<u>Monday, September 11, 2023</u> 7:30 p.m.

Virtual Meeting using Zoom

Meeting ID: 845-1987-6965 (Instructions for accessing below)

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HEARINGS:

Public notice is hereby given that St. Sebastians School located at 1191 Greendale Avenue, has made application to the Design Review Board for a Special Permit pursuant to the Sign By-Law, Section 5.5.3.1, sub-section a). & b)., seeking approval for three permanent signs in addition to one existing permanent sign when only two are allowed, and any other applicable sections of the By-law.

APPLICANTS:

Kevin Rosenberg, Exposé Signs & Graphics representing Congregational Church located at 1154 Great Plain Avenue and applying for signage.

Simon Beylin, Beylin Builders applying for façade work at 117 Chestnut Street.

REVIEW

Minutes of 8/21/2023 meeting.

Next Public Meeting – October 2, 2023 at 7:30pm via Zoom Webinar



DESIGN REVIEW BOARD

Public Service Administration Building 500 Dedham Avenue Needham, MA 02492 Application and Report

Property Location:_	1191 Greendale Avenue, Need	ham MA 0249	2	Date:	8/7/23
Owner:	St. Sebastian's School				
Address:	1191 Greendale Avenue, Needham, MA		MA	02	2492
Street Telephone:	781-449-5200	City		State	Zip
Applicant:	St. Sebastian's School				
Address:	1191 Greendale Avenue,	Needham,	MA	02	2492
Street Telephone:	781-449-5200	City		State	Zip
Designer/Installer: _	Designer: Robert Olson + Asso	ciates / Installe	er: Sign\	Works Grou	p, Inc.
Address:	RO+A: 374 Congress Street Signworks: 60 Arsenal Street			MA MA	02210 02472
Street Telephone:	RO+A: 617-338-2790 Signworks: 617-924-0292	City	7,0011	State	Zip
	Type of Application Sign Minor Project Exterior Alterations Major Project (Site Plan I preliminary final Flexible Subdivision Planned Residential Deve				

Brief description of sign or project:

New street sign (Signage "A") to replace existing directional sign at the entrance to Hockey Rink Building parking lot. Sign is double sided and the design follows existing school signage located at driveway entrance to Arts and Athletic Center Buildings.

This sign is existing to remain.

Shown here only for the reference.

EXISTING DIRECTIONAL SIGN



VIEW FROM GREENDALE AVE.

EXISTING DIRECTIONAL SIGN TO BE REPLACED WITH SIGN "A".
SEE DRAWING A1.0

EXISTING IDENTITY SIGN



VIEW FROM GREENDALE AVE.

SIGN "A" MATCHES THE DESIGN OF THE EXISTING IDENTITY SIGN AT DRIVEWAY. SEE DRAWING A1.0 SIGN "B" AND "C". SEE A1.1 AND A1.2



VIEW FROM GREENDALE AVE.

VIEW OF HOCKEY RINK FROM GREENDALE AVE. AT ENTRANCE TO PARKING LOT LOCATION OF PROPOSED SIGN "B" AND "C". SEE A1.1 AND A1.2



VIEW FROM GREENDALE AVE.

VIEW OF HOCKEY RINK FROM GREENDALE AVE. AT ENTRANCE TO DRIVEWAY

HOCKEY RINK SIGNAGE - EXISTING CONDITIONS AT SIGNAGE LOCATIONS



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Brief description of sign or project:

Building sign (Signage "B") over main entrance to Hockey Rink in applied letters with outline back panel. Sign reads: "ST. SEBASTIAN'S SCHOOL".



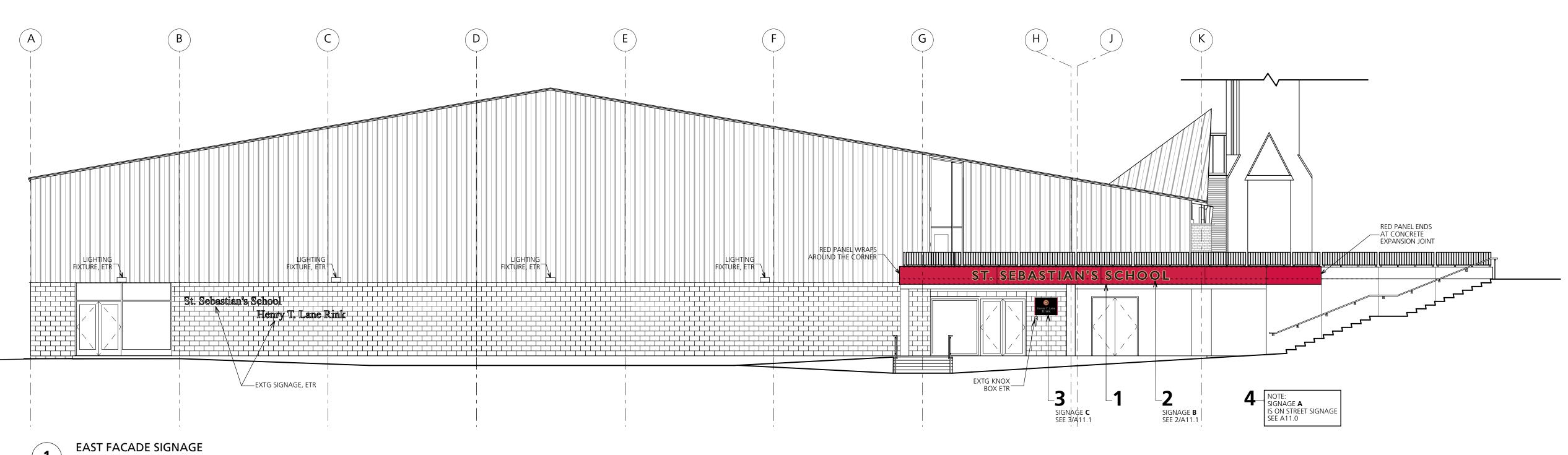
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Brief description of sign or project:

Dedication on-wall sign (Signage "C") located at the north door to the Rink in the recess created by the projecting entrance level of the Arts building on the floor above.



PROVIDE METAL FASCIA IN SCHOOL COLOR (RED)

SIGNAGE **B**: PROVIDE BUILDING SIGN OVER MAIN ENTRANCE IN APPLIED LETTERS 14" HIGH WITH OUTLINE BACK PANEL WITH 1" PROJECTION ALL AROUND, WITH OFF WHITE COLOR TO MATCH FACADE EXISTING METAL PANEL COLOR.

SIGNAGE \mathbf{C} : PROVIDE IDENTIFICATION ON WALL SIGN ON THE SIDE OF MAIN ENTRANCE.

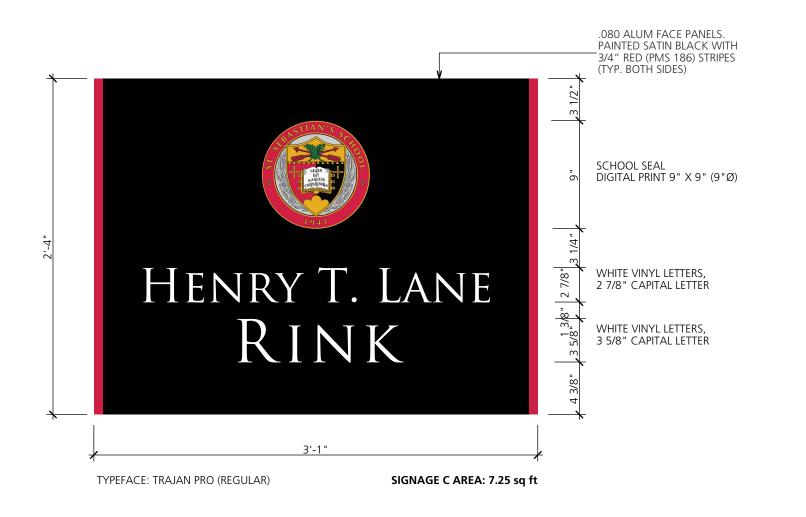
4 SIGNAGE A: PROVIDE NEW STREET SIGN FOR PUBLIC BUILDING IDENTIFICATION. SEE A11.0

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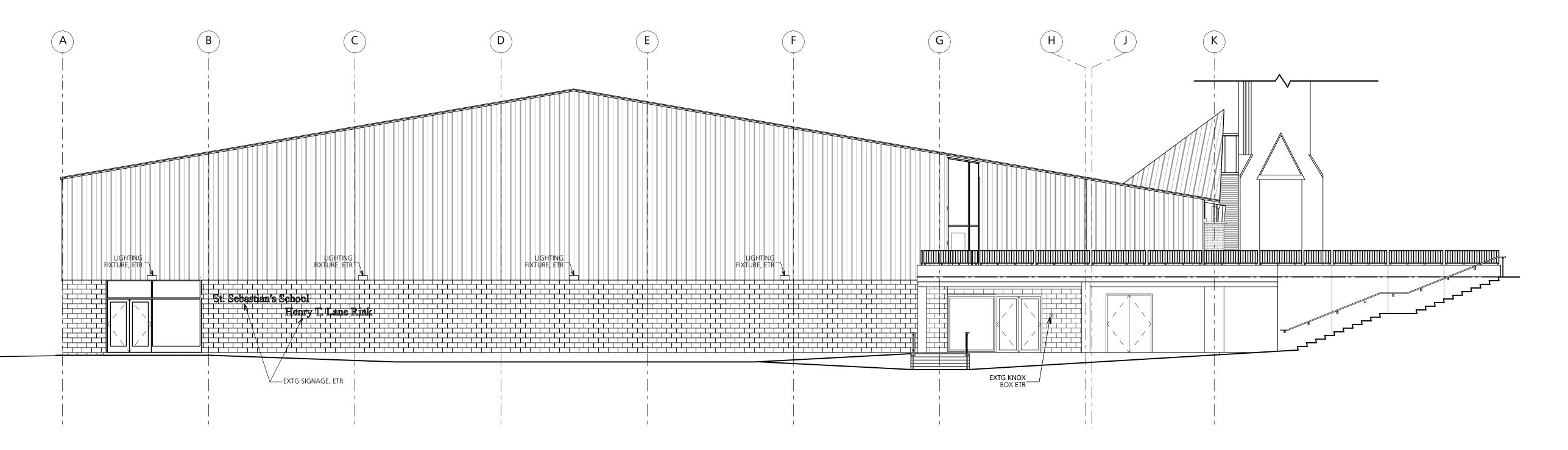
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SIGNAGE B - ON RED METAL FASCIA - UNFOLDED ELEVATION VIEW



SIGNAGE C - ON CMU WALL



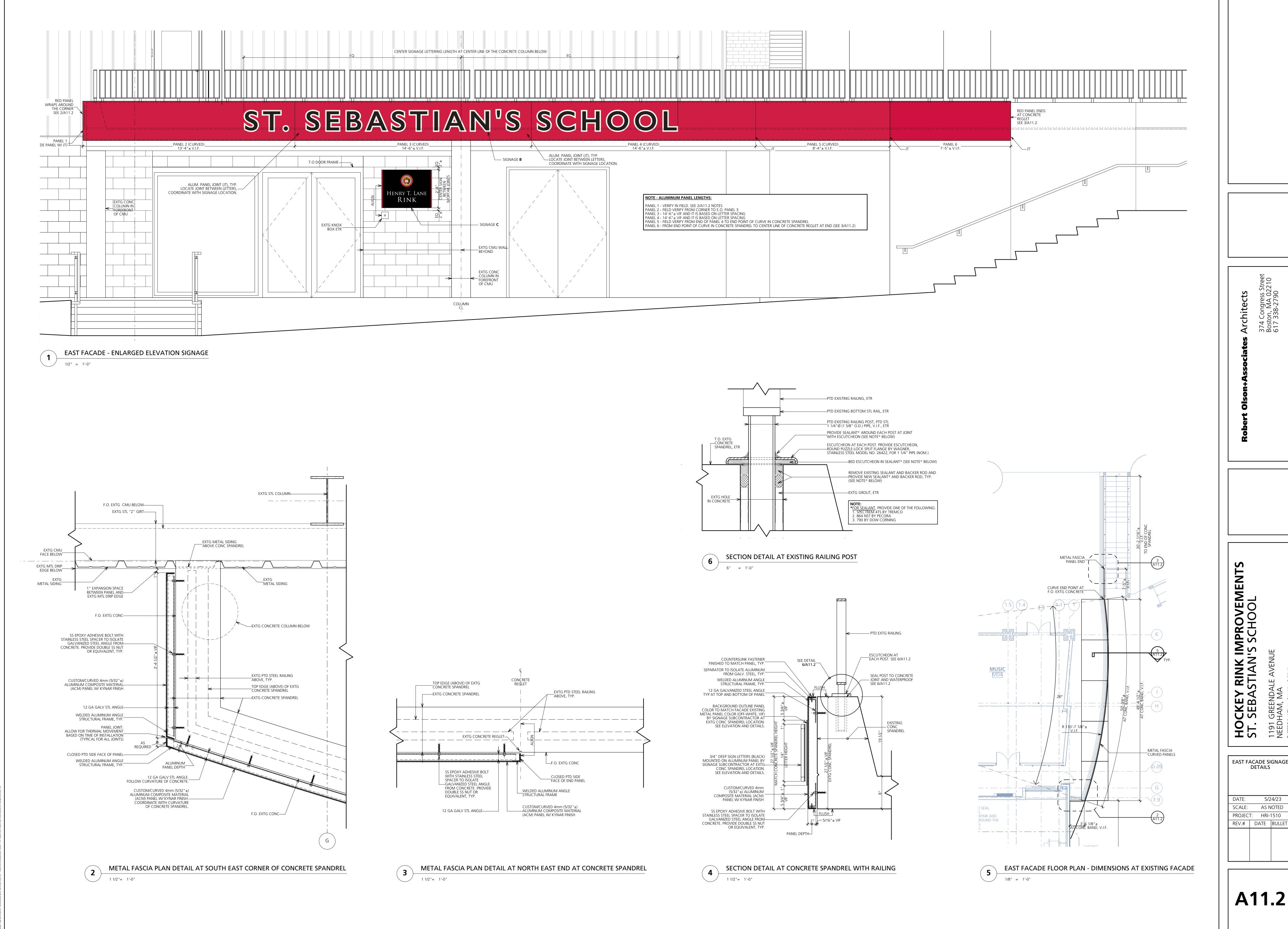
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NOTE: FOR DEMO NOTES FOR STREET SIGNAGE A SEE NOTES ON A11.0

EAST FACADE SIGNAGE REV.# DATE BULLET.

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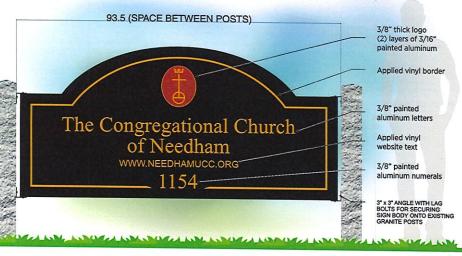
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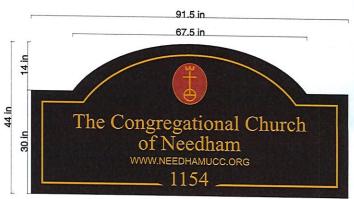
Property Location: 1/54 GREAT PLAN AVE Date: 8.25-23
Owner: CONCREGATIONAL CHURCH OF NOZDUAM
Address: 1154 CREAT PLAN AVE NOTOWAM MA 02492 Street 781-444-2510 City State Zip
Telephone:
Applicant: ANDRIW CLARK EXPOSI SICNS + CRAPHICS INC
Address: 3 LANDING LANG HODEDALE MA 01747
Address: 3 LANDING LANG HAPEDALE MA 01747 Street State Zip Telephone: 508-381-0941
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Designer/Installer: SAME AS APPLICANT
Address:
Street City State Zip
Telephone:
Type of Application Sign
☐ Minor Project ☐ Exterior Alterations
Major Project (Site Plan Review)
- preliminary - final
☐ Flexible Subdivision ☐ Planned Residential Development
Residential Compound
Brief description of sign or project:
REBUILD + REPLACE PRE-EXISTING DOUBLE SAED NON-
ILLUMINATED SICA



3" x 3" ALUMINUM ANGLE WITH LAG BOLTS



DOUBLE SIDED MONUMENT EXISTING GRANITE POSTS QTY:1



14"H x 67.5"W x 3.25"D FABRICATED SIGN BODY (WELDED AND SEAMS FILLED)

SERIES 3 SLIDE BODY SIGN COMP KIT

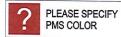
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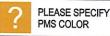
30"H x 91.5"W x 3.25"D SIGN KIT BODY 14"H x 67.5"H x 3.25"D FABRICATED "TOPPER" WELDED TO SIGN KIT BODY AND SEAMS FILLED WITH BODY FILLER. SANDED AND PAINTED BLACK

COPY FONT(S): Outlines

LOGO: Outlines

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3 Landing Lane • Hopedale, Ma 01747 phone: 508.381.0357 fax: 508.381.3784 Congretional Church of Needham ATTN: Mary Sue Cotton mscotton59@gmail.com

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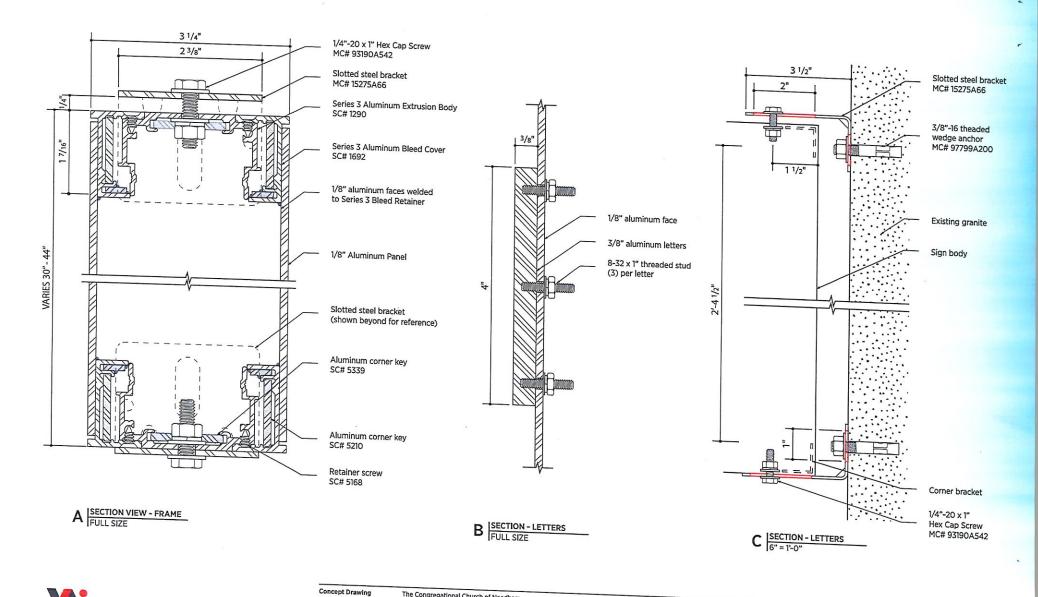
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date 13 May 2021 proj. no. WV----drawn JMH scale As Noted

1154 Great Plain Ave Needham, MA 02492

287.25 FT OF FRONTAGE SIGN SETBACK: 10 FT







44"H x 91.5"W x 3.25"D (EXISTING POSTS) 27.9 Sq. Feet

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Property Location: 117 Chestnut Street					
Owner: Somi Kim					
Address: 117 Chestnut Street Street Telephone: 413-687-1209	Needham City	MA State	02492 Zip		
Applicant: Beylin Builders, c/o Simon Beylin					
Address: 44 Indian Rock Road, #850	Winham	NH	03087		
Street Telephone: 978-955-1634	City	State	Zip		
Address: 44 Indian Rock Road, #850 Street Telephone: 978-955-1634	City	State	Zip		
Type of Application Sign Minor Project Exterior Alterations Major Project (Site Plant) - preliminary - final Flexible Subdivision Planned Residential D Residential Compound	evelopment				
Brief description of sign or project:					
Adding ADA accesible ramp to the front of the built	ding, and enclosing c	overed porch	es to increase		
size of dental operatories to allow for ADA complia					

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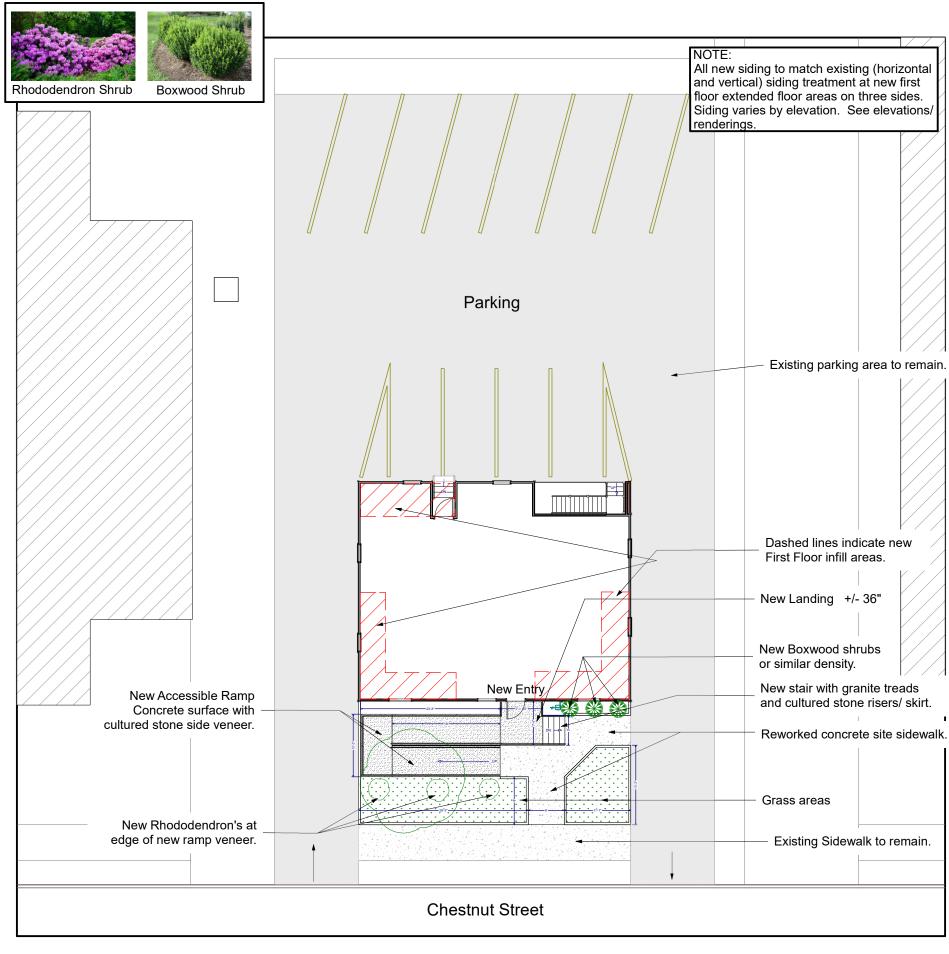








EXISTING PHOTOS



SITE PLAN



South Elevation



Chestnut St. - East Elevation

Perspective from Street



Perspective from Street

ACCESSIBLE RAMP/ NEW ENTRY

DATE: 9/4/2023

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Birds Eye View of Ramp



North Parking Lot View



Head on View from Street



Parking lot South View



1 2 **Design Review Board Meeting Minutes** Monday, August 21, 2023 3 7:30 p.m. 4 5 6 **Board Members:** 7 Mark Gluesing, Board Chair (P) 8 Bob Dermody, Board Member (P) 9 Steve Dornbusch, Board Member (P) 10 Susan Opton, Board Member (P) 11 Elisa Litchman, Administrative Specialist, Planning & Community Development (P) 12 13 **Applicants & Attendees:** 1. Will Porcello, owner Wexford Street Auto located at 1584 Great Plain Avenue and 14 15 applying for signage. 2. Nicole Handricken, Sign Design representing Elliot Physical Therapy located at 392 16 17 Chestnut Street and applying for signage. 3. Nicole Pretorius, Pretorius Electric & Sign representing Splash & Dash Groomerie and 18 19 Boutique located at 120 Highland Avenue and applying for signage. 20 21 Chair Gluesing called the meeting to order on August 21, 2023, at 7:30 p.m. He reviewed the 22 remote meeting procedures. 23 24 **Agenda Item 1:** 25 Will Porcello, owner Wexford Street Auto located at 1584 Great Plain Avenue and applying for 26 signage. 27 28 Mr. Porcello explained that the sign will contain the name of the business, and Auto Repair Services with the established date. This will be made of PVC with applied letters. There is no 29 lighting proposed on the sign. There is an existing light to illuminate the sign only that he will be 30 31 having repaired. 32 33 Mr. Dermody stated that the sign is a bit busy for his liking. 34 35 Chair Gluesing agreed that this seems to be a lot of information inside of a small space. He 36 would like to see one of the service/repair words selected, and potentially the name of the 37 business a bit larger. Mr. Porcello agreed to selecting the word "Service" for the sign. 38 39 Mr. Dornbusch suggested removing the established date in order to enlarge the name of the 40 business. 41 42 Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Mr. Dornbusch, it was voted to 43 approve the sign for 1584 Great Plain Avenue, with the condition that the word "Repair" be 44 removed, the establishment date be removed, the lettering for Wexford Street Auto be increased

to 5", and to increase the box proportionately. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

Agenda Item 2:

Marie Mercier, Sign Design representing Elliot Physical Therapy located at 392 Chestnut Street and applying for signage.

Ms. Mercier explained that there is an aluminum pan face sign proposed on the front of the building with the company name facing onto Chestnut Street. On the wall near the door, there is a second sign proposed directing people pointing to the entrance at the rear of the building. Facing the side street of the building, there is a sign proposed with the name and indicating the location of entrance at the rear of the building. Two small aluminum signs are proposed for a column at the rear entrance. There is a window graphic at the rear entrance storefront.

Chair Gluesing explained that the applicant reduced the size of the signs after discussion with the town to try to avoid having to apply for a Special Permit. However, after review with the Building Commissioner only one sign at this size can be approved, instead of three as proposed. The column signs will need a Special Permit.

The Board discussed the Chestnut Street wall and directional signs. Mr. Dornbusch suggested that the words "back of building" be added to the directional sign. There was discussion regarding potentially placing a graphic sign on the door, instead of having a directional sign.

The Board discussed the sign on the side street wall of the building. Mr. Dermody stated that he would rather minimize signs on the building itself. Other tenants may wish to place signs on the building indicating the location of their entrance as well. Ms. Opton stated that the sign may be better located at ground level. She believes the sign should be centered over a nearby window.

The Board discussed denying the proposed small wall sign on the front wall and instead suggested a window graphic on the door. Chair Gluesing suggested adding the words "at rear."

It was suggested that the window graphic at the rear entrance have the note "First Floor" added.

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Mr. Dornbusch, it was voted to approve the primary building sign for 392 Chestnut Street, with the condition that it be centered over the two windows. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Mr. Dornbusch, it was voted to approve the Elliott Physical Therapy entrance sign for 392 Chestnut Street, with the conditions that the words "at rear" be added below the word "Entrance," and that it be a window graphic on the door and not a wall sign. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Mr. Dornbusch, it was voted to approve the Junction Street sign for 392 Chestnut Street, with the conditions that it be reduced to

91 30" high, that it match the width of the window below, and that it be placed over the second 92 window from the corner. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and 93 Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Mr. Dornbusch, it was voted to approve the window graphic at the rear entrance for Elliott Physical Therapy, with the conditions that the words "first floor" be added to the sign. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

Agenda Item 3:

Rich Pretorius, Pretorius Electric & Sign representing Splash & Dash Groomerie and Boutique located at 120 Highland Avenue and applying for signage.

Mr. Pretorius explained that two signs are proposed. The first sign is 31.21 s.f on the parking lot side elevation of the building, made with channel letters, internally illuminated, mounted on painted raceways. Sign two is of the same construction, 26.9 s.f., facing Highland Avenue. There are also tenant panels in the existing compound sign proposed. A door and window vinyl graphics with the logo, store hours, and two green stripes is proposed, 14.25 s.f.

Regarding the Highland Avenue sign, Mr. Dornbusch stated that this does not seem to be centered. The Chair noted that a second sign is allowed if the business has an entrance off of a parking lot but it generally has to be smaller. For this location, the Board has allowed the Highland Avenue signs to be smaller, as long as it works with the architecture. The proposed Highland Avenue sign should line up with the Geico sign nearby.

Chair Gluesing stated that the compound sign background should match the other existing sign panels. In terms of the wall graphics, Chair Gluesing stated that the last proposed door graphic gives information about franchises and a website, which he suggested being eliminated as it deals with the chain and not this specific store.

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Mr. Dornbusch, it was voted to approve the wall sign on the parking lot side for 120 Highland Avenue, as submitted. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Ms. Opton, it was voted to approve the Highland Avenue sign for 120 Highland Avenue, with the conditions that it be centered over the window and centered on the center line of the Geico sign. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Mr. Dornbusch, it was voted to approve the compound sign panel for 120 Highland Avenue, with the condition that the background color of the sign match the other signs in the panel. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

136	Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Dermody and seconded by Mr. Dornbusch, it was voted to
137	approve the door graphics for 120 Highland Avenue, with the condition that the lower

- information regarding franchising be removed. Susan Opton aye; Bob Dermody aye; Steve 138
- 139 Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

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- 141 **Minutes:**
- 142 Minutes from the 08/07/2023 meeting

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144 Upon motion duly made by Ms. Opton and seconded by Chair Gluesing, it was voted to approve 145 the meeting minutes of August 7, 2023, as presented. Susan Opton – aye; and Chair Gluesing aye. Motion passed 2-0.

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- 148 Upon motion duly made by Ms. Opton and seconded by Mr. Zemel, it was voted to adjourn at 149 8:23 p.m. Susan Opton – aye; Bob Dermody – aye; Steve Dornbusch - aye; and Chair Gluesing
- 150 - aye. Motion passed 4-0.

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Next Public Meeting – September 11, 2023 at 7:30pm via Zoom Webinar 152

