

Board of Adjustment / Appeals - June 4, 2020 Agenda Civic Center 2 Park Drive South, Great Falls, MT Gibson Room, Civic Center June 04, 2020 3:00 PM

UPDATES CONCERNING PROCESS OF MEETINGS

Due to the COVID-19 health concerns, the format of the Board of Adjustment meeting will be held in a virtual video-conferencing environment. In order to honor the Right of Participation and the Right to Know (Article II, Sections 8 and 9 of the Montana Constitution), the City of Great Falls and Board of Adjustment are making every effort to meet the requirements of open meeting laws:

- Board of Adjustment members and City staff will attend the meeting via a remote location, using a virtual meeting method.
- The agenda packet material is available on the City's website: https://greatfallsmt.net/meetings. The Public may view and listen to the meeting on government access channel City-190, cable channel 190; or online at https://greatfallsmt.net/livestream.
- Public comment will be taken during the meeting as indicated on the agenda with an asterisk. Public participation is welcome in the following ways:
- Attend in person. Refrain from attending in person if you are not feeling well. The City will require social distancing at the meeting, and may limit the number of persons in the Gibson Room according to applicable health guidelines.
- Provide public comments via email. Comments may be sent via email before 12:00 PM on Tuesday, May 12, 2020, to: tmicuda@greatfallsmt.net. Include the agenda item or agenda item number in the subject line, and include the name and address of the commenter. Written communication received by that time will be shared with the Planning Advisory Board/Zoning Commission and appropriate City staff for consideration during the agenda item and before final vote on the matter; and, will be so noted in the official record of the meeting.
- Call-in. The public may call in during specific public comment periods at 406-761-4786. All callers will be in a queued system and are asked to remain on hold and be patient. Calls will be taken in the order in which they are received. Callers will be restricted to customary time limits. This is a pilot service to test the feasibility of expanded public participation by phone. We ask for your patience in the event there are technical difficulties.

OPEN MEETING

- 1. Call to Order 3:00 P.M.
- 2. Roll Call Board Introductions

Jule Stuver - Chair

Krista Smith - Vice Chair

Joe McMillen

Aspen Northerner

Kyle Palagi

- 3. Recognition of Staff
- 4. Approval of Meeting Minutes January 9, 2020

CONFLICT DISCLOSURE/EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

BOARD ACTIONS REQUIRING PUBLIC HEARING

BOARD ACTIONS NOT REQUIRING PUBLIC HEARING

5. 3004 Lower River Road - Variance to Section 17.20.7.060 of the Official Code of the City of Great Falls (OCCG) that would allow the total maximum garage area to exceed code requirements.

COMMUNICATIONS

6. Next Meeting - Thursday, July 2, 2020

PUBLIC COMMENT

Public Comment on any matter and that is within the jurisdiction of the Board of Adjustment/Appeals. Please keep your remarks to a maximum of five (5) minutes. Speak into the microphone, and state your name and address for the record.

ADJOURNMENT

(Please exit the chambers as quickly as possible. Chamber doors will be closed 5 minutes after adjournment of the meeting.)

Assistive listening devices are available for the hard of hearing, please arrive a few minutes early for set up, or contact the City Clerk's Office in advance at 455-8451. Wi-Fi is available during the meetings for viewing of the online meeting documents.

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