5	
Proposed square footage: 990		
Project Description :(Please print or type)		
(Describe the project in detail indicating all area used as a part of the proposed improvements. Us		t and materials to be
Site plan review for an amended site plan for an exis	sting two-family	
esidence proposing one additional dwelling unit. T	hree-family total. Site plan i	mprovements,
consisting of new landscaping, lighting and reduction	on in impervious surfaces.	
Items to be submitted for re	eview: (Only items pertaining t	o project)
Ten (10) sets of plans.	(om) noms portaining t	~ p. 0 100 0)
☐ Legal Documents (Right of Ways/Easements/Lea	se/Contracts of Sale, etc.)	
Consent Form	<i>z., comzuo ci z., co.,</i>	
☐ Application for proposed sign		
Application Fee		
☐ Proof that the taxes, utility bills and fines for the pr	roperty are paid in full.	
With the completion of this application, I	I hereby state that the inform	nation provided and
all Accompanying documentation is acc	•	•
attached plans contain all informa	tion required by the appropr	iate checklist.
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Signature of Applicant Signed		Date
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Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 1 - Project Information

Instructions for Completing

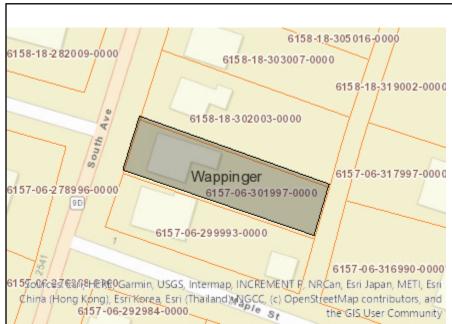
Part 1 – Project Information. The applicant or project sponsor is responsible for the completion of Part 1. Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification. Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information.

Complete all items in Part 1. You may also provide any additional information which you believe will be needed by or useful to the lead agency; attach additional pages as necessary to supplement any item.

Part 1 – Project and Sponsor Inform	ation					
Name of Action or Project:						
Project Location (describe, and attach a	location map):					
Brief Description of Proposed Action:						
Name of Applicant or Sponsor:			Telephone:			
			E-Mail:			
Address:						
City/PO:			State:	Zip Co	ode:	
1. Does the proposed action only invo- administrative rule, or regulation?	olve the legislative adoption	of a plan, local	law, ordinance,	_	NO	YES
If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent of the proposed action and the environmental resources that may be affected in the municipality and proceed to Part 2. If no, continue to question 2.						
2. Does the proposed action require a permit, approval or funding from any other government Agency? If Yes, list agency(s) name and permit or approval:				NO	YES	
3. a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action? acres b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? acres c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor? acres						
4. Check all land uses that occur on, a	re adjoining or near the prop	osed action:				
5. Urban Rural (non-agricu	lture) Industrial	Commercia	l Residential (sub	urban)		
☐ Forest Agriculture☐ Parkland	Aquatic	Other(Spec	ify):			

5.	Is the proposed action,	NO	YES	N/A
	a. A permitted use under the zoning regulations?			
	b. Consistent with the adopted comprehensive plan?			
6	Is the proposed action consistent with the predominant character of the existing built or natural landscape?		NO	YES
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7.	Is the site of the proposed action located in, or does it adjoin, a state listed Critical Environmental Area?		NO	YES
If Y	Yes, identify:			
			NO	VEC
8.	a. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels?		NO	YES
	b. Are public transportation services available at or near the site of the proposed action?			
	c. Are any pedestrian accommodations or bicycle routes available on or near the site of the proposed action?			
9.	Does the proposed action meet or exceed the state energy code requirements?		NO	YES
If th	he proposed action will exceed requirements, describe design features and technologies:			
10.	Will the proposed action connect to an existing public/private water supply?		NO	YES
	If No, describe method for providing potable water:			
11.	Will the proposed action connect to existing wastewater utilities?		NO	YES
	If No, describe method for providing wastewater treatment:			
	a. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or district	t	NO	YES
Cor	ich is listed on the National or State Register of Historic Places, or that has been determined by the mmissioner of the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation to be eligible for listing on the te Register of Historic Places?			
arcl	b. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in or adjacent to an area designated as sensitive for haeological sites on the NY State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) archaeological site inventory?			
13.	a. Does any portion of the site of the proposed action, or lands adjoining the proposed action, contain wetlands or other waterbodies regulated by a federal, state or local agency?		NO	YES
	b. Would the proposed action physically alter, or encroach into, any existing wetland or waterbody?		H	
If Y	Yes, identify the wetland or waterbody and extent of alterations in square feet or acres:			

14. Identify the typical habitat types that occur on, or are likely to be found on the project site. Check all that apply:			
☐Shoreline ☐ Forest Agricultural/grasslands Early mid-successional			
Wetland Urban Suburban			
15. Does the site of the proposed action contain any species of animal, or associated habitats, listed by the State or	NO	YES	
Federal government as threatened or endangered?			
16. Is the project site located in the 100-year flood plan?	NO	YES	
17. Will the proposed action create storm water discharge, either from point or non-point sources?	NO	YES	
If Yes,			
a. Will storm water discharges flow to adjacent properties?			
b. Will storm water discharges be directed to established conveyance systems (runoff and storm drains)? If Yes, briefly describe:			
18. Does the proposed action include construction or other activities that would result in the impoundment of water	NO	YES	
or other liquids (e.g., retention pond, waste lagoon, dam)? If Yes, explain the purpose and size of the impoundment:			
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49. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the location of an active or closed solid waste management facility?	NO	YES	
If Yes, describe:			
20. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the subject of remediation (ongoing or	NO	YES	
completed) for hazardous waste? If Yes, describe:			
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I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE IS TRUE AND ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE			
Applicant/sponsor/name:			
Signature:Title:			



Disclaimer: The EAF Mapper is a screening tool intended to assist project sponsors and reviewing agencies in preparing an environmental assessment form (EAF). Not all questions asked in the EAF are answered by the EAF Mapper. Additional information on any EAF question can be obtained by consulting the EAF Workbooks. Although the EAF Mapper provides the most up-to-date digital data available to DEC, you may also need to contact local or other data sources in order to obtain data not provided by the Mapper. Digital data is not a substitute for agency determinations. Sound

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Part 1 / Question 7 [Critical Environmental Area]	No
Part 1 / Question 12a [National or State Register of Historic Places or State Eligible Sites]	Yes
Part 1 / Question 12b [Archeological Sites]	Yes
Part 1 / Question 13a [Wetlands or Other Regulated Waterbodies]	No
Part 1 / Question 15 [Threatened or Endangered Animal]	Yes
Part 1 / Question 15 [Threatened or Endangered Animal - Name]	Northern Long-eared Bat, Indiana Bat
Part 1 / Question 16 [100 Year Flood Plain]	No
Part 1 / Question 20 [Remediation Site]	No



Village of Wappingers Falls

Office of Planning and Zoning 2582 South Avenue, Wappingers Falls, NY 12590 (845) 297-5277 Fax: (845) 296-0379

SPECIAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION

Part 1 – to be completed by all Applicants	Date: February 7, 2024
NAME OF PROJECT: (ex: Doe Accessory Apartm	Amended site plan / SUP for a proposed 3 Family dwelling
APPLICANT:	
Name: Djallel Bouneffouf	
Address: 7 Gwens Way - Pough.,	NY 12603
Phone: 914.608.4492	Fax:
Email: djallel_info@yahoo.fr	
PROPERTY OWNER:	
Name: (same as above)	
Address:	
Phone:	Fax:
Email:	
PROPERTY INFORMATION:	
Address: 2544 South Avenue	
Parcel ID #: 135601-6157-06-3019	97 Parcel size: 0.195 Acres
Zoning District: VR-Village Residential	urrent use: Two-Family

If this application seeks a special use permit for an accessory dwelling (apartment), complete and attach Part 2 of this form, including the affidavit included as Exhibit A thereto.

If this application seeks a special use permit for any use other than an accessory apartment, complete and attach Part 3 of this form.

Every application must be accompanied by an owner affidavit in the form set forth on the next pages.

The Planning Board of the Village of Wappingers Falls generally meets in regular session on the first Thursday of each month. In order to be placed on a Planning Board agenda for any given month, the original and ten (10) copies of a completed application form and all necessary supporting documentation, together with the required fee, must be received by the Zoning Enforcement Officer no later than noon on the date 15 days prior to the next-scheduled meeting of the Planning Board. There shall be no exceptions. The Zoning Administrator will review each application for completeness. Incomplete applications will not be placed on an agenda. The Zoning Administrator is without authority to vary this rule. Early submissions are encouraged so that, if deficiencies are noted, applicants have sufficient time to revise their submission to correct them and be placed on that month's agenda.

Application fees and escrow fees shall be paid by separate checks, each made payable to the "Village of Wappingers Falls." No application will be deemed complete or placed on an agenda until such fees have been received by the Village.

I certify that I have read the foregoing and that the information submitted is true and accurate/to the best of my knowledge:

Applicant

OWNER'S AFFIDAVIT

This affidavit must be signed by all owners of record of the property.

State of)	
) ss.	:
County of)	
2		being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. That I/we are the Owner(s) of the within property as described in the foregoing application for special permit approval and that the statements contained therein are true to the best of my/our knowledge and belief.
- 2. (If applicable) That I/we hereby authorize ______ to act as my/our representative in all matters regarding said application(s), and that I/we have the legal right to make or authorize the making of said application.
- 3. That I/we understand that by submitting this application for special permit approval that I/we expressly grant permission to the Planning Board and its authorized representatives to enter upon the property, at all reasonable times, for the purpose of conducting inspections and becoming familiar with site conditions. I/we acknowledge that this grant of permission may only be revoked by the full withdrawal of said application from further Planning Board action.
- 4. That I/we understand that by submitting this application that I/we shall be responsible for the payment of all application fees, review fees, and inspection fees incurred by the Village related to this application.
- 5. That I/we understand that I/we, and any of our contractors and representatives, shall be jointly and severally liable for all costs incurred, including environmental restoration costs, resulting from noncompliance with the approved application, and with non-compliance with any provision of the Village Code.
- 6. I/we acknowledge that approval of the plan and commencement of any work related to the approved application shall constitute express permission to the Planning Board, the Building Inspector, Code Enforcement Officer or Zoning

Administrator, and any duly authorized representative of the Village of Wappingers Falls, to enter the property for the purposes of inspection for compliance with the approved application and any provision of the Village Code, whether or not any other permits have been applied for or issued for the project. I/we acknowledge that, by submitting this application, the approval of said application, including the commencement of any work related to the approved plan, is an express waiver of any objection to authorized Village official(s) entering the property for the purpose of conducting inspections.

6. That I/we understand that the Planning Board intends to rely on the foregoing representations in making a determination to issue the requested special permit approval.

Under penalty of perjury, I/we declare that I/we have examined this affidavit and that it is true and correct.

Owner

Owner

Sworn to before me on the 24

12 day of February

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Notary Publi

LARRY NELSON DETRICK JR Notary Public - State of New York No. 01DE0011103 Qualified in Dutchess County My Commission Expires 07/13/2027

Part 3

(To be completed if a special use permit is sought for any use other than an accessory dwelling unit. Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

1. Describe the proposed use.

Existing Two-Family dwelling - proposing an additional third dwelling (one-bedroom) in the exisitng basement.

2. Will the proposed use utilize the entire site or only a portion thereof? Describe.

Proposed use will only use a portion of the site.

- (6) parking spaces required.
 - 3. Are any new structures proposed to be constructed? If yes, describe.

No new structures.

- 4. How many vehicle trips per day is the proposed use anticipated to generate? 4 +/-
- 5. How will the proposed use affect the development of the district in which it is located?

The proposed use will no significant affect to the VR district.

- 6. Were any variances or special use permits previously granted for this property? If yes, please describe. None known.
- 7. Describe how the proposed use is compatible with the principles of the zoning district in which it is located, the purposes set forth in this chapter, and the goals of the Comprehensive Plan of the Village of Wappingers Falls.

The proposed use is for one additional dwelling unit which is compatibel and consistent

with the VR zoning district as a whole. Many of the buildings in the surrounding area
consist of mutil-dwelling unit buildings & is consistant with the 2023 cmprhnsv. plan.
Describe how the proposed use is compatible with the adjoining properties and with the natural and man-made environment.
The proposed use is compatible with the adjoining properties as it does
not involve any expansion to the existing building. The proposal involves imprvmnts.
to the site consisting of a new landscape buffer adjacent to the existing parking
area as well as a reductions in impervious surafces related to max lot coverage.
9. Describe how the height of buildings, walls, fences and the nature and extent of landscaping on the site are such that the proposed use will not hinder or discourage the appropriate development and use of adjacent land and buildings. There is no change the height of the existing building. The proposed application
application involves, a landscape buffer on the rt. side and rear of the property
adjacent to the existing parking area. Application also proposes a reduction in
impervious surfaces and to more in compliance with maximum lot coverage -VR zone.
10. Describe how the height of buildings, walls, fences and the nature and extent of landscaping on the site are such that the proposed use will not hinder or discourage the appropriate development and use of adjacent land and buildings (same as above)

properly located and suitably screened from adjoining residential uses, and how

11. Describe how parking areas will be of adequate size for the proposed use,

appropriate vehicular circulation and infrastructure for the proposed use, including accessibility to fire, police, and emergency vehicles and sufficient water supply and appurtenances, will be provided.

The village of Wappinngers falls most recent parking regs. requires (2)

parking spaces per dwlling unit. The site as it exists provides (6) parking spaces as well as a proposed landscape buffer. There is no proposed changes to accessibilty for above mentioned, existing water & sewer we believe is adequate

12. Will the proposed use generate any noise, fumes, vibration or other characteristics greater than would be the operations of any allowed use not requiring a special permit?

The special use permit will not generate any noise, fumes vibration or other characteristics than

the current use or any other use in very close proximity to the parcels.

13. What will be the overall impact of the proposed use on the site and its surroundings, considering environmental, social and economic impacts of traffic, noise, dust, odors, release of harmful substances, solid waste disposal, glare, or any other nuisances?

There is no significant negative impact on the site and its surroundaing area on any of the items listed in number 13 of the SUP application. The proposal in fact is an improvement to the site with new landscaping and addition with pervious areas.

14. Is the location of the proposed use consistent with the goal of creating a healthy mix of uses that enhances the viability of the Village?

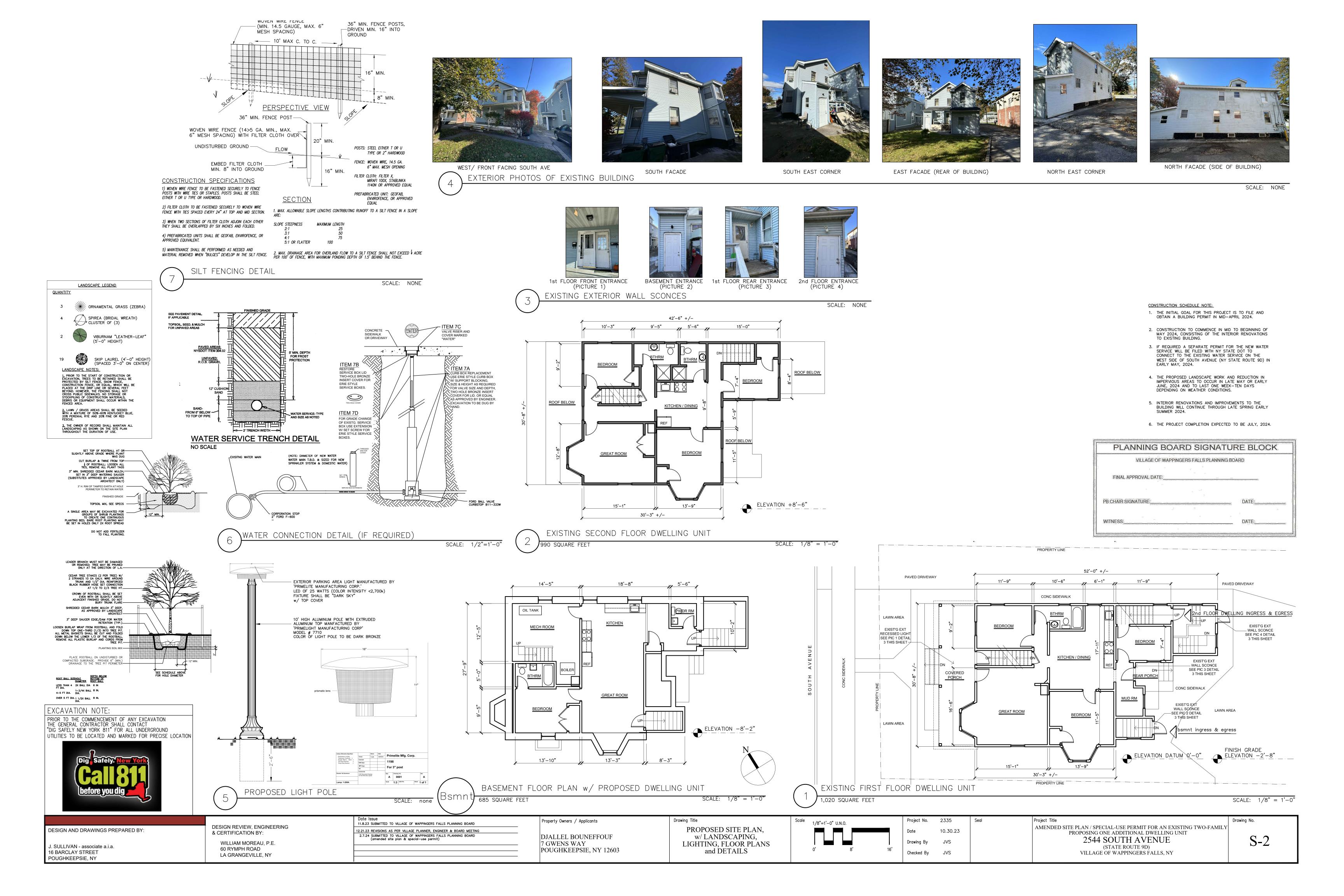
The proposed use is consistent with the surrounding area in the VR zone and similar to the adjacent building to the north side of parcel on south avenue.

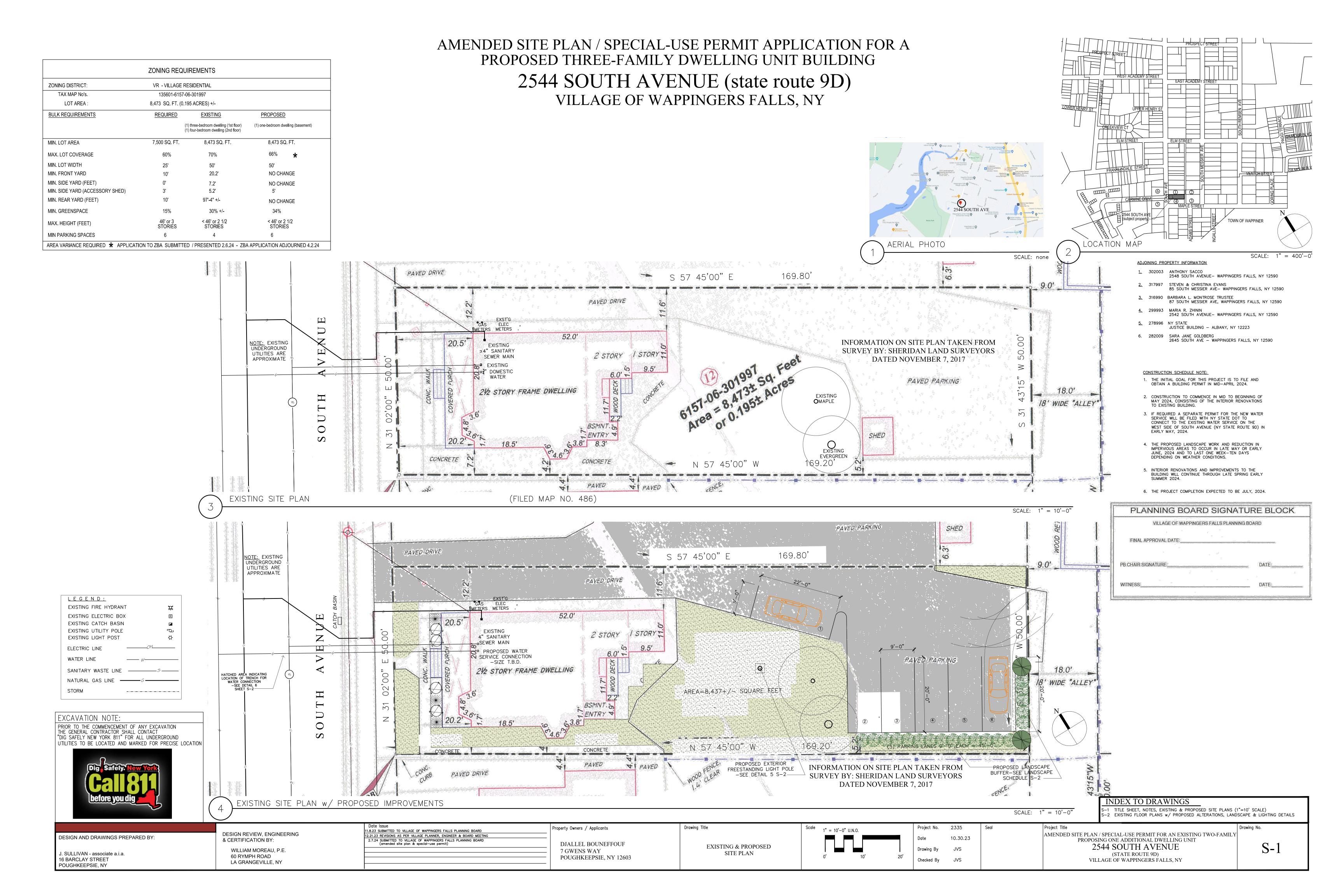
15.Is the property located in the historic district or adjacent to a historic structure? If yes, describe the compatibility of the proposed use with the historic character and use of the structure or structures and the historic character of the site and in the surrounding area.

No, the property is not located in the historic district nor is the property adjacent to a historic building			
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Supporting Documentation for a Special Use Permit other than for an Accessory Dwelling

- 1. A plot plan to convenient scale showing lot lines, the dimension(s) of all existing structures, and the locations and dimensions of any proposed structures.
- 2. If the proposed special use is in conjunction with the development of a lot, a formal site plan must be submitted that complies with the site plan requirements found in the Village Code. The site plan must be signed by a licensed professional engineer and shall show all required information, unless otherwise specified by the Planning Board.
- 3. An EAF short form (or long form if deemed necessary).
- 4. For any special use permit application that constitutes a land development activity, attach a storm water pollution prevention plan.
- 5. A copy of the deed for the property showing the current ownership, and copies of any easements for the property.
- 6. The owner's affidavit.
- 7. Photographs of the existing structure(s) are helpful but not required.





J. ROBERT FOLCHETTI & ASSOCIATES. LLC

CIVIL/ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERS

April 2, 2024

Village of Wappingers Falls Planning Board Mr. Tom Morris, Chairman 2582 South Avenue Wappingers Falls, New York 12590

Re:

2544 South Avenue, <u>3rd Review</u> Tax ID#: 6157-06-301997 JRFA Job #06120229

Dear Chairman Morris and Members of the Board:

Our office has received and reviewed the following documents submitted for the above referenced project, prepared by J Sullivan, Associate A.I.A:

- "Title Sheet, Notes, Existing and Proposed Site Plans", Sheet S-1, revised March 14, 2024.
- "Existing Floor Plans w/Proposed Alterations, Landscape & Lighting Details", Sheet S-2, revised March 14, 2024.
- Transmittal/Memorandum dated March 14, 2024.

Project Description

The subject property is a 0.195-acre parcel in Village Residential (VR) district. It is located on South Avenue, north of the intersection with Maple Street. The applicant is seeking site plan approval for an addition to the existing two-family dwelling. The proposed work would involve the conversion of an existing two-family dwelling to a three-family multi-residential building by converting the basement to an additional dwelling. Existing parking would be marked out and increased to six parking spaces.

Required Approvals

- Site Plan Approval from the Planning Board
- A Zoning Board of Appeals variance may be required for lot coverage.
- Village of Wappingers Falls Water Board approval for the additional dwelling unit.
- Village of Wappingers Falls Village Board sewer use approval for the additional dwelling unit.

Based on our review of the submitted documents, we offer the following comments, which may warrant discussion with the applicant and/or action by the Board:

Engineer Review

1. Applicant states a fire sprinkler system no longer required as project reduced to three dwelling units, each with separate entrances.

31 Sodom Road Brewster, New York 10509 Tel. 845-363-1560 Fax 845-582-0485 WWW.irfa.com Village of Wappingers Falls 2544 South Avenue, 3rd Review Tax ID#: 6157-06-301997 April 2, 2024 Page 2

2. A light pole cut sheet was provided on the plan that is Dark Sky compliant. What lighting fixtures are being used on the building entry ways? (Cut sheets were not attached to the memo).

This information is based on my review of the documents submitted. Additional review comments may be provided throughout the process as the application is evaluated. Written responses to these comments MUST BE PROVIDED with any future submittals.

Should you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact our office.

Sincerely,

Todd W. Atkinson, P.E. Village Engineer

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cc: Planning Board Clerk (via email)
Lisa M. Cobb, Esq. (via email)
Michelle Greig (via email)
Brian Murphy (via email)
Applicant
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