## **Fast Track Permit application for:**

April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2015

54 Alba St Deck Stairs and Landing

By owner: Cameron Thompson

CBL: 180 E014001

- 1. Proposed Plan: see below
- 2. Type of foundation system
  - a) 8" diameter concrete form
  - b) 4-5' below grade. The form will be 5', and I will excavate 4' for it and back fill the last 1'
  - c) Simpson Strong Tie, ABA 4x4 ZMAX Galvanized Adjustable Post Base, will anchor the footing to the deck post
  - d) The new deck footings are aligned with previously existing footings, the new ones are spaced 4' apart East West, and are 5' from the existing footings to the North

## 3. Columns

- a) 4 x 4 #2 Pressure Treated Timber
- b) Simpson Strong Tie, ABA 4x4 ZMAX Galvanized Adjustable Post Base, will anchor the footing to the deck post

## 4. Framing

- a) Ledger is already attached
- b) N/A
- c) N/A
- d) The beams will be two 2x8's that sandwich the deck posts, going from the new posts to the existing posts North to South, which is a 5' span. The 2x8's will be attached with 1/2" carriage bolts
- e) 2x6 joists span 4' with a cantilever of 13" on the West and 6" on the East. The will be placed 13" apart on center
- f) The joists will be attached to the beams with Hurricane ties
- g) The new deck will be no more than 6' 6'' x 6' 6'', the decking material will have a thickness of 5/4''
- 5. Guardrails & Handrails: The new deck will be no more than 16" off the ground and won't have railings, but there will be railings for the stairs
  - a) The guardrail will be 43" in height from the leading edge of the stringer's run
  - b) The balusters will have a 3 1/2" gap, matching the current deck
  - c) The handrail will be 4" below the top of the guardrail at 39"

## 6. Stair Details

- a) Tread depth will be 12"
- b) Riser height is 6"
- c) Tread will overhang by 5/4", but there will be no nosing since the riser portion will also have 5/4" decking
- d) the width of the stairs will be 40 1/2"