

TOWN OF SWAMPSCOTT

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

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ELIHU THOMSON ADMINISTRATION BUILDING 22 MONUMENT AVENUE, SWAMPSCOTT, MA 01907

GRACIE LANE SUBCOMMITTEE NOVEMBER 18, 2016 MEETING MINUTES

Time:11:00a-12:05pLocation:Gracie Lane subdivision Lot 1 (#2 & 4), Lot 2 (#6 & 8), Lot 3 (#10 & 12)Members Present:Angela Ippolito, Pete KaneMembers Absent:JR Young (alternate)Others Present:Bruce Paradise

Meeting opened at 11:00a with two members of the subcommittee present.

The committee walked through each of the units within the subdivision. The three buildings in the subdivision are duplex style.

Lot 1 included units #2 and #4. The units had mirror images floor plans with the living space on the first floor, three bedrooms on second floor, and finished walk-out basements. Each unit is about 1,800 sf. The units were complete and of a great quality. This building was a different design from the buildings on Lots 2 and 3.

Lot 2 included units #6 and #8. The floor plans were mirror images of each other with large living space on first floor including a back deck from the floor, three bedrooms and two bathrooms on the second floor, and a large bonus room on the third (half) floor. These basements were unfinished walkouts. Each unit also had a two-car garage attached, but access doesn't currently existing within the units (must walk from garage outside to the front door). Unit #8 was staged as a model unit for viewings.

Lot 3 included units #10 and #12. These units also shared the same floor plans as units #6 and #8. The differences were that the basements in these two units are both accessed via bulkheads (and internal stairway) and the ceiling height in unit #10's basement is 10 feet rather than typical 8 feet. Only unit #10 in this building had a two-car garage (also without an internal connection to the dwelling unit).

All six units will be part of a homeowners association which will have the responsibility of landscape care. The street is a "private" road. The developer has the option to request, via a Town Meeting warrant article, the Town to accept it as a public street if Town Meeting agrees. The Planning Board will review the request for a Certificate of Completion at the Dec 12 meeting.

MOTION : by A. Ippolito to approve the Certificate of Performance for Lots 1, 2, 3, seconded by P. Kane, unanimous.

Meeting closed at 12:05p.