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Date: May 23, 2025
To: Members of the Zoning Board of Appeals
From: Chretien T. Voerg, P.E., Director
Subject: **Zoning Board of Appeals Agenda – June 4, 2025**

Adjourned Hearings:

25-013 9 Alva Drive – Syed Y Raza
24-048 86 Fonda Road – Cillis Builders

Adjourned Decision:

25-001 24 Lincoln Avenue – Paul Rinella



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TAKE NOTICE that the Town of Colonie Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at the Public Operations Center, 347 Old Niskayuna Road, Latham, in the Town of Colonie, on the **21st day of May 2025, at 7:00 p.m.** to hear the appeal of **Syed Y Raza** from the decision of the Building Department Director for the Town of Colonie denying the applicant a Building Permit for the premises located at **9 Alva Drive**. The proposed second-story addition on an existing building with a 4.1-foot side yard setback on a corner lot is not compliant with the 5-foot minimum side yard setback required in a Single Family Residential (SFR) zoning district as stated in the Town of Colonie Land Use Law, Article VI, Sections 190-24, 190-26(A), and Attachment #3 – Dimensional Table for Prior Established Lots. The Zoning Board of Appeals will hear the request for variance from the provisions of the Code of the Town of Colonie, Chapter 190 to permit such construction and use and a SEQR Determination for such appeal. The public may view and listen to the Zoning Board of Appeals hearing on the Town's website by typing <https://colonienny.iqm2.com/Citizens/Default.aspx> in your web browser. The public may present comments to the Board in person or by emailing infozba@colonie.org. (Emailed comments must be received at least 24 hours in advance). Such comments will be read and addressed by the Chairman during the hearing. Landlords are strongly encouraged to notify tenants of the contents of this notice.

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DATED May 9, 2025



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TAKE NOTICE that the Town of Colonie Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at the Public Operations Center, 347 Old Niskayuna Road, Latham, in the Town of Colonie, on the **2nd day of April, 2025, at 7:00 p.m.** to hear the appeal of **Cillis Builders** from the decision of the Building Department Director for the Town of Colonie denying the applicant a Building Permit for the premises located at **86 Fonda Road**. The proposed construction of a 4,464±-square-foot two-family dwelling, replacing an existing 2,088±-square-foot two-family dwelling is not compliant with the prohibition of enlargement of a non-conforming use in a Single Family Residential (SFR) zoning district as stated in the Town of Colonie Land Use Law, Article VIII, Section 190-34, Attachment #2 - Dimensional Table. The Zoning Board of Appeals will hear the request for variance from the provisions of the Code of the Town of Colonie, Chapter 190 to permit such construction and use and a SEQR Determination for such appeal. The public may view and listen to the Zoning Board of Appeals hearing on the Town's website by typing <https://colonienny.iqm2.com/Citizens/Default.aspx> in your web browser. The public may present comments to the Board in person or by emailing infozba@colonie.org. (Emailed comments must be received at least 24 hours in advance). Such comments will be read and addressed by the Chairman during the hearing. Landlords are strongly encouraged to notify tenants of the contents of this notice.

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DATED March 20, 2025



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TAKE NOTICE that the Town of Colonie Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at the Public Operations Center, 347 Old Niskayuna Road, Latham, in the Town of Colonie, on the **15th day of January 2025, at 7:00 p.m.** to hear the appeal of **Paul Rinella** from the decision of the Building Department Director for the Town of Colonie denying the applicant a Building Permit for the premises located at **24 Lincoln Avenue**. The proposed construction of a 45 ft. x 45 ft. (2,025 sq. ft.) three-bay residential storage building on a vacant 7,500 sq. ft. corner lot with a 20 ft. front yard setback does not comply with the required 30 ft. minimum front yard setback as stated in the Town of Colonie Land Use Law, Article VI, Sections 190-24, 190-26, and 190 Attachment #3 – Dimensional Table for Prior Established Lots. Furthermore, the proposed construction of an accessory structure on a vacant lot is not a permitted use in a Single Family Residential (SFR) zoning district as stated in the Town of Colonie Land Use Law, Article V, Sections 190-18 and 190 Attachment #1 – Table of Permitted Uses. The Zoning Board of Appeals will hear the request for variance from the provisions of the Code of the Town of Colonie, Chapter 190 to permit such construction and use and a SEQR Determination for such appeal. The public may view and listen to the Zoning Board of Appeals hearing on the Town's website by typing <https://colonienny.iqm2.com/Citizens/Default.aspx> in your web browser. The public may present comments to the Board in person or by emailing infozba@colonie.org. (Emailed comments must be received at least 24 hours in advance). Such comments will be read and addressed by the Chairman during the hearing.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
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DATED December 24, 2024