EXAMPLE: Neighborhood Meeting Certification



I, (applicant/consultant) hereby certify that a neighborhood meeting was held on (date) at (location) at (time).

I also certify that on (date at least ten (10) days prior to the neighborhood meeting), invitations were mailed to the following:

- All addresses on the mailing list provided by the Planning Division which includes property owners within 500 feet of the proposed development or within 1000 feet of a proposed industrial subdivision or industrial zone change.
- 2. Residents on the "interested parties" list.
- 3. A digital copy of the notice was also provided to the Planning Division (jmy@portlandmaine.gov and Idobson@portlandmaine.gov) and the assigned planner to be forwarded to those on the interested citizen list who receive e-mail notices.

(date)

Signed

/ I was

Attached to this certification are:

- 1. Copy of the invitation sent
- 2. Sign-in sheet
- 3. Meeting minutes



March 14, 2016 14164

<u>Subdivision and Site Plan Application</u> <u>62 India Street, Portland, Maine</u>

Dear Neighbor:

Please join us for a neighborhood meeting to discuss our plans for a mixed use building and associated parking at 62 India Street in Portland, Maine.

Meeting Location: Portland Regency Hotel, 20 Milk Street, Portland, Maine 04101

Meeting Date: March 24, 2016

Meeting Time: 6:00 p.m.

If you have any questions, please call me at (207)200-2055.

Sincerely,

SEBAGO TECHNICS, INC.

William T. Conway, RLA / LEED AP

Vice President Landscape Architecture

WTC/tdp Enc.

Neighborhood Meeting Sign In Sheet 62 India Street Mixed Use Project

Portland Regency Hotel March 24, 2016 6:00 Pm Name and Adress 146 Newbury St Unit B Porland ME 04101 The meeting convened with an introduction to the project by Joseph Dasco, representative of India Newbury Residences LLC. Mr. Dasco's introduction was followed by site plan and architectural design presentations by William Conway, Sebago Technics and Mark Mueller and Matthew Provencal, Mark Mueller Architects.

Approximately ten members of the public attended the meeting; following are the topics discussed:

- 1. Neighbors are concerned with the loss of 1-2 parking spaces on Newbury Street created by the entrance to parking for the project. The applicant explained that this will be offset by increasing street parking on India Street, as two curb cuts will be closed in that location. Neighbors noted that parking on India is limited to 15 minutes vs. 2 hours on Newbury. It was agreed that the applicant will discuss with the City the possibility of changing the India parking limit to 2 hours. It was also noted that many residents use street parking for overnight hours.
- 2. Neighbors asked in which direction does the second level common patio face. The applicant clarified that this patio faces the direction to the south, and is enclosed by the U-shaped configuration of upper floors.
- 3. Neighbors asked about the size of the common patio; it was estimated to be 20 feet by 30 feet.
- 4. Concerns were stated about the design of parapets at the Bay House (varying heights, number of jogs, use of multiple colors). The applicant explained that the parapet heights for this new building are uniform, and, importantly, are set back from the building façade. This design holds drifting snow and helps to screen rooftop HVAC equipment. It was also noted that the height of the building along India Street will be 5 feet below the allowed height.
- 5. Neighbors asked about impacts on Ribolyta restaurant on Middle Street. The applicant explained that there will be sufficient separation between the two buildings, and that 62 India will be providing Ribolyta with pedestrian access to the rear of the building.
- 6. Neighbors have heard rumors that Newbury Street may become a one way street. The applicant stated it has no knowledge of this possibility.

- 7. Neighbors inquired about the unit mix and price range of the residential units. The applicant explained that there will be approximately (10) one bedroom units, (15) two bedroom units, and (4) three bedroom units. Price range to be \$300,000.00 700,000.00.
- 8. Neighbors asked how many parking spaces will be included in the project; the applicant stated 27 spaces.
- 9. Neighbors asked how many parking spaces exist in the current leased parking lot; the applicant stated about 40 spaces, however, were not certain.

The meeting concluded at approximately 7:00 PM.