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TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

Selectboard Regular Meeting
via Zoom, Order of Agenda for Monday, June 27, 2022, at 6:00 PM

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

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Webinar ID: 84727797185

Dial-in, audio-only: (929) 205 6099

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's February 12, 2022 Revised Order extending remote participation by all members in any meeting of a public body, this meeting of the Great Barrington Selectboard will be conducted via remote participation to the greatest extent possible. Specific information and the general guidelines for remote participation by members of the public and/or parties with a right and/or requirement to attend this meeting can be found on town's website, at www.townofgb.org. For this meeting, members of the public who wish to listen to the meeting may do so in the following manner: See instructions at the top of the agenda. No in-person attendance of members of the public will be permitted, but every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time, via technological means.

*****ALL VOTES ARE ROLL CALL*****

1. CALL TO ORDER SELECTBOARD REGULAR MEETING
 - a. Roll Call
2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. May 23, 2022
 - b. June 13, 2022
3. SELECTBOARD'S ANNOUNCEMENTS/STATEMENTS
4. TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT
 - a. Housatonic Water Works
5. LICENSES AND PERMITS
 - a. Dana Audia for one Weekday Entertainment License at 389 Main Street Great Barrington for the Berkshire Botanical Garden Gala on July 2, 2022, from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM.
 - b. Dana Audia for one All Alcoholic License at 389 Main Street Great Barrington for the Berkshire Botanical Garden Gala on July 2, 2022, from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM.
 - c. Deborah Mars & William Ryan for permission to install a driveway at 116 Brush Hill Road
 - d. Emily Ivey-Williams of Stylin' Franks for an amended Common Victualler in the alley at 289/291 Main Street
6. PUBLIC HEARINGS
 - a. Jean-Francois Bizational Manager for Bizational's Fine Food, 684 Main Street Great Barrington for an Annual Off Premises Package Store Wine and Malt Liquor License

- b. Christine Bump, Manager for Black Sheep Brewing Company d/b/a/ Big Elm Brewing, 389 Stockbridge Road Great Barrington for an Annual On Premises Malt Farmer Series Liquor License.
- c. Jeremy Davis Manager for Beony GB LLC d/b/a East Rock Inn, 304 State Road Great Barrington for an Annual On Premises Hotel Wine and Malt Liquor License

7. PREVIOUS BUSINESS

- a. Main Street Pedestrian/Crosswalk Safety, next steps (continued from April 11)

8. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Vote to appoint Julie Anidjar to the Tree Committee
- b. Housatonic Valley Association, Alison Dixon, presentation/discussion of the Great Barrington Road/Stream Crossing Management Plan
- c. Selectboard Liaison List- Review Assignments
- d. Selectboard/Town Mission Statement
- e. Open Meeting Law Complaint and draft response

9. CITIZEN SPEAK TIME

Citizen Speak Time is an opportunity for the Selectboard to listen to residents. Topics of particular concern or importance may be placed on a future agenda for discussion. This time is reserved for town residents only unless otherwise permitted by the chair, and speakers are limited to 3 minutes each.

10. SELECTBOARD'S TIME

11. MEDIA TIME

12. ADJOURNMENT

NEXT SELECTBOARD MEETING

July 11, 2022

July 25, 2022

August 8, 2022

August 22, 2022



Mark Pruhenski, Town Manager

Pursuant to MGL. 7c. 30A sec. 20 (f), after notifying the chair of the public body, any person may make a video or audio recording of an open session of a meeting of a public body, or may transmit the meeting through any medium. At the beginning of the meeting, the chair shall inform other attendees of any such recordings. Any member of the public wishing to speak at the meeting must receive permission of the chair. The listings of agenda items are those reasonably anticipated by the chair, which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.



TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON
Temporary Weekday Entertainment License Application
\$25.00 per day

The undersigned hereby applies for a license in accordance with the provisions of MA General Laws, Ch.140 Sec.183A amended, Ch.351, Sec.85 of Acts of 1981 and Ch.140 Sec.181.

Name: Dana Audia
Business/Organization: Berkshire Botanical Garden
D/B/A (if applicable): _____
Address: 5 West Stockbridge Rd. Stockbridge, MA
Mailing Address: PO Box 826
Phone Number: 413.944.8504
Email: daudia@berkshirebotanical.org
 background music for summer gala

TYPE: (Check all that apply) Concert Dance Exhibition Cabaret DJ

Live band with up to 4 pieces, ~~including singers~~ Public Show
 Other (please explain) _____

INCLUDES: Live music Recorded music Dancing by entertainers/ performers

Dancing by patrons Amplification system Theatrical exhibition

Floorshow Play Moving picture show Light show Jukebox

Other (please explain) _____

As part of the entertainment, will any person be permitted to appear on the premises in any manner or attire as to expose to public view any portion of the pubic area, anus, or genitals, or any simulation thereof, or whether any person will be permitted to appear on the premises in any manner or attire as to expose to public view a portion of the breast below the top of the areola, or any simulation thereof? (M.G.L.Chp.140 Sec.183A)

___ YES

NO

Please circle: **INDOOR** or **OUTDOOR** Entertainment

Exact Location of Entertainment (include sketch): under tent on patio

Date(s) of Entertainment*: Sat. July 2, 2022
***Does not include SUNDAY**

Start & End Times of Entertainment: 5-8 pm

Does your event involve any of the following? (Check all that apply)

- Food Temporary Bathrooms Tents Stages Temporary Signs
 Electrical Permits Building Permits Police Traffic Details Street Closures

ALL entertainment licenses will be reviewed by the Design Review Team (DRT), which is comprised of several Town departments, for comments/concerns on this application.

Pursuant to M.G.L. Ch. 62C, Sec. 49A, I certify under the penalties of perjury that I, to my best knowledge and belief, have filed all state tax returns and paid all state taxes required under law.

Dana Audia
Signature of Individual or
Corporate Officer

6/17/22
Date

465-17-5070
SS# or FID#

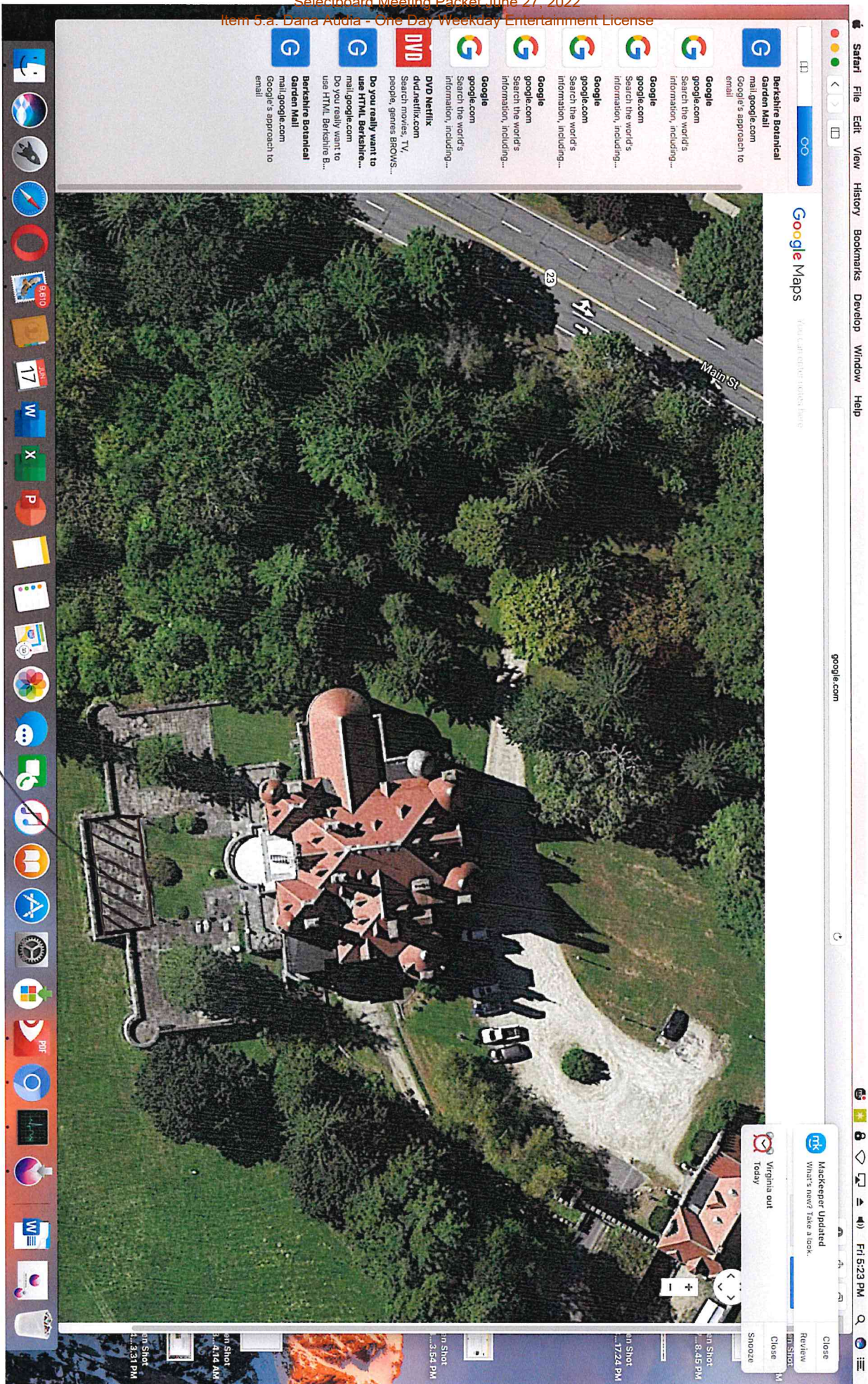
TOWN USE ONLY:

DRT Review with Conditions: _____

APPROVAL DATE: _____

LICENSE # _____

30x40 Tent, with tables, a bar & musicians underneath.



Fee: \$25.00 (per day)



Pd/jc 4/84

RECEIVED
TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON

JUN 01 2022

APPLICATION FOR ONE DAY LIQUOR LICENSE

SELECTBOARD &
TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

TO THE LICENSING AUTHORITY:

The undersigned hereby applies for a License in accordance with the provisions relating thereto:

Applicant's Name: Dana Audia

Organization Name: Berkshire Botanical Garden

Applicant's Address: 5 West Stockbridge Rd

Telephone Number: 413. 944 8504 Stockbridge, MA 01216

Type of License: ONE DAY BEER & WINE ONE DAY ALL ALCOHOLIC
(Circle one)

Event: Annual Gala

Date: July 2, 2022 Start Time: 5 pm End Time: 8 pm

Event Address: Searles Castle, 389 Main St. GB

Is the Event on Town property? YES NO

PLEASE ATTACH THE FOLLOWING TO YOUR APPLICATION:

1. TIPS or ServSafe Alcohol certification for anyone serving alcohol.
2. Certificate of Insurance showing proof of Liquor Liability coverage.
(If the event is on Town property, the certificate must name the Town of Great Barrington as additional insured.)
3. If the event is not on applicant's property, a letter of permission from the owner is required.

Liability: The below individual agrees to take responsibility for the above-noted event and further agrees to indemnify, save harmless, and defend the Town of Great Barrington, its officers, employees and agents, from and against any and all liabilities, claims, penalties, forfeitures, suits, and the costs and expenses incident thereto, which may occur in connection with this event.

Dana Audia
Signature of Applicant

5/25/22
Date

FOR TOWN USE:

Approved _____

Denied _____

Postponed _____

Pd 5/16/22
Fee \$50.00
CK# 5378 WAK
Number _____

Selectboard

Application for Access to a Public Way / Driveway Permit

INSTRUCTIONS

RETURN FIVE (5) COPIES OF THIS FORM AND ALL ACCOMPANYING PLANS, ALONG WITH THE \$50.00 FEE to the Department of Public Works office in Town Hall, 2nd Floor, 334 Main Street, Great Barrington, MA 01230. Plans must show the location of the driveway on the property and must also indicate all details needed in order to determine that driveway regulations are met, including paving material, width, grade, drainage, culverts, angle to street, etc. See Chapter 153 of the Town Code for driveway regulations.

Application Date 05/09/2022

Name of Applicant / Property Owner Deborah C. Mars & William Ryan - c/o (413-528-3291) Kelly, Granger, Parsons & Associates

Mailing address P.O. Box 88 Great Barrington Ma, 01230

Phone number 413-528-1764 413-528-3291 (Kelly Granger & Parsons)

Location of proposed driveway / highway entrance 116 Brush Hill Road

Contractor who will perform the work M & M Excavating

Address & phone number of contractor 179 Root Lane Sheffield Ma, 01257 (860)-671-0518

Proposed construction date June 1

Type of driveway (gravel, asphalt, etc.) Gravel

Print Form

Submit five (5) copies of completed form and plans.

Applicant hereby agrees to notify the Great Barrington DPW Superintendent of the date and time of driveway construction at least 24 hours before construction is begun. Applicant further agrees to conform to all requirements of the Town of Great Barrington regulations governing access to public ways and to all conditions that may be placed on this permit. See Chapter 153 of the Town Code for regulations and design requirements.

Applicant's Signature: [Signature] (Agent)

FOR STAFF USE ONLY

RECOMMENDATION OF DPW / HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT

After consultation with review staff, and after full consideration of the application and the applicable requirements, I recommend that this application be: () approved as submitted
() approved with conditions attached
() disapproved for reasons attached
() resubmitted with changes suggested per attached

Staff Reviews Received:

	Received	Conditions Recommended	Other Permits Required
Conservation:	()	()	()
Fire Chief:	()	()	()
Planning:	()	()	()

PERMIT FOR ACCESS TO A PUBLIC WAY / DRIVEWAY

Pursuant to its vote of _____ in favor and _____ opposed, at its meeting on _____, the Great Barrington Selectboard granted permission to construct or alter this access to a public way at the address and in the location indicated in this application, in accordance with the plans accompanying this application, and subject to any conditions attached.

For the Selectboard: _____, its _____
(signature) (title) (date)

John Malumphy
Highway-Facilities Superintendent

E-mail: jmalumphy@townofgb.org
www.townofgb.org



20 East Street
Great Barrington, MA 01230

Telephone: (413) 528-2500
Fax: (413) 528-2290

TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON MASSACHUSETTS

Department of Public Works
Highway Division

Conditions on Application for Access to Public Way

Applicant Deborah c. Mars & William Ryan –C/O Kelly Granger, Parsons & Associates
Location: 116 Brush Hill Road
From: John Malumphy Highway Superintendent/Sean VanDeusen, Public Works Director
Date: June 15th 2022

1. The applicant shall construct the proposed access to conform to the following applicable criteria listed under **Section 153-14, Design requirements** of the Town of Great Barrington Code:
 - B. Driveway location as shown on the attached plan is acceptable, with regards to alignments with the way, profile, sight distance conditions and not located at the extreme edge of the property.
 - C. No more than two (2) driveways shall normally be allowed for any property, unless there is a clear necessity for more.
 - D. Driveways shall not normally be approved at intersections, because of potential safety hazards.
 - E. Culverts taking the place of roadside ditches shall have a diameter of not less than 15" (*A culvert is not required at this location*)
 - F. Entrance elevation at the point of entry into the public right-of-way shall be no more than the elevation of the shoulder of the road.
 - G. Driveways should be so constructed that water from the driveway shall not drain onto the crown of the road.
 - H. In no instance shall the edge of the driveway entering onto the road conflict with the flow of surface water runoff.

- I. Driveway width. Any curb at the entrance shall be rounded off with a radius of three (3) feet.
 - J. Pitch of driveway shall be downward from the edge of the road to sideline of the town right-of-way or front property line.
 - K. Driveways should be located to the best advantage with respect to the alignment with the way, profile and sight distance conditions. In no instance shall a driveway intersect the way at less than a sixty degree angle. Unless there is no alternative, a driveway should not be located within a required side yard.
 - L. No permit shall be issued for any driveway to a structure or proposed structure on a grade in excess of ten percent (10%) above the road or street level until and unless the applicant submits plans to the Highway Superintendent showing that the driveway will be constructed in a such a way so as not to discharge water, stones or other materials onto any public street, road or highway.
2. Install a paved driveway apron in accordance with the following requirements:
- A. Apron dimensions: Width = 22-feet maximum along the roadway which includes a 3-foot radius curb on each side. Length = 5-feet minimum from edge of roadway.
 - B. Place 3-inches of bituminous concrete on 12-inches of compacted gravel.
 - C. Place asphalt tack coat along the edge of the road where the apron meets the edge of the existing pavement.

The applicant agrees to notify the Highway Superintendent (528-2500) at least 48 hours prior to the installation of the paved apron.

3. Should there be, after completion of the driveway, discharges of water, stones, or silt onto the public way or onto property of any abutters or neighbors, the property owner shall take whatever steps are necessary to eliminate such discharges.
4. The applicant shall maintain the proposed access to conform to the following applicable condition listed under **Section 153-17, Continuing responsibility of owners**, of the Town of Great Barrington Code:

Abutting property owners shall be responsible for keeping culverts under their driveways cleared and for maintaining driveways in condition conforming to the requirements of the permit.

Note

There are 2 Driveways on this property this will make it 3.





Lisa Richards

From: Great Barrington Conservation Commission
Sent: Friday, May 20, 2022 4:05 PM
To: Lisa Richards
Subject: RE: 116 Brush Hill Road - Resubmission

Looks good to me. No Conservation issues.
-Shep Evans



Shepley W. Evans

Conservation Agent
Animal Control Officer
Animal Inspector
413-528-1619 ex 122
conservation@townofgb.org

Town of Great Barrington
334 Main Street
Great Barrington MA 01230



The Secretary of State's office has determined that most e-mails to and from municipal offices and officials are public records. Consequently, confidentiality should not be expected.

From: Lisa Richards <LRichards@Townofgb.org>
Sent: Thursday, May 19, 2022 8:49 AM
To: Great Barrington Conservation Commission <conservation@townofgb.org>; Chris Rembold <crembold@Townofgb.org>; Paula Ely <PEly@Townofgb.org>; Charles Burger <cburger@Townofgb.org>; John Malumphy <JMalumphy@Townofgb.org>
Subject: 116 Brush Hill Road - Resubmission

Good morning,

There were questions with this Permit. I contacted the contractor and they revised their drawing.

I hope this helps.
Lisa

Lisa Richards

From: Chris Rembold
Sent: Thursday, May 19, 2022 9:35 AM
To: Lisa Richards; Great Barrington Conservation Commission; Paula Ely; Charles Burger; John Malumphy
Subject: RE: 116 Brush Hill Road - Resubmission

There are already two curb cuts / driveways at that property, and more than two are not permitted. They should remove one before adding a third.

Other than that, I see no issues.

Thank you,
Chris



Christopher Rembold, AICP

Assistant Town Manager /
Director of Planning and
Community Development
413-528-1619, x. 2401
crembold@townofgb.org

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Great Barrington MA 01230

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Lisa Richards

From: Charles Burger
Sent: Thursday, May 19, 2022 10:08 AM
To: Lisa Richards; Great Barrington Conservation Commission; Chris Rembold; Paula Ely; John Malumphy
Subject: RE: 116 Brush Hill Road - Resubmission

Thank you! No FD issues since it looks like the dwelling is less than 150' off the road.



Charles Burger

Fire Chief

413-528-0788 ex 4
cburger@townofgb.org

Town of Great Barrington
Fire Department
37 State Road
Great Barrington MA 01230



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Lisa



Lisa A. Richards

DPW Administrative Assistant

413-528-0867
lrichards@townofgb.org

Town of Great Barrington
334 Main Street
Great Barrington MA 01230



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Lisa Richards

From: Paula Ely
Sent: Monday, May 16, 2022 12:09 PM
To: Lisa Richards; Great Barrington Conservation Commission; Chris Rembold; Charles Burger; John Malumphy
Subject: RE: 116 BRUSH HILL ROAD, GREAT BARRINGTON

Hi Lisa,
We do not have sewer at that part of Brush Hill Rd.

Paula



Paula Ely

Wastewater Superintendent
413-528-0650
pely@townofgb.org

Town of Great Barrington

Wastewater Treatment Facility
100 Bentley Road
Great Barrington MA 01230

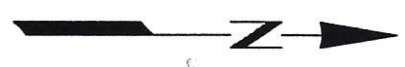
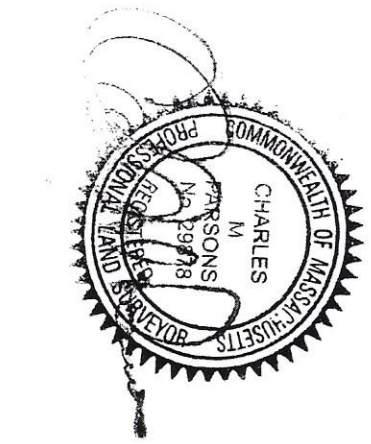
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Sent: Monday, May 16, 2022 11:47 AM
To: Great Barrington Conservation Commission <conservation@townofgb.org>; Chris Rembold <crembold@Townofgb.org>; Paula Ely <PEly@Townofgb.org>; Charles Burger <cburger@Townofgb.org>; John Malumphy <JMalumphy@Townofgb.org>
Subject: 116 BRUSH HILL ROAD, GREAT BARRINGTON

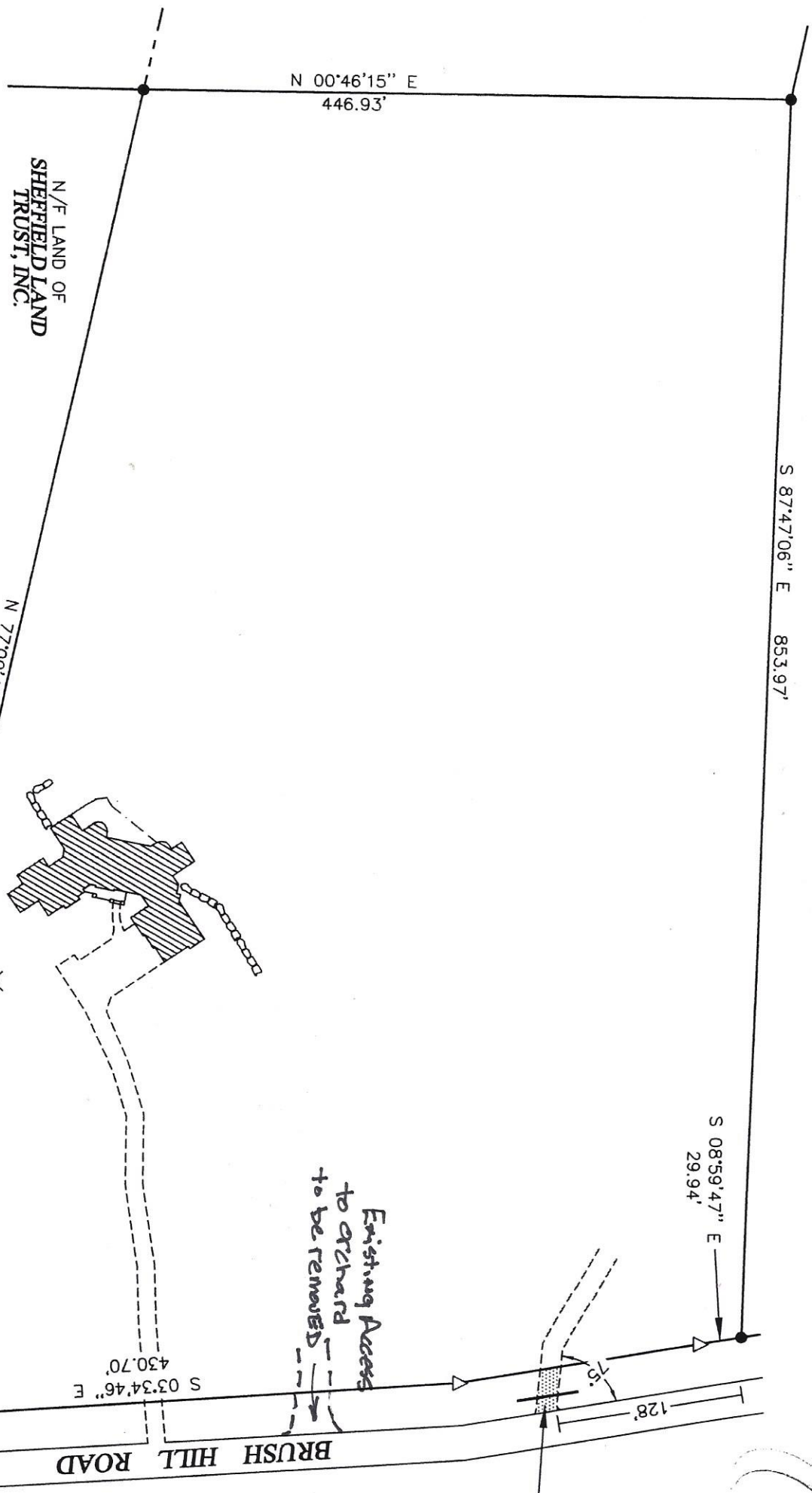
Attached please find information on an Application for Access to a Public Way/Driveway Permit.
Thank you,
Lisa

THIS PARCEL IS SUBJECT TO AND WITH THE BENEFIT OF ALL RIGHTS, RESTRICTIONS, CONDITIONS, EASEMENTS, LEASES, ENCUMBRANCES AND APPURTENANCES OF RECORD.
 RECORD OWNER: DEBORAH C. MARS, TRUSTEE OF THE DEBORAH C. MARS TRUST
 LOCUS DEED: BK - 2021 PG - 305
 (LOT #1 ON PLAN IN PLAT FILE M - 94)
 PROPERTY ADDRESS: 116 BRUSH HILL ROAD

N/F LAND OF
LEFFELL



PROPOSED DRIVEWAY ENTRANCE
 AND 15" CULVERT
 (14' WIDTH WITH 3' RADIUS AT ROAD)
 DRIVEWAY IS TO BE CONSTRUCTED SO
 THAT WATER DOES NOT DRAIN ONTO THE
 CROWN OF THE ROAD.



N/F LAND OF
SHEFFIELD LAND TRUST, INC.

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SHEFFIELD LAND TRUST, INC.

DRIVEWAY PERMIT SITEPLAN PREPARED FOR
DEBORAH C. MARS & WILLIAM RYAN

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS
 MAY - 2022 SCALE 1" = 100'
KELLY, GRANGER, PARSONS & ASSOCIATES, INC.

- LEGEND**
- △ POINT COMPUTED
 - IRON PIPE/ROD FOUND
 - ⊙ PROPAANE TANK
 - ▭ STONE WALL



Scale 1" = 100'

PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS
 312 MAIN STREET P.O. BOX 88
 GREAT BARRINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS 01230
 PHONE (413) 528-3291
 FAX (413) 528-1912
 C:\Carlson Projects\GREAT BARRINGTON\BRUSH HILL ROAD\ROSENGREN\ROSEDRIVE522.dwg\MRD

GREAT BARRINGTON
 APPROXIMATE TOWN LINE
SHEFFIELD

334 Main Street
Great Barrington, MA 01230

Tel: (413) 528-1619 x2
Fax: (413) 528-2290

TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON
AMENDED
APPLICATION FOR COMMON VICTUALLER LICENSE

FEE: \$25.00 (Payable to the Town of Great Barrington) **DATE:** 6.23.22

NOTICE:

As provided by MGL Chapter 140, the sale of food for immediate consumption on the premises of the vendor has an intimate relation to the public health, and such activity cannot be conducted without the proper license and permit.

TO THE LICENSING AUTHORITY:

The undersigned hereby applies for a Common Victualler License in accordance with the provisions relating thereto:

APPLICANT(S)/OWNER(S) NAME: Emily Williams

NAME OF BUSINESS: _____

D/B/A (if applicable): _____ Stylin franks

BUSINESS MAILING ADDRESS: 289 Main Street

BUSINESS TELEPHONE: _____ HOME TELEPHONE: _____

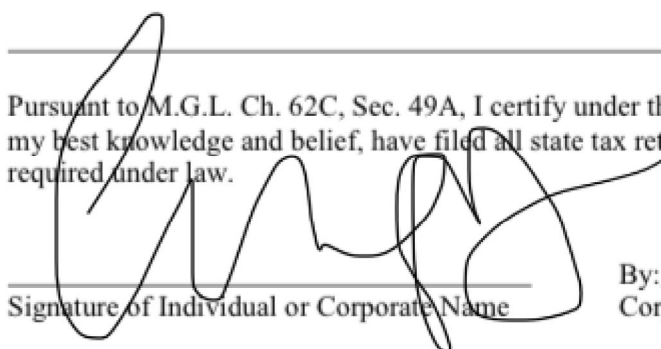
LOCATION WHERE LICENSE IS TO BE USED: _____

DAYS/HOURS OF OPERATION: 11-5 not wed/sun

DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES: _____

DESCRIPTION OF FOOD TO ~~BE~~ SERVED: _____

Pursuant to M.G.L. Ch. 62C, Sec. 49A, I certify under the penalties of perjury that I, to my best knowledge and belief, have filed all state tax returns and paid all state taxes required under law.



Signature of Individual or Corporate Name

By: _____
Corporate Officer (if applicable)

SS# _____ or FID# _____

From: [Amy Pulver](#)
To: "NENI Notices"
Subject: Legal Add: 684 Main Street Great Barrington
Date: Tuesday, June 14, 2022 5:38:00 PM

**TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Selectboard will hold a public hearing on Monday, June 27, 2022 at 6:00 PM via Zoom to act on the application of Bizationalions' Fine Food, Jean-Francois Bizationalion Manager for a new Annual Off Premises Package Store Wine and Malt Liquor License at 684 Main Street, Great Barrington, MA 01230.

Stephen Bannon
Chair

PLEASE PUBLISH June 16, 2022



Amy Pulver

Office Administrator
IT Coordinator
413-528-1619 ex 2900
apulver@townofgb.org

Town of Great Barrington
334 Main Street
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**RETAIL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSE APPLICATION
MONETARY TRANSMITTAL FORM**

APPLICATION FOR A NEW LICENSE

APPLICATION SHOULD BE COMPLETED ON-LINE, PRINTED, SIGNED, AND SUBMITTED TO THE LOCAL LICENSING AUTHORITY.

ECRT CODE: RETA

Please make \$200.00 payment here: [ABCC PAYMENT WEBSITE](#)

PAYMENT MUST DENOTE THE NAME OF THE LICENSEE CORPORATION, LLC, PARTNERSHIP, OR INDIVIDUAL AND INCLUDE THE PAYMENT RECEIPT

ABCC LICENSE NUMBER (IF AN EXISTING LICENSEE, CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE CITY)

ENTITY/ LICENSEE NAME

ADDRESS

CITY/TOWN

STATE

ZIP CODE

For the following transactions (Check all that apply):

- | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New License | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Location | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Class (i.e. Annual / Seasonal) | <input type="checkbox"/> Change Corporate Structure (i.e. Corp / LLC) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer of License | <input type="checkbox"/> Alteration of Licensed Premises | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of License Type (i.e. club / restaurant) | <input type="checkbox"/> Pledge of Collateral (i.e. License/Stock) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Manager | <input type="checkbox"/> Change Corporate Name | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Category (i.e. All Alcohol/Wine, Malt) | <input type="checkbox"/> Management/Operating Agreement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Officers/
Directors/LLC Managers | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Ownership Interest
(LLC Members/ LLP Partners,
Trustees) | <input type="checkbox"/> Issuance/Transfer of Stock/New Stockholder | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Hours |
| | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="text" value="switch from pouring to package"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of DBA |

THE LOCAL LICENSING AUTHORITY MUST SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION ONCE APPROVED VIA THE ePLACE PORTAL:

Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission
95 Fourth Street, Suite 3
Chelsea, MA 02150-2358



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission
95 Fourth Street, Suite 3, Chelsea, MA 02150-2358
www.mass.gov/abcc

APPLICATION FOR A NEW LICENSE

Municipality

1. LICENSE CLASSIFICATION INFORMATION

ON/OFF-PREMISES	TYPE	CATEGORY	CLASS
Off-Premises-15	\$15 Package Store	Wines	Annual

Please provide a narrative overview of the transaction(s) being applied for. On-premises applicants should also provide a description of the intended theme or concept of the business operation. Attach additional pages, if necessary.

Due to Covid we were allowed to sell wine by the bottle along with Take Out Food which we prepare on site. We would like to continue selling wine by the bottle in our store where we also sell specialty food items like fresh pasta, local meat, cheese, olives and therefore relinquish our existing pouring licence.

Is this license application pursuant to special legislation?

Yes

No

Chapter

Acts of

2. BUSINESS ENTITY INFORMATION

The entity that will be issued the license and have operational control of the premises.

Entity Name	Bizationalions Fine Food Ltd.	FEIN	35-2213597
DBA	<input type="text"/>	Manager of Record	Helen Bizationalion
Street Address	684 Main St., Gt. Barrington, MA 01230		
Phone	(413) 644-9988	Email	bizationalions@gmail.com
Alternative Phone	(413) 229-5023	Website	bizationalions.com

3. DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES

Please provide a complete description of the premises to be licensed, including the number of floors, number of rooms on each floor, any outdoor areas to be included in the licensed area, and total square footage. You must also submit a floor plan.

One room 783 st.ft store with a open kitchen where we prepare mostly lunch and desserts. One floor on the street level. The outdoor space is for food consumption.

Total Square Footage:	783	Number of Entrances:	1	Seating Capacity:	15
Number of Floors	1	Number of Exits:	1	Occupancy Number:	26

4. APPLICATION CONTACT

The application contact is the person whom the licensing authorities should contact regarding this application.

Name:	Jean-François Bizationalion	Phone:	(413) 854-7020
Title:	Owner	Email:	bizathen@gmail.com

From: [Amy Pulver](#)
To: "NENI Notices"
Cc: [Carmen Morales](#)
Subject: Legal add for town of GB
Date: Tuesday, June 14, 2022 12:02:00 PM

**TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON
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Stephen Bannon
Chair

PLEASE PUBLISH June 16, 2022



Amy Pulver

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Town of Great Barrington
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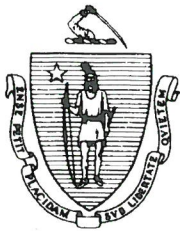
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- Other
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Municipality

1. LICENSE CLASSIFICATION INFORMATION

ON/OFF-PREMISES	TYPE	CATEGORY	CLASS
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Big Elm Brewing is applying for a new Farmers Series Pouring Permit for the location at 389 Stockbridge Road in Great Barrington, MA 01230.

Is this license application pursuant to special legislation? Yes No Chapter Acts of

2. BUSINESS ENTITY INFORMATION

The entity that will be issued the license and have operational control of the premises.

Entity Name FEIN

DBA Manager of Record

Street Address

Phone Email

Alternative Phone Website

3. DESCRIPTION OF PREMISES

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389 Stockbridge Road , Great Barrington, MA 01230 , Plot 8-3 on the accessors map, consists of a freestanding building in a commercial district. The building is an old farmhouse with two floors and a total of 1600 sq.ft. The main floor is approximately 1200 sq. ft. of space with two entrances and three exits. The second floor is approximately 400 sq. ft. and will be used for office space and storage. The public will not have access to the second floor. The building is ADA accessible with an ADA restroom. There is an open side porch on the southern

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Name: Phone:

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From: [Amy Pulver](#)
To: "NENI Notices"
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Date: Tuesday, June 14, 2022 4:36:00 PM

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GREAT BARRINGTON, MA

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Betony GB LLC (dba East Rock Inn) is applying for an on-premise license to serve wine and malt beverages. We are an 18 room, four season, high tech motel located in Great Barrington, MA and after extensive renovations, we will be opening July 31, 2022. We expect to have guests from across the northeast who come to the Berkshires for skiing, hiking, concerts and relaxation. We are planning to incorporate a lobby bar for our guests where we will be serving light food and drinks. An on-premise general manager will be directing day to day operations.

Is this license application pursuant to special legislation? Yes No Chapter Acts of

2. BUSINESS ENTITY INFORMATION

The entity that will be issued the license and have operational control of the premises.

Entity Name	Betony GB LLC	FEIN	86-1380016
DBA	East Rock Inn	Manager of Record	Jeremy Davis
Street Address	Betony GB LLC address: 825 West End Ave., Apt. 10G, NY, NY 10025		
Phone	646 373 6277	Email	jeremy@eastrockinn.com
Alternative Phone	917 284 8884	Website	www.eastrockinn.com

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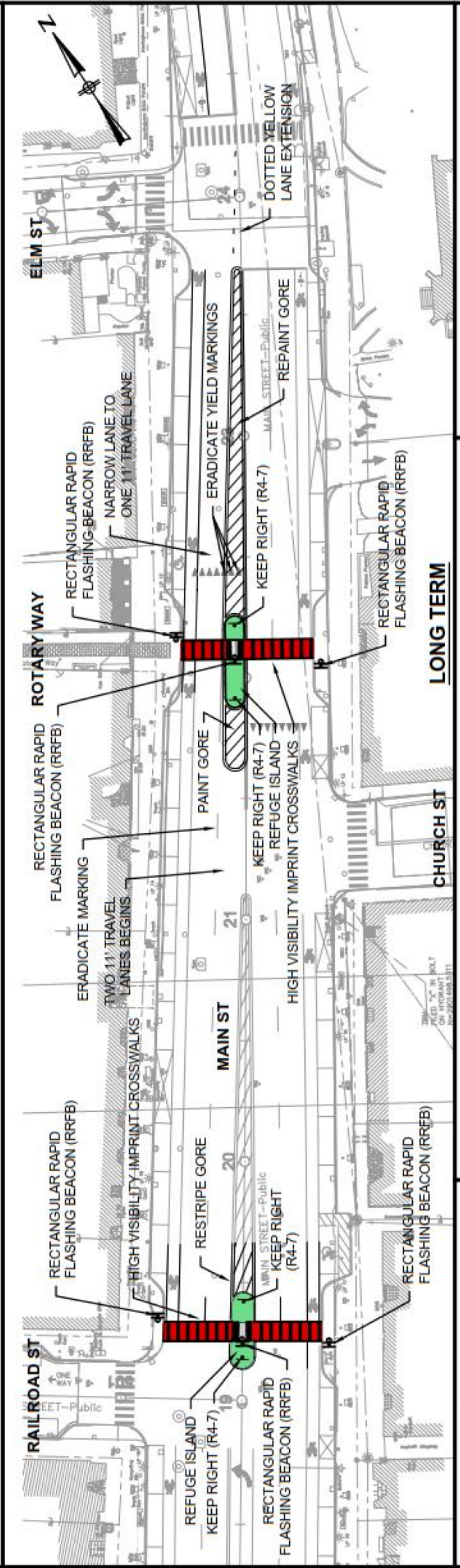
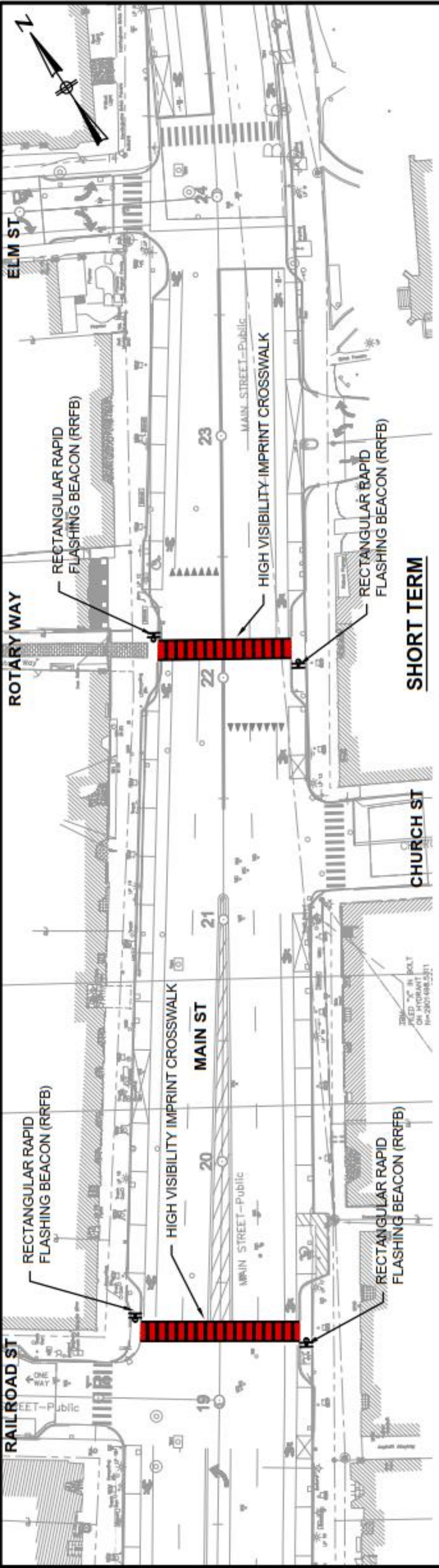
East Rock Inn is a one story motel with 18 guest rooms (one 2-bedroom, two 1-bedroom and 15 studio suites). It also includes a lobby/bar for guests. Continental breakfast is served. Wine and beer will be available for purchase. We will have a common patio area in front of the lobby, a seating/gathering area with fire pits and a back yard with fire pit available to all guests. Floor and landscape plans attached.

Total Square Footage:	7100 sq. ft.	Number of Entrances:	18	Seating Capacity:	25
Number of Floors	one	Number of Exits:	18	Occupancy Number:	max 64

4. APPLICATION CONTACT

The application contact is the person whom the licensing authorities should contact regarding this application.

Name:	Jeremy Davis	Phone:	646 373 6277
Title:	Managing Partner Betony GB LLC	Email:	jeremy@eastrockinn.com



On Tuesday, March 22, 2022, 12:05:52 PM EDT, Julie Anidjar wrote:

Dear Holly,

It was truly a pleasure speaking with you this morning and I do hope to continue the conversation. Below is my letter of interest and a copy of my resume.

All best and many thanks. Julie

Dear members of the Tree Committee,

It is my pleasure to submit a letter of interest for a position on the Tree Committee.

I have been a resident of Great Barrington for the past six years. In that time, I have become keenly aware of the issues facing the conservation of our tree community and am deeply interested in dedicating my time to not only maintaining our extant plant resources but in strengthening the current restoration programs under the aegis of the Committee. The environmental impact of the ever widening expanses of empty turf in our neighborhoods and larger roadways through the loss of giant shade trees is also of concern and a motivating factor for playing a proactive role on the committee. Though not a professional arborist, I am an avid gardener and tree enthusiast and always open to learning more about the species that inhabit not only my garden but the wider community.

Please accept this letter and the attached resume. I am happy to answer any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Julie Anidjar

Selectboard Liaison List - 2022

Board/Committee/Department	Selectboard Member(s)	Authority
Affordable Housing Trust Fund	Garfield Reed	SB Representative
Berkshire Regional Planning Commission	(Pedro and Malcolm)	
Berkshire Regional Transit Authority	(John Morrell)	
Broadband and Fiber in GB	Ed Abrahams	
Community Preservation Committee	Leigh Davis	SB Representative
Covid Task Force	Stephen Bannon & Ed Abrahams	
Cultural District Committee	Ed Abrahams	
Emergency Medical Services (EMS)	Stephen Bannon & Leigh Davis	
Housatonic Improvement Committee	Eric Gabriel	
Housatonic Water	Stephen Bannon & Leigh Davis	
Lake Mansfield Improvement Task Force	Leigh Davis	SB Representative
Marijuana	Ed Abrahams	
Open Space & Recreation Committee	Eric Gabriel	
Parking	Ed Abrahams	
Planning Board Subcommittee	Garfield Reed & Leigh Davis	

Previous Statement:

“The town of Great Barrington is committed to providing quality services to the entire community through good planning and cost effective measures.”

Revised Statement Option #1:

“Great Barrington strives to foster an inclusive, sustainable, and welcoming community with opportunity for all, through responsible governance.”

Revised Statement Option #2:

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Revised Statement Option #3:

“Great Barrington seeks to create a welcoming, inclusive, and responsible community through forward-thinking policies, practices, and services that take its past history into account.”

* ADD TO JUNE 27

AGENDA/CC DAVID

Memorandum

TO: ✓ Stephen Bannon, Chair, Great Barrington, MA Select Board
Town Clerk, Town of Great Barrington, Massachusetts

FROM: Anthony Segalla, Great Barrington resident
Daniel Seitz, Great Barrington resident

RE: Open Meeting Law Complaint

DATE: June 17, 2022

The attached Open Meeting Law Complaint Forms, signed by Anthony Segalla and Daniel Seitz, are being submitted on behalf of the signatories and also on behalf of the following residents of Great Barrington, MA:

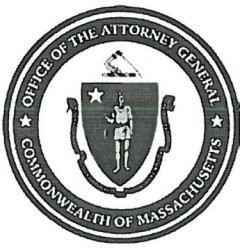
- Tracy Thornton - 2 Parley Street, Great Barrington, MA
- Michael Fernbacher - 2 Parley Street, Great Barrington, MA
- Ronald Blumenthal - 185 East Street, Great Barrington, MA
- Naomi Blumenthal - 185 East Street, Great Barrington, MA
- Larissa Yapple - 15 Castle Hill Ave., Apt. 1 Great Barrington, MA
- Krista Martins - 354 North Plan Road, Great Barrington, MA
- Claudia Laslie - 29 Benton Ave, Great Barrington, MA
- Sarah Dixon - 214 Pine Street, Housatonic, MA 01236.

Thank you for your consideration of this complaint. We look forward to receiving a response to the complaint from the GB Select Board.

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SELECTBOARD &
TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Office of the Attorney General
One Ashburton Place
Boston, Massachusetts 02108

OPEN MEETING LAW COMPLAINT FORM

Instructions for completing the Open Meeting Law Complaint Form

The Attorney General's Division of Open Government interprets and enforces the Open Meeting Law, Chapter 30A of the Massachusetts General Laws, Sections 18-25. Below is the procedure for filing and responding to an Open Meeting Law complaint.

Instructions for filing a complaint:

- o Fill out the attached two-page form completely. Sign and date the second page. File the complaint with the public body within 30 days of the alleged violation. If the violation was not reasonably discoverable at the time it occurred, you must file the complaint within 30 days of the date the violation was reasonably discoverable. A violation that occurs during an open session of a meeting is reasonably discoverable on the date of the meeting.
- o To file the complaint:
 - o For a local or municipal public body, you must submit a copy of the complaint to the chair of the public body AND to the municipal clerk.
 - o For all other public bodies, you must submit a copy of the complaint to the chair of the public body.
 - o Complaints may be filed by mail, by email, or by hand. Please retain a copy for your records.
- o If the public body does not respond within 14 business days and does not request an extension to respond, contact the Division for further assistance.

Instructions for a public body that receives a complaint:

- o The chair must disseminate the complaint to the members of the public body.
- o The public body must meet to review the complaint within 14 business days (usually 20-22 calendar days).
- o After review, but within 14 business days, the public body must respond to the complaint in writing and must send the complainant a response and a description of any action the public body has taken to address the allegations in the complaint. At the same time, the body must send the Attorney General a copy of the complaint and a copy of the response. The public body may delegate this responsibility to an individual member of the public body, its counsel, or a staff member, but only after the public body has met to review the complaint.
- o If a public body requires more time to review the complaint and respond, it may request an extension of time for good cause by contacting the Division of Open Government.

Once the public body has responded to the complaint:

- o If you are not satisfied with the public body's response to your complaint, you may file a copy of the complaint with the Division by mail, by email, or by hand, but only once you have waited for 30 days after filing the complaint with the public body. Mail may be sent to: The Division of Open Government, Office of the Attorney General, One Ashburton Place - 20th Floor, Boston, MA 02108. Emails may be sent to: openmeeting@state.ma.us.
- o When you file your complaint with the Division, please include the complaint form and all documentation relevant to the alleged violation. You may wish to attach a cover letter explaining why the public body's response does not adequately address your complaint.
- o The Division will not review complaints filed with us more than 90 days after the violation, unless we granted an extension to the public body or you can demonstrate good cause for the delay.

If you have questions concerning the Open Meeting Law complaint process, we encourage you to contact the Division of Open Government by phone at (617) 963-2540 or by email at openmeeting@state.ma.us.



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Office of the Attorney General
One Ashburton Place
Boston, MA 02108

Please note that all fields are required unless otherwise noted.

Your Contact Information:

First Name: Anthony Last Name: Segalla

Address: 136 East Street

City: Gt. Barrington State: MA Zip Code: 01230

Phone Number: 413-329-4075 Ext. _____

Email: tonysegalla@gmail.com

Organization or Media Affiliation (if any): N/A

Are you filing the complaint in your capacity as an individual, representative of an organization, or media?

(For statistical purposes only)

Individual Organization Media

Public Body that is the subject of this complaint:

City/Town County Regional/District State

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Specific person(s), if any, you allege committed the violation: Stephen Bannon; Leigh Davis

Date of alleged violation: 5/23/2022

Description of alleged violation:

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Phone Number: 413-854-8133 Ext. _____

Email: danseitz@verizon.net

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The AGO cannot give you legal advice and is not able to be your private attorney, but represents the public interest. If you have any questions concerning your individual legal rights or responsibilities you should contact a private attorney.

III. Submit Your Complaint to the Public Body.

The complaint must be filed first with the public body. If you have any questions, please contact the Division of Open Government by calling (617) 963-2540 or by email to openmeeting@state.ma.us.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understood the provisions above and certify that the information I have provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: _____

Date: June 17, 2022

For Use By Public Body
Date Received by Public Body:

For Use By AGO
Date Received by AGO: