Town of Angier
Board of Adjustment
Tuesday, October 24, 2023
Municipal Building
28 N. Raleigh Street
Angier, North Carolina 27501
Minutes

The Town of Angier Board of Adjustment met in regular session on Tuesday, October 24, 2023, inside the Municipal Building Board Room, 28 N. Raleigh Street. Mayor Bob Smith presided, calling the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Members Present: Mayor Bob Smith

Commissioner Loru Boyer Hawley Commissioner Jim Kazakavage Commissioner Alan Coats

Members Absent:

ETJ Members Present: Emily Plemons

ETJ Members Absent: Haley Plumley

Lee Marshall

Staff Members Present: Town Manager Elizabeth Krige

Town Clerk Veronica Hardaway Planning Director Jeff Jones Town Attorney Dan Hartzog, Jr.

- 2. Pledge of Allegiance: Mayor Bob Smith led the pledge of allegiance.
- 3. Invocation: Mayor Smith offered the invocation.
- 4. Approval of the July 25, 2023 Board of Adjustment Meeting Minutes: The Town Board unanimously approved the minutes as presented.

Board Action: The Town Board unanimously voted to approve the July 25, 2023 Board of Adjustment Meeting Minutes as presented.

Motion: Commissioner Kazakavage

Vote: 5-0; unanimous

5. Swearing in of Witnesses: The following persons giving testimony during the evidentiary hearings on the agenda were duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

James Goff, property owner

6. New Business

A. Special Use Permit

Applicant: Gabriella Terry

Property Address: 254 N. Broad St., Angier, NC

Special Use Request: Convert Single Family House to Office Space in R-10 Zoning District

Mayor Smith opened the Evidentiary Hearing.

Planning Director Jeff Jones stated that a Special Use Permit Application has been submitted by Gabriella Terry for property located at 254 N. Broad St. Professional offices are allowed as a Special Use in the R-10 zoning district. Parking for this use would be 1 parking space per 300 square feet of office use. If the entire house is considered office space, 8 parking spaces would be required on site.

James Goff, 905 Old US Hwy 421, Lillington, is the owner of the property in question. The applicant, Gabriella Terry, has been renting a commercial building from him in Clayton for approximately 9 years for her catering business. Her business has grown and so has the need for office space. Ms. Terry is wanting to utilize the property in question for office space and storage and to be able to hire additional staff. There would be no problem with the required 8 parking spaces.

The Board had concern with having various vehicles parked in the driveway not having enough space for ingress and egress; however, Mr. Goff assured them that parking would be located at the back of the building to free up the driveway area. Mr. Jones stated this building would be a low impact office space without any foot traffic.

Mayor Smith closed the Evidentiary Hearing.

The Board of Adjustment shall find that the following conditions exist prior to granting approval of a Special Use Permit Application:

- A. The requested use will not impair the integrity or character of the surrounding or adjoining districts; It was the consensus of the Board this does apply
- B. The requested use will not be detrimental to the health, morals, or welfare; It was the consensus of the Board this does apply
- C. Adequate utilities, access streets, drainage, sanitation, and/or other necessary facilities have been provided; It was the consensus of the Board this does apply
- D. That adequate measures have been taken to provide ingress and egress so designed as to minimize traffic congestion in the public streets; It was the consensus of the Board this does apply

E. That the Special Use shall, in all other aspects, conform to the applicable regulations of the district in which is located, except as such regulations may, in each instance, be modified by the Board of Adjustment; It was the consensus of the Board this does apply

Board Action: Based on findings A-E of the Special Use Permit Approval Criteria, the Board voted to approve the Special Use Permit to convert a single-family house to office space in R-10 zoning district located at 254 N. Broad St., Angier, NC.

Motion: Commissioner Hawley

Vote: 5-0; unanimous

6. Adjournment: Mayor Smith entertained a motion to adjourn the meeting. Motion to adjourn was unanimous at approximately 6:55pm.

Motion: Commissioner Hawley

Vote: 5-0; unanimous

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Chairman / Board of Adjustment

Attest:

Veronica Hardaway, Town Clerk