Township of Wilmot Council Chambers, 60 Snyder's Road West, Baden Committee of Adjustment Minutes April 3, 2024

Present: T. Bowman

W. Roth C. Koehler S. Miller L. Lalonde

C. Miller - Senior Development Planner

I. OTHER BUSINESS

C. Koehler read the Territorial Acknowledgement.

II. MINOR VARIANCE SUBMISSIONS

1. Submission A-01/24 - Paul Mackie

RE: Part of Lot 10, Plan 532
Being Part 1 on 58R-4310
182 Shade Street, New Hamburg
Roll No: 301807001503002

Attendees: Paul Mackie

C. Miller introduced the application to the Committee.

Written Submissions:

From the Region of Waterloo indicating no concerns.

Motion:

L. Lalonde – C. Koehler: That the Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approve Submission A-01/24, by Paul Mackie, affecting Part of Lot 10, Plan 532, Being Part 1 on 58R-4310, to increase the maximum allowable height of an attic in a detached accessory building from 1.8 metres to approximately 2.4 metres.

Carried.

The Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approved Submission A-01/24 for the following reasons:

- 1. That the variance is minor in nature.
- 2. That the request maintains the intent of the Zoning By-law.

2. Submission A-02/24 - Ian Bater

RE: Part of Lot 7, Concession South of Erb's Road Being Part 1 on 58R-3699 1604 Notre Dame Drive Roll No: 301808000903410

Attendees: None.

C. Miller introduced the application to the Committee.

Written Submissions:

- 1. From the Region of Waterloo indicating no concerns.
- 2. From the Grand River Conservation Authority indicating no concerns.

Motion:

W. Roth – L. Lalonde: That the Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approve Submission A-02/24, by Ian Bater, affecting Part of Lot 7, Concession South of Erb's Road, Being Part 1 on 58R-3699, to reduce the required rear yard setback of a main building from 7.5 metres to approximately 4.25 metres to allow for a covered deck.

Carried.

The Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approved Submission A-02/24 for the following reasons:

1. That the variance is minor in nature.

2. That the request maintains the intent of the Zoning By-law.

III. CONSENT SUBMISSIONS

1. Submission B-03/24, B-04/24 & B-05/24 – Schneiders/Rare Charitable Research Reserve

RE: Part of Lots 1 & 2, Concession 2, Block B 1236 Carmel-Koch Road, 567 Wilmot Line & 585 Wilmot Line Roll No: 301808000810200, 301808000810100 & 301808000812200

Attendees: Tom Woodcock

C. Miller introduced B-03/24, B-04/24 & B-05/24 to the Committee.

W. Roth asked a clarifying question about parking.

Written Submissions:

- 1. From the Region of Waterloo indicating no concerns, subject to conditions.
- 2. From the Grand River Conservation Authority recommending approval.
- 3. From the Township of Wilmot indicating no concerns.

Motion:

That the Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approve Submission B-03/24, by Schneiders/Rare Charitable Research Reserve, affecting Part of Lot 2, Concession 2, Block B, to sever 44.8 hectares as a separate lot to be donated to Rare Charitable Research Reserve for conservation purposes while retaining 4.9 hectares as a non-farm lot, subject to the following:

- 1. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, the applicant shall pay the following:
 - a) any outstanding taxes on any part of the lands
 - b) any outstanding water charges on any part of the lands.
 - c) any outstanding local improvement charges;
- That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, Rare Charitable Research Reserve shall enter into a conservation easement, registered on title, with the Region of Waterloo for the proposed severed lands, to the satisfaction of the Region of Waterloo;
- 3. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, Township Official Plan Amendment 12 be finally approved;
- 4. That, consent of the Committee shall be deemed to be refused if conditions 1-3 are not complete within two years from the date notice of approval was given; and,
- 5. That the consent of the Committee shall lapse two years from the date of the approval.

And,

That the Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approve Submission B-04/24, by Schneiders/Rare Charitable Research Reserve, affecting Part of Lots 1 & 2, Concession 2, Block B, to sever 30.2 hectares as a lot addition to the lands created through Submission B-03/24 while retaining 5.66 hectares as a non-farm lot, subject to the following:

- 1. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, the applicant shall pay the following:
 - a) any outstanding taxes on any part of the lands
 - b) any outstanding water charges on any part of the lands.
 - c) any outstanding local improvement charges;
- 2. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, Rare Charitable Research Reserve shall enter into a conservation easement, registered on title, with the Region of Waterloo for the proposed severed lands, to the satisfaction of the Region of Waterloo;
- 3. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, Township Official Plan Amendment 12 be finally approved;
- 4. That Section 50(3) of the Planning Act apply to any future transaction or conveyance;
- 5. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, the applicant shall provide their solicitor's undertaking to:
 - a) register, upon completion of the transfer of this lot addition, an application to consolidate parcels; and,
 - b) provide a copy of the registered transfer and registered application to consolidate parcels to the Township upon completion of registration.
- 6. That, consent of the Committee shall be deemed to be refused if conditions 1-5 are not complete within two years from the date notice of approval was given; and,
- 7. That the consent of the Committee shall lapse two years from the date of the approval.

And,

That the Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approve Submission B-05/24, by Schneiders/Rare Charitable Research Reserve, affecting Part of Lot 1, Concession 2, Block B, to sever 19.8 hectares as a lot addition to the lands created through B-03/24 while retaining 1.2 hectares as a non-farm lot, subject to the following:

- 1. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, the applicant shall pay the following:
 - a) any outstanding taxes on any part of the lands
 - b) any outstanding water charges on any part of the lands.
 - c) any outstanding local improvement charges;
- 2. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, Rare Charitable Research Reserve shall enter into a conservation easement, registered on title, with the Region of Waterloo for the proposed severed lands, to the satisfaction of the Region of Waterloo;
- 3. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, Township Official Plan Amendment 12 be finally approved;
- 4. That Section 50(3) of the Planning Act apply to any future transaction or conveyance;
- 5. That, prior to the stamping of the deeds, the applicant shall provide their solicitor's undertaking to:
 - a) register, upon completion of the transfer of this lot addition, an application to consolidate parcels; and,
 - b) provide a copy of the registered transfer and registered application to consolidate parcels to the Township upon completion of registration.
- 6. That, consent of the Committee shall be deemed to be refused if conditions 1-5 are not complete within two years from the date notice of approval was given; and,
- 7. That the consent of the Committee shall lapse two years from the date of the approval.

Carried.

The Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approved Submission B-03/24, B-04/24 & B-05/24 for the following reasons:

- 1. That the applications implement the decision of Council through facilitating the donation of the severed lands for conservation purposes.
- 2. That the requests maintain the intent of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law.
- 2. Submission B-06/24 Demtec Enterprises Inc.

RE: Part of Lot 7, Concession South of Snyder's Road Being Part 1, Plan 58R-13205 1611 Snyder's Road East, Petersburg Roll No: 301803000507610

Attendees: None.

C. Miller introduced B-06/24 to the Committee.

Motion:

W. Roth – L. Lalonde: That the Wilmot Committee of Adjustment issue a Certificate of Cancellation under Section 53(45) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended, as it applies to lands originally severed by way of Consent B-13/01 and described as Part of Lot 7, Concession South of Snyder's Road, being Part 1, Plan 58R-13205, subject to the following:

- 1. That Section 50(12) of the Planning Act no longer apply to the subject lands.
- 2. That Section 50(3) of the Planning Act apply to any future transaction or conveyance.

Carried.

The Wilmot Committee of Adjustment approved Submission B-06/24 for the following reasons:

- 1. That the application facilitates the merger of two properties held in common ownership.
- 2. That the request maintains the intent of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law.

IV. MINUTES

Motion:

S. Miller – C. Koehler: That Wilmot Township Committee of Adjustment approve the minutes of the March 6, 2024 meeting.

Carried.

V. NEXT MEETING

May 1, 2024 at 7:00PM - To be held in the Council Chambers, 60 Snyder's Road West, Baden.