

F.1.a.d 1475 Fort Street: Update on Development Permit with Variances Application No. 00120 (Rockland)

Moved By Councillor Potts
Seconded By Councillor Alto

That, subject to the preparation and execution of the following legal agreements in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor:

- a. A Housing Agreement to secure rental tenure of the dwelling units in perpetuity while allowing all or a portion of the dwelling units to be leased to a third party housing provider for non-market housing, to the satisfaction of the Director of Sustainable Planning and Community Development
- b. A Section 219 covenant to ensure that the dwelling units are not strata titled, to the satisfaction of the Director of Sustainable Planning and Community Development
- c. A section 219 covenant to secure a Statutory Right-of-Way of 0.72m along Fort Street, to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering and Public Works.
- d. An agreement to secure sixteen car share memberships, to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering and Public Works

That Council, after giving notice and allowing an opportunity for public comment at a meeting of Council, consider the following motion:

“That Council authorize the issuance of Development Permit with Variance Application No. 00120 for 1475 Fort Street, in accordance with:

1. Plans date stamped October 19, 2020
2. Development meeting all Zoning Regulation Bylaw requirements, except for the following variances:
 - i. reduce the vehicle parking from 45 stalls to 26 stalls;
 - ii. reduce the visitor parking from 3 stalls to 2 stalls;
 - iii. increase the building height from 12 metres to 12.92 metres;
 - iv. reduce the front setback from 10.5 metres to 1.81 metres (entrance canopy) and 3.53 metres (building);
 - v. reduce the rear setback from 6.46 metres to 3.96 metres;
 - vi. reduce the east side yard setback from 6.46 metres to 3.05 metres (balconies and entrance canopy) and 4.93 metres (building);
 - vii. reduce the west side yard setback from 6.46 metres to 3.86 metres (balconies) and 5.75 metres (building);
 - viii. increase the site coverage from 40 percent to 47 percent;
 - ix. allow for an accessory structure to be located in the front yard rather than the rear yard.

3. Final plans generally in accordance with the plans date stamped October 19, 2020 with the following revisions:
 - i. changes to the panhandle driveway to comply with the Highway Access Bylaw and BC Building Code requirements, to the satisfaction of the Director of Engineering and Public Works
 - ii. Relabel the proposed bylaw replacement trees to ensure replacement trees are provided on site, to the satisfaction of the Director of Parks, Recreation and Facilities
4. The Development Permit lapsing two years from the date of this resolution.”

Motion to refer:

Moved By Councillor Isitt

Seconded By Councillor Dubow

That this matter be referred to staff to work with the applicant to address concerns around privacy and tree removal.

Council discussed the following:

- *Input recent received from the public*
- *Rental applications in the city*

FOR (4): Councillor Thornton-Joe, Councillor Dubow, Councillor Isitt, Councillor Young

OPPOSED (5): Mayor Helps, Councillor Alto, Councillor Andrew, Councillor Potts, Councillor Loveday

DEFEATED (4 to 5)

On the main motion:

FOR (6): Mayor Helps, Councillor Alto, Councillor Andrew, Councillor Dubow, Councillor Potts, Councillor Loveday

OPPOSED (3): Councillor Thornton-Joe, Councillor Isitt, Councillor Young

CARRIED (6 to 3)