

#### VILLAGE OF DOBBS FERRY

112 Main Street

Dobbs Ferry, New York 10522 TEL: (914) 231-8500 • FAX: (914) 693-3470

## **RESOLUTION X-2021**

# VILLAGE OF DOBBS FERRY PLANNING BOARD RESOLUTION GRANTING SITE PLAN APPROVAL

Property: 253 Judson Avenue (Section Block and Lot 3.70-151-18 and OF-4, One-Family Residential 4 Zoning District)

### Background

WHEREAS, Michael Marfione ("Applicant") is seeking Site Plan approval to to demolish an existing 1.5 story residence and to construct a 2.5 story residence in its place. The proposal also includes the construction of a pool in the rear yard, landscaping, and hardscaping ("Project"). The subject property is located at 253 Judson Avenue, Section Block and Lot 3.70-151-18 ("Project Site"). The Project Site is located in the One-Family Residential 4 (OF-4) Zoning District.

WHEREAS, the Project will result in the construction or expansion of a single-family, residence on an approved lot and is classified under the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA) implementing regulations as a Type II Action, in accordance with 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(11); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 239 L and M of the New York State General Municipal Law, the Planning Board referred the application materials to the Westchester County Department of Planning for their review and comments; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Board conducted a duly noticed public hearing on September 9, 2021, at which time all those wishing to be heard were given the opportunity to be heard, and the public hearing was closed on December 9, 2021; and

WHEREAS, The Planning Board has carefully examined and considered the materials submitted by the Applicant in support of the Project as follows:

- Site Plan set prepared by Christina Griffin Architect P.C., last revised December 1, 2021
- 2. Engineering drawings prepared by Hudson Engineering and Consulting, P.C., dated December 1, 2021
- 3. Topography Survey prepared by TC Merritts Land Surveyors last revised October 27, 2021
- 4. Landscape Plan prepared by Aspect 120 Landscape Architecture P.C. last revised December 1, 2021
- 5. Stormwater Management Plan & Drainage Analysis prepared by Hudson Engineering & Consulting, P.C. last revised December 1, 2021
- 6. Planning Board application received June 8, 2021

7. Coastal Assessment Form received June 10, 2021

WHEREAS, the Planning Board has also reviewed and examined letters, reports, and memorandum from the Board's consulting engineer and planner; and

WHEREAS, all testimony provided at the public hearing was carefully considered, and the Planning Board deliberated in public on the Applicant's request for approval of the Project; and

### **Planning Board Determination**

WHEREAS, the Planning Board is familiar with the Project Site and the general vicinity and has reviewed the application in accordance with Chapter 300, Zoning and Land Use, of the Village Code; and

WHEREAS, Planning Board has conducted an extensive review of the Applicant's proposal and finds that the Applicant has satisfactorily addressed the criteria for granting Section 300-52(D) of the Village Code including consistency with the Village's Local Waterfront Revitalization Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Board considered, among other things, traffic access; walkways; circulation and parking; stormwater; landscaping and screening; lighting; noise; natural and environmentally sensitive features; and whether the proposed project will exceed the capabilities of existing municipal roads or utility services; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Planning Board of the Village of Dobbs Ferry determines that based upon the findings and reasoning set forth below the application for Site Plan approval is granted subject to the conditions:

- 1. Except as otherwise provided herein, all work shall be performed in strict compliance with the plans submitted to the Planning Board and approved by the Planning Board as follows:
  - a. Site Plan set prepared for 253 Judson Avenue by Christina Griffin Architect P.C., last revised December 1, 2021, and including the following sheets:
    - i. A-0 Title Sheet
    - ii. R-1 Rendering of Proposed Building
    - iii. M-1 Color Scheme/Materials
    - iv. M-2-M-3 Color Elevations
    - v. S-1 Site Plan, Zoning Compliance, Coverage Calculations, Location Map, Photos of Existing Cond.
    - vi. S-2 Streetscape, Context Are Site Plan, Context-Based Height Calculations
    - vii. S-3 Photos of Neighboring Properties, Aerial Site Map
    - viii. S-4 Sky Exposure Diagrams
    - ix. A-1 First Floor Plan
    - x. A-2 Second Floor Plan
    - xi. A-3 Exterior Elevations
    - xii. A-4 Exterior Elevations
    - xiii. E-1 Electrical Plan Exterior Lighting
    - xiv. L-1 Landscape Plan Aspect 120 Landscape Architecture

- b. Engineering drawings prepared by Hudson Engineering and Consulting, P.C., dated December 1, 2021 including the following sheets:
  - i. C-1 Demolition Plan
  - ii. C-2 Site Plan
  - iii. C-3 Stormwater Management and Sediment & Erosion Control Plan Hudson Engineering
  - iv. C-4 & C-5 Details
- Stormwater Management Plan & Drainage Analysis prepared by Hudson Engineering & Consulting, P.C. last revised December 1, 2021
- 2. The following conditions must be met before the Planning Board Chair may sign the approved Site Plan ("Final Site Plan"):
  - a. The following Language shall be added to the plan: "Approved subject to all requirements and conditions of December 9, 2021, resolution of the Planning Board of the Village of Dobbs Ferry, New York. Any change, erasure, modification, or revision of this plan, absent re-approval from the Planning Board, shall void this approval."
  - The Planning Board's approval is conditioned upon Applicant receiving all approvals required by other governmental approving agencies without material deviation from the Approved Plans.
    Evidence of compliance with conditions and any such approvals must be submitted to the Village Building Department.
  - c. The Applicant must address to the full satisfaction of the Village Engineer, all outstanding stormwater, stormwater maintenance agreement, and engineering issues raised in the hearings and documents submitted to the Board, including the December\_\_\_, 2021, engineering letter.
  - d. All lighting installed on the Project Site shall comply with the residential standards of §300-41 of the Zoning chapter.
  - e. The Applicant shall pay all outstanding consultant review and legal fees in connection with the Planning Board review of this application.
- The following conditions must be met before the Building Department issues a Building Permit:
  - a. The Applicant must submit to the Village Planner for review the tree and shrub species proposed as mitigation for the removal of the significant trees as identified on Sheet L-1.
- Force and Effect:
  - a. No portion of any approval by the Planning Board shall take effect until (1) all conditions are met, (2) the final site plan is signed by the chair of the Planning Board, and (3) the final site plan signed by the Planning Board has been filed with the Land Use Officer.
  - b. Within 180 days after receiving approval of a site plan, with or without modifications, the applicant shall submit two paper copies and one electronic copy of the site plan to the Board of Trustees and/or the Planning Board for stamping and signing. This time frame may be extended for a maximum of two ninety-day periods.
- 5. Landscaping: In accordance with §300-44, required landscape improvements shall be installed prior to issuance of a certificate of occupancy for all structures. However, if the landscaping is not able to be installed prior to a certificate of

occupancy being issued due to winter weather or other site limitations, the property owner shall post a financial guarantee for the improvements equal to 115% of the cost of improvements so that the certificate can be issued. Installation of the landscape improvements shall then be completed before June 30 of the following year. This guarantee shall be released upon acceptance by the Village of the completed landscaping.

- 6. Commencing Work: No work may be commenced on any portion of the site without first contacting the Building Inspector to ensure that all permits and approvals have been obtained and to establish an inspection schedule. The Project must adhere to all applicable State and Village Codes.
- 7. Issuance of Certificate of Occupancy: No certificate of occupancy shall be issued until all improvements shown on the site plan are installed or a sufficient performance guaranty has been posted for improvements not yet completed. The performance guaranty shall be posted in accordance with the procedures specified in Village Law §7-725-a or 7-730, as applicable. The amount and sufficiency of such performance guaranty shall be determined by the Land Use Officer. The amount of such guaranty shall be in the form of 95% surety and 5% cash.

CHAIRMAN HUNTER	☐ AYE	☐ NAY	☐ ABSTAIN	RECUSE	ABSENT/EXCUSED
STEPHEN BROSNAHAN	☐ AYE	□ NAY	☐ ABSTAIN	RECUSE	ABSENT/EXCUSED
ROB LANE	☐ AYE	☐ NAY	☐ ABSTAIN	RECUSE	ABSENT/EXCUSED
ALLEN HALE	AYE	☐ NAY	☐ ABSTAIN	RECUSE	ABSENT/EXCUSED
LAURA HAUPT	AYE	☐ NAY	☐ ABSTAIN	RECUSE	ABSENT/EXCUSED
PETER WINDER, 1 <sup>ST</sup> ALTERNAATE MEMBER	AYE	□ NAY	ABSTAIN	RECUSE	ABSENT/EXCUSED
VOTE TOTALS	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	RECUSE	ABSENT/EXCUSE
RESULT:	MOTION:				
I hereby attest that the above Resolution was approved by the Planning Board at its December 9, 2021 meeting, and that I have been authorized to sign this Resolution by decision of the Planning Board.					
Chairman Hunter				Date	

Seconded by:

Motion By: