

City of Stamford

Planning Board • Land Use Bureau

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## APPLICATION FOR MAP CHANGE OF THE STAMFORD MASTER PLAN

Complete, notarize and forward twelve (12) copies to the Clerk of the Planning Board with a \$1,000.00 Public Hearing Fee and the requested application filing fee (see Fee Schedule below) payable to the City of Stamford. NOTE: COST OF REQUIRED ADVERTISEMENTS ARE PAYBLE BY THE APPLICANT.

Fee Schedule:		Annual Second
Master Plan Map Change - one (1) Acre or Less	\$500.00	#25 279 \$ #25/5/9 #25/5/9 #25/5/9
Master Plan Map Change - one (1) Acre or More	\$500.00 plus \$1,000.00 per acre or portion thereof	
Public Hearing Coo	in excess of one (1) acre.	
Public Hearing Fee	\$1,000.00	10.00
APPLICANT NAME(S): Sound Beach Landing LLC		
APPLICANT ADDRESS: C/O Joseph Capalbo, 1100 Sur	mmer Street, Stamford	Parties and a second
APPLICANT PHONE#: (203) 324-8882		
	STAMFORD?YES	
LOCATION OF PROPERTY IN STAMFORD OWNED BY APPL	LICANT(S):	
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PROPOSED MAP CHANGE:		77/16/2022
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	S APPLICATION LIE WITH:N 500 FEET OF THE BORDER LINE WITH [If YES, notification must be sent to the Town Clerk of the of receipt of application - PA 87-307).	
SIGNED:  NOTE: An application cannot be scheduled for a Public the Stamford Planning Board. If the applicant wishes to	Hearing until 35 days have elapsed from the date of referral to withdraw the application, please notify the Planning Board at the Board may have sufficient time to publicize the withdrawal.	
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APPL. # Received in	the office of the Planning Board: (Date)  PLANNING BO	ARD

## **SCHEDULE A**

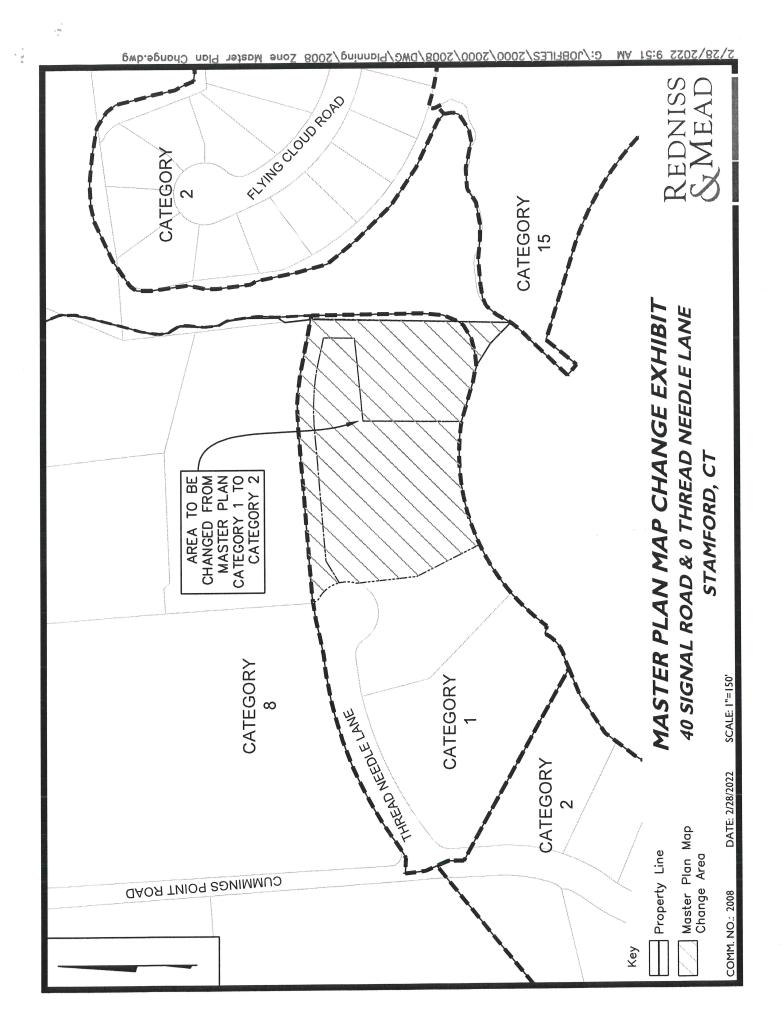
All those two (2) certain tracts of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the city of Stamford in the county of Fairfield and state of Connecticut, known and designated as Lots No. 11 and 12 on a certain map entitled "Map Showing Lot Line Change Prepared for Stuart S. Williams, Stamford, Connecticut", now on file in the office of the Town Clerk of said Stamford and numbered 10325, reference thereto being had for a more particular description thereof.

Together with an easement of way over all existing private roads of Soundview Farms for the purpose of ingress and egress to the main highway or highways in common with others to whom said right has been given or may hereafter be given but subject to a reservation in favor of said Soundview Farms, its successors and assigns, of the right to alter and change the location of said roads, provided equivalent roads are furnished for ingress and egress to the main highway.

Together also with an easement of way for all lawful purposes including access for public utilities in, over and upon Cummings Point Road as shown on a certain survey entitled "Map Showing Subdivision Prepared for Sound View Farms Stamford, Conn." now on file in the office of the Town Clerk of said Stamford and numbered 9485, reference thereto being had and in the event said Cummings Point Road, as shown on said map, is widened, said easement of way shall be in, over and upon said road as widened.

Together also with an easement of way for all lawful purposes, including access for public utilities, to and from said premises, to and from Cummings Point Road as shown on said map numbered 9485, in, over and upon the roads shown on said map numbered 9492, including Thread Needle Lane, and in, over, and upon a strip of land bounded Easterly 31.58 feet by the Westerly terminus of said Thread Needle Lane; Southerly 25.14 feet by the present Stamford zone boundary line between the Industrial Park District zone and the R-7-1/2 zone; Westerly 65.97 feet by Cummings Point Road as shown on said map; Northeasterly and Northerly 32 feet by "Parcel A" on said Map #9492.

Together with all the rights, privileges and easements of way and use contained in certain grants from Soundview Farms and recorded in Book 1408 at page 41, Book 1595 at page 215, and in Book 1595 at Page 216, all in the Stamford Land Records.



## PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The applicant, Sound Beach Landing LLC, is the owner of two adjacent tracts of land located in Block 25, Zone RA-1, Master Plan Designation 1 and commonly known as 40 Signal Road (002-8017) and 0 Threadneedle Lane (003-1160) (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Parcel").

The applicant is filing this application intending to chnage the above referenced property from Master Plan Category 1 to Master Plan Category 2. If approved the applicant will pursue an application with the Zoning Board for a change in the Zoning Map from RA-1 to R-20 and an application for a change to the text of the Zoning Regulations to permit the conversion of a commercial building into residential dwellings in the R-20 Zone. The development will also require an Application for Site Plan Review as well as other customary waterfront approvals from the Harbor Commission and Environmental Protection Board as well as CAM approval.

The parcel currently designated Master Plan Designation 1 and zoned RA-1, maintains a legally non-conforming corporate office facility with 2 parking lots. The combined parcels have been used as commercial offices for a substantial period providing corporate office space for various entities over the years. There are presently ten (10) separate tenants occupying the building.

The parcel is surrounded to the west by a legally non-confining office building with associated parking. That building, according to assessor's records, maintains slightly over 19,000 square feet in gross floor area, and is the headquarters of Geneve Corporation. To the north and northwest lies corporate parks and various headquarters including the corporate headquarters of Point 72 Asset Management. These properties are zoned IP-D, Designed Industrial Park District, and as the zoning designation would indicate, are characterized by various commercial and industrial uses along with the requisite associated parking. Within close proximity to the site are the corporate headquarters of Conair and Gartner. To the east is the Dolphin Cove Lagoon, a privately owned body of water. The Dolphin Cove Community is situated directly across and adjacent to the lagoon. Dolphin Cove is comprised of single-family homes developed in accordance with the requirements of the R-7½ zone. To the south of the subject parcel is the Long Island Sound.

The present commercial building is just about 11,000 square feet in area. Between the two parcels there is parking totaling in excess of 4,000 square feet of paved area. The parcel also maintains a boat dock extending into the Long Island Sound. There is  $\pm$  300 feet of beach front on Long Island Sound. Current access is via Signal Road through to Gatehouse Road.

The applicant ultimately intends to construct single-family waterfront residences in accordance with the proposed Zoning Regulations for the R-20 Zone. Parking for each dwelling is intended to be satisfied with enclosed garage area spaces. Various ancillary and accessory uses may also be proposed.

The applicants intend is to construct up to 5 single family dwellings.



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RE:

SOUND BEACH LANDING LLC 40 SIGNAL ROAD (002-8017) 0 THREADNEEDLE LANE (003-1160)

## **AUTHORIZATION**

The undersigned, being a duly authorized Member of SOUND BEACH LANDING, LLC, applicant to various applications before the City of Stamford Land Use Boards and owner of the properties at 40 Signal Road and 0 Threadneedle Lane as identified above, does hereby authorize Attorney Joseph J. Capalbo II and/or Richard Redniss, as its duly authorized representatives, to prepare, file and present any and all such applications, documents, information and evidence as is or may be necessary or required on its behalf.

SOUND BEACH LANDING LLC:

Christopher Franco, Member

January 26, 2021