# Plattsburgh, New York

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CLASS B VARIANCE

\_\_\_\_SUP SPECIAL USE PERMIT

Date: 3/7/22		Appeal No 2014
An application is hereby made to allow the property use as herein	o the Zoning Board of Appeals pursu described.	ant to the City of Plattsburgh Zoning Ordinance for a variance to
Applicant:	Frontier Property Manag	ement, Inc.
Applicant's Address:	16 Flaglar Dr.	
	Plattsburgh, NY 12901	
Telephone No.:		
Parcel Identification:	207.74-2-22	
Location of Request:	30 Brinkerhoff Street	
Property Owner:	Frontier Property Manag	
Request Description:	Area Variance for a 2.34	% reduction of lot depth.
Zoning District:	С	
Section Appealed:	§360-14G	
Previous Appeal:	No.: N/A	Date:
Identify Applicant's Right to Ap	oply for Variance:	
Ownership: X	Long Term Lease:	Contract To Purchase:
Other (Please Explain):		
13 copies of existing	ances must be accompanied by: and proposed site plan plus orig and proposed floor plan.	inal application.
provided they are directly r consistent with the spirit and	elated to and incidental to the	tions and restrictions on the grant of area and use variances proposed use of the property. Such conditions shall be shall be imposed for the purpose of minimizing any adverse munity.

\*Signatures other than Property Owner require a Letter of Authorization to apply.

# Area or Dimensional Variances

Area variances may be granted where setback, frontage, lot size or yard requirements of this Code cannot be reasonably met. In making it's determination the ZBA shall take into consideration the benefit to the applicant if the variance is granted, as weighed against the detriment to the health, safety and welfare of the neighborhood or community by such grant. In making such determinations the board shall also consider the following criteria:

Please give a written response to each section.

- (1) Will an undesirable change be produced to the character of the neighborhood or a detriment to nearby properties be created by the granting of the area variance?
- No. The existing parking lot to be subdivided from the former bank building will remain unchanged. The former bank building lot (requiring the variance) historically existed on an undersized lot prior to a merger of Tax Map Lots by others.
- (2) Can the benefit sought by the applicant be achieved by some method, feasible to the applicant to pursue, other than an area variance?
- No. Without the separation of the parking lot from the building lot, it is not feasible to sell the Tax Map parcel as it exists. The subdivision as presented is in the best interest for Lot 1 and Lot 2(with merged lots) with easements provided to the parties involved.
- (3) Is the requested area variance substantial? No. The request is only a 2.0% reduction in lot depth.
- (4) Will the proposed variance have an adverse effect or impact on the physical or environmental conditions in the neighborhood?
  - No. The existing parking lot to be subdivided from the former bank building will physically remain unchanged. The former bank building lot (requiring the variance) ,historically existed on undersized lots prior to a merger of Tax Map Lots, will physically also remain unchanged.
- (5) Has the alleged difficulty been self-created? This information shall be relevant to the decision of the board but shall not necessarily preclude granting of the variance.
  - No. The Tax Map Parcel being subdivided is a parcel that consisted of a number of parcels purchased by The National Savings Bank of the City of Albany and brought together, by individual descriptions, into one deed, the current tax map parcel.

Frontier Property Management, Inc. 30 Brinkerhoff Street Area Variance Request

## **Project Narrative**

The Applicant currently has a tax map parcel (207.74-2-22) that fronts on Brinkerhoff Street, Marion Street and Protection Avenue. The Applicant's ownership of this property with Deed File Number 2004-170990, includes a number of parcels that comprise the current tax parcel 22 but also includes other lands, Tax Map Parcel 207.74-2-21. The parcel consists of a former bank building and parking lot area.

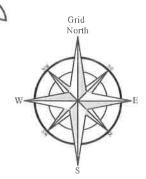
The Applicant proposes to subdivide Parcel 22 into two lots, Lot No. 1 will include the existing bank building and Lot No. 2 will include the remaining lands or the parking lot. The Bank Building lot will comprise of parcels that existed well prior to the Applicant acquiring ownership of the land. Lot No. 2 will consist of the parking lot, which also consists of a number of parcels described in the existing title deed. The individual parcels described in the existing title deed were stand along parcels prior to the 1930's, and were over time, purchased by the Merchant's National Bank, an entity that evolved in name over time and eventually became NBT Bank, NA. It is during this time frame that additional parcels were purchased and eventually became known as Tax Map Parcel 207.74-2-22 and 207.74-2-21.

The Applicant desires to create a parcel, Lot No. 1 that reverts the parcel back to a lot that was originally the "bank building lot". The balance of the lot, Lot No. 2 will remain as is now used, a parking lot and provide access to parking for the bank building lot and use to others.

The proposed lot, Lot No. 1 depth, using an average, will only be 98 feet, which is deficient of the 100 foot depth required by zoning. This part of the bulk area controls is the only deficiency and is 2% deviation from the required 100 foot.

The current bulk area controls allow for a 0 setback and if a setback is provided, the minimum setback requirement is 12 foot. A 12 foot setback from the existing north face of the building will create an undo hardship for the remaining lands, Lot No. 2. The parking lot as it now exists, provides ample dimensions for parking stalls and travel lane between the parking stalls, any deviation will create spacing issues. The proposed submittal, provides the best development.

The Applicant requests an area variance from Article 5, Section 360-14G of the City's Zoning Ordinance.



#### Reference Mans

1."Peter Sally Village Lots, Church Alley" Filed at the Clinton County Clerk's Office as Map B-52

2."Samuel F. Vilas Subdivision, Brinkerhoff Street Margaret Street, Marion Street & Church Alley" Dated July 4, 1827 Filed at the Clinton County Clerk's Office In Deed Volume 48 at Page 93

3. Certain Vilas Subdivision Lots, Brinkerhoff Street & Marion Street Filed at the Clinton County Clerk's Office as Map 8-119

4."Map of Plattaburgh National Bank Property Corner of Brinkerhoff & Margaret Streets, Showing Portion of Gold Street" Dated January 8, 1954 Map Prepared by R.H. Ladus, L.S. Filed at the Clinton County Clerk's Office as Map B-275

5. Plot Plan & Survey Map of Property of Dock & Coal Co., Inc., 18 Marion St. & 17 Protection Ave., City of Plattsburgh Clinton County, New York Dated August 30, 1961 Map Prepared by R.H. Ladue, L.S. Filed at the Clinton County Clerk's Office in Map Book 1 at Page 90

6."Plot Plan-Map of Building Locations & Property of Est. of David Steams & Biair Est., 79-85 Margaret St. & 7-9 Protection Ave., City of Pictusburgh Clinton County, New York" Dated March 16, 1960 (Last Revised 4/25/63) Map Prepared by R.H. Ladue, L.S. Filed at the Clinton County Clerk's Office In Map Book 1 at Page 172

7."Map of Building Location 7 Plot Plan of the "Laravie" Bid'g at 15 Protection Ave., City of Plattaburgh, Clinton County, New York. Sold To: The National Savings Bank of the City of Albany. Map Dated February 19, 1979

#### City of Plattsburgh Planning Board Notes:

All Electrical relocation or new service requires City of Plattsburgh Permits and can be obtained from the Plattsburgh Municipal Lighting Department (PMLD). After obtaining the necessary permits, the project construction schedule shall be coordinated with PMLD within 72 hours advance notice for all work.

#### Man Notes:

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- not covered by this certificate.
- not covered by this certificate.

  7. Location of existing underground utilities or wetlands, if any, are not shown hereon.

  8. Riparian rights, if any, have not been established as a result of this survey.

  9. Subject to any encumbrances of record or those discoverable by inspection.

  10. The current Tax Map Shows Gold Street extending along the northerly side of

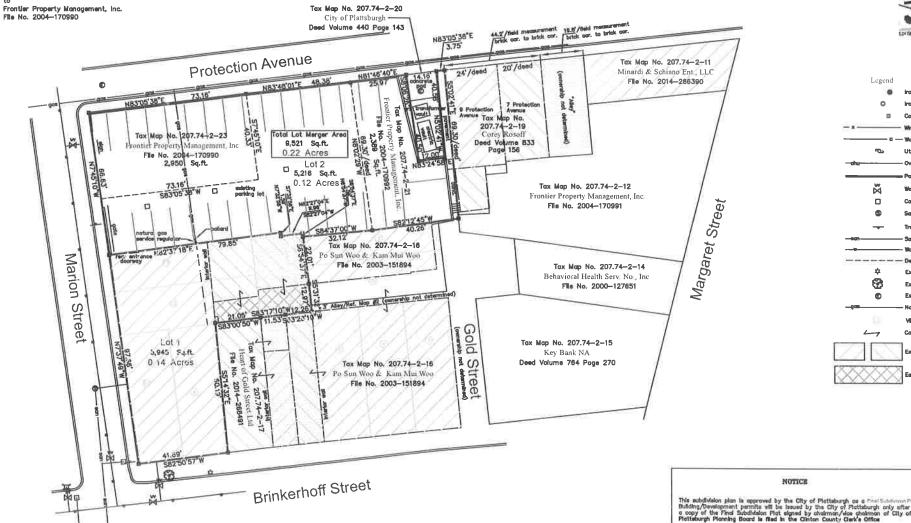
  Tax Map Nos. 207.74—2—16 & 207.74—2—17. The title deed for 207.74—2—22 includes,
  in part, the northerly portion of "Custom House Place", which is part of a tax map

  Gold Street". Title ownership of this area is by Tax Map No. 207.74—2—22, with an exception
  to "a right of passage" over this same area.

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Zoning Tabl	e		Existing Conditions			Proposed Conditions
Description	Required - Zone C	Lol 1 & Lol 2	Tax Map No. 207 74-2-23	Tax Map No. 207.74-2-21	Lot 1	T.M Nos 207 74-2-21 207 74-2-23 & Lot 2
Lot Size	5,000 sq.ft	11,161 sq.ft	2,950 sq.ft	2,389 sq.fl	5,945 sq.ft	9,521 sq ft
Lot Width	50' Min	120.10' (avg)	40.33"	34.99' (avg)*	88.17' (avg)	69.56' (avg)
Lot Depth	100' Min.	164.38' (avg)	73.16'*	69,30"	98.0' (avg)	156.73' (avg)
Front Yard Setback	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Side Yard Setback	None Required	None Required	None Required	None Required	None Required	None Required
Rear Yard Selback	None Required	None Required	None Required	None Required	None Required	None Required
Maximum Building Coverage	100%	53%	0%	0%	100%	0%

Pre-existing Non-Conforming

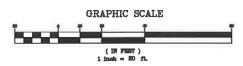
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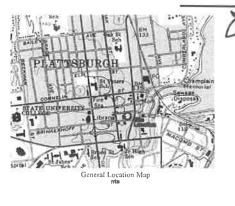
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Tax Map Nos. 207.74-2-22 & 207.74-2-23

Frontier Property Management, Inc.



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Project Drawing No. 21-114	Sheet Drawing No. 1 of 1



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Per Planning Board Resolution this Subdivision Plat is hereby certified to be in

CITY PERLIMINARY SURDIVISION PLAT APPROVAL

Note: The Issuance of this authorization, approved or permit does not relieve the project applicant/sponsor of any responsibility for obtaining any other approvals/permits from any other federal, state, or local approv including the US Army Carps of Engineers (USACE) which may be required.

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compliance thereefth.

Clinton County Real Property Certifies that this subdivision map Pertains to tax map # 207 74-2-22, # 207 74-2-21 & # 207 74-2-23

Clinton County Treasurer Tox Map Nos.: 207.74-2-22 207.74-2-21 207.74-2-23

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Map Showing Detailed Preliminary/Final Plan

Frontier Property Management, Inc. Subdivision 2022

Tax Map No. 207, 74-2-22

Brinkerhoff Street, Marion Street & Protection Avenue City of Plattsburgh Clinton County, New

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## CITY OF PLATTSBURGH PLANNING BOARD

# REVIEW AND RESOLUTION OF FRONTIER PROPERTY SUBDIVISION 30 BRINKERHOFF STREET

EXHIBIT 1: FRONTIER PROPERTY SUBDIVISION PACKET

EXHIBIT 2: FRONTEIR PROPERTY SUBDIVISION SKETCH MAP

EXHIBIT 3: FRONTIER PROPERTY MANAGEMENT PROJECT NARRATIVE

EXHIBIT 4: STAFF REPORT

EXHIBIT 5: SUBDIVISION CHECKLIST

EXHIBIT 6: SUBDIVISION DRAWINGS (COLORATION BY STAFF)

EXHIBIT 7: DRAFT SKETCH MINOR SUBDIVISION RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION NOTIFICATION LETTER TO APPLICANT



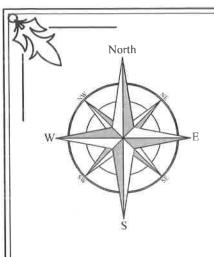
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# TO BE COMPLETED BY OWNER OF TITLE OF THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

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Tax Map Parcel(s	207.74-2-22		Zoning Dist	rict(s):	· • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
Application:	Subdivision	Site Plan	Special Use Permit	Use Variance	Area Variance
That Frontier	Property Manag	oment Inc	of New York, County of Clir		poses and says:
1. That he the county of	she resides at 16 Fla	aglar Dr, Platts	burgh lew York	hat he/she is the owner o	of the within Property
			oregoing application for		
			true to the best of his/her		
2. That we here	by authorize Dean 1	1. Lashway			to act as our
representative in	all matters regarding	the application the	it may come before the City	of Plattsburgh Plann	ing Zoning Board.
4. That he/she making a determ has examined this	understands that the ( ination to issue the red is affidavit and that it i	City of Plattsburgh quested application s true and correct.	ne making of said application  Planning / Zoning Board into a sand approvals and that ure in the said application in the said	ends to rely on the torego ider penalty of parjury he,	she declares that he/she
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7. That he/she	understands that the a	pproval or disappr	oval of this su <b>bdivision / s</b> it	e plan/ special use permi	t by the Planning Board
	11	support for any red	quired expansion of any spe	clal (Mghway, sewer) water	r, fire ar other) district.
	Owner Signature	$\bigcirc$		Owner Signature	
Sworn to before m	e thisd day	of JANU	2022		
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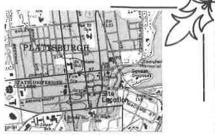
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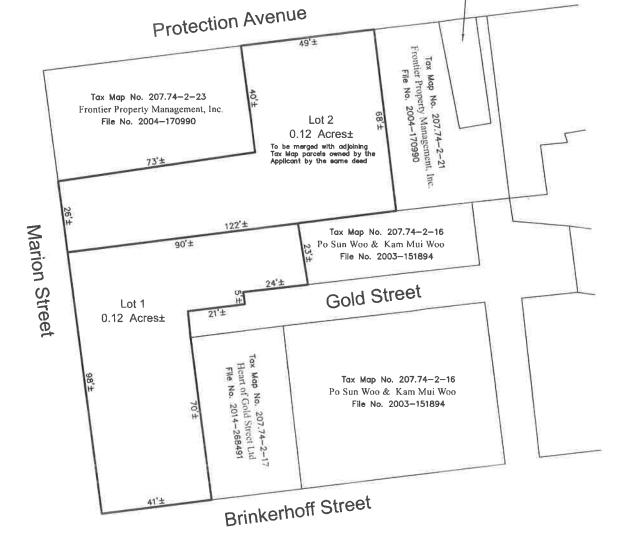
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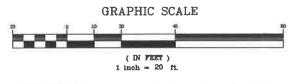
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Map Showing Sketch Plan Of

# Frontier Property Management, Inc. Subdivision 2022

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The existing build	ing would be an on one subdivisi	on lot and the parking lot would be on t	he second lot, which is intended to be
merged with adj	olning Tax Map Parcels owner	by the Applicant by the same deed	<u> </u>
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The unders	rigned hereby requests subdivision plat	ests approval by the F	Planning Board of the
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Type or print neatly only. Complete all blanks

- 2. Submit completed application, fee and one location map, sketch plan, survey/subdivision plat, existing and proposed conditions, details and all information as required by the Subdivision Ordinance, Article 6, "Documents to be Submitted." Also submit a completed PART I SEQR REVIEW Form (Attached). The application will be reviewed by the Engineering Department for completeness and verification that all required information is provided. After review and acceptance the application will be returned and the applicant is to submit fifteen (15) sets of the approved application and required information.
- 3. Submit completed applications and attachments to:

Engineering & Planning Dept 41 City Hall Place Plattsburgh, N.Y. 12901

518)563-7730

NOTE: A sub-division review request cannot be placed on the Planning Board Agenda until the Engineering and Planning Dept. certifies the submittal is complete and contains all information as required.

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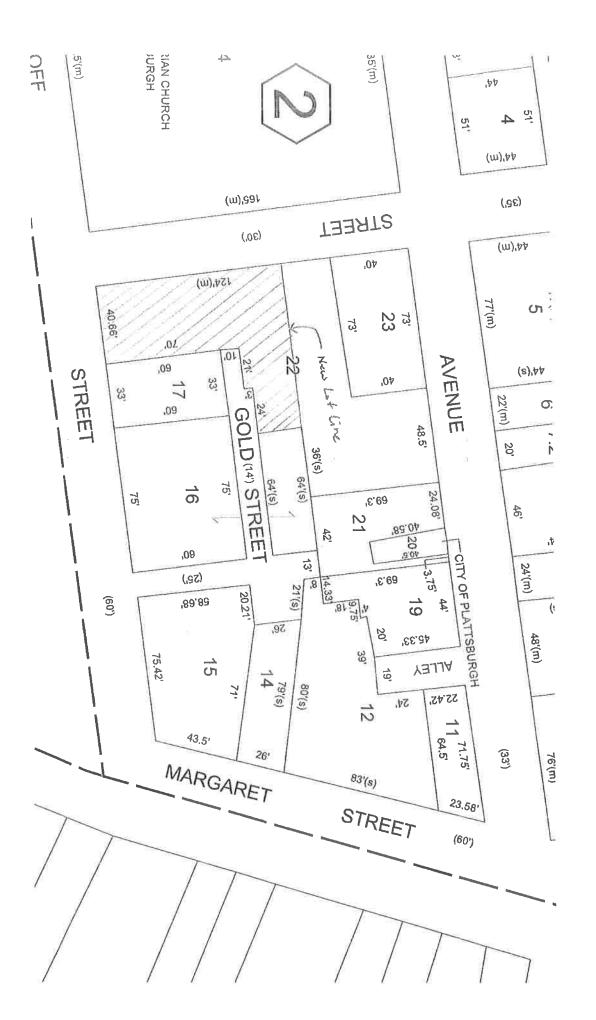
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	b.	. Consistent with the adopted comprehensive plan?		V	
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ο.	15	the proposed action consistent with the predominant character of the existing built or natural landscape?			V
7.	Is	s the site of the proposed action located in, or does it adjoin, a state listed Critical Environmental Area?		NO	YES
lf 1	/es	s, Identify:		V	
8.	_	. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels?		NO	YES
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	b	. Are public transportation services available at or near the site of the proposed action?			V
	¢	. Are any pedestrian accommodations or bicycle routes available on or near the site of the proposed action?			V
9.	Г	Does the proposed action meet or exceed the state energy code requirements?		NO	YES
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11	7	Will the proposed action connect to existing wastewater utilities?		NO	YES
		If No, describe method for providing wastewater treatment: N/A			
				V	
12	_	. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or distri	ct	NO	YES
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	t	b. Would the proposed action physically alter, or encroach into, any existing wetland or waterbody?			
lf	Ye	s, identify the wetland or waterbody and extent of alterations in square feet or acres:			
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1AX MAP 207,74

#### Resolution No. 22-04

Motion by: James Abdallah

WHEREAS, the City Planning Board has received and reviewed a Sketch Plan Application, Sketch Plan, and supplemental materials for:

#### Frontier Property Management Subdivision 2022

Request for a minor subdivision of Tax Map Parcel ID # 207.74-2-22 creating an approximately .12 acre new buildable lot to be retained and an approximately .12 acre lot with existing improvements to be sold. Buildable lot to be merged with parcels 207.74-2-23 and 207.74-2-21. Located at 30 Brinkerhoff Street. Zoned C. Tax Map Parcel ID # 207.74-2-22. Area variance needed. **Applicant:** Frontier Property Management **Plan Preparer:** Dean Lashway, L.S., P.C.

#### MINOR SUBDIVISION SKETCH PLAN REVIEW

WHEREAS, Part 617 of the Environmental Conservation Law - "State Environmental Quality Review Act" (SEQRA), provides for the review of any "ACTION" to determine the effect of the action on the environment, along with any related administrative procedures for the implementation, authorization or approval of the action; and

WHEREAS, said Part 617 of the Environmental Conservation Law provides for an involved agency to review any action for the purpose of determining the effect of said action on the environment; and

WHEREAS, said determination of the effect of said action on the environment will be necessary to determine whether a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) is required; and

WHEREAS, the City's Planning Board is considered an involved agency in accordance with State and Local Laws for the purpose of assessing the effect of this "Project" on the environment and whether or not said effect is significant enough to warrant the preparation of a DEIS; and

RESOLVED, that the City of Plattsburgh Planning Board after a review of the said application, sketch plan, EAF and recommended checklist items does hereby determine that the proposed project is as checked below:

	An action involving a Federal Agency - A final EIS for the action has been duly prepared under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and a findings statement pursuant to NYS Environmental Law Part 617.11 will be prepared by the Town's Planning Board.
□ Cou	Type I Action - a coordinated review is being conducted by the City of Plattsburgh Common uncil and GEIS prepared for SEQR determination
	Type II Action - no further environmental review is necessary;
$\boxtimes$	Unlisted Action:

# Frontier Property Management, Inc. Subdivision 2022 Marion Street and Protection Avenue

The proposed subdivision is located at the intersection of Marion Street and Protection Avenue. The parcel consists of a former Bank Building and parking lot. The proposed subdivision would consists of separating the building from the parking lot with a new lot line. The parking lot, Lot 2, would be merged with other adjoining lands of the Applicant as part of the subdivision process. There is no new building lot. The existing building that will be located on Lot No. 1, would have access to the necessary parking lot, as it has had in the past, and the designated parking stalls would be made part of any deed conveyance.



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Tom Cosgro, Alt.
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Barbara Brister, Sr. Clerk

#### STAFF REPORT

#### Request:

The owner is Frontier Property Management. Plan Preparer is Dean Lashway, L.S. The Applicant proposes a minor subdivision of an approximately 0.24+/- acre parcel with existing improvements into two parcels, creating a new 0.12-acre lot to be merged with TMP# 207.74-2-23 and TMP# 207.74-2-21 and retaining 0.12 acres at 30 Brinkerhoff Street (TMP #207.74-2-22). The property is zoned C.

#### **Application Analysis**

- 1. The approximate 0.24-acre parcel is bounded on the south by Brinkerhoff Street, on the west by Marion Street, and a portion on the north by Protection Alley.
- 2. Existing improvements are located on the proposed "Lot 1" portion including the vacant Merchants National Bank, and former home of the North Country Cultural Center for the Arts.
- 3. The proposed "Lot 2" portion of the site is a paved parking lot.
- 4. The Jean Arthur mural is on the rear of the building facing Protection Alley.
- 5. The Applicant proposes to subdivide the existing structure from the parcel and merge the remaining vacant lot with two adjoining vacant lots on the east and west also owned by the Applicant.
- 6. The Applicant proposes to file a parking easement in the office of the Clinton County Clerk for the use of the lot by future owners of the Bank building.
- 7. The project is located within the boundary of the Downtown Special Assessment District.
- 8. The Applicant is not proposing future improvements to Lot 2 (the parking lot).
- 9. No additional parking demand is noted.
- 10. A member of the Building Inspector's office has provided verbal indication that area variances will be required for Lot 1. Note that Lot 2 would also need a variance **if there is no condition placed upon the approval for merger.**

#### Classification:

The project proposed subdivision of four or fewer lots. It is recommended that the Planning Board classify the project as a minor subdivision.

#### **SEQRA:**

The project has provided the Part 1 EAF as attached. No significant adverse impacts were identified for this project. It is the recommendation of the Community Development Department that the Planning Board consider, based on the information and analysis of Part 2 of the EAF that the proposed action **WILL NOT** result in any significant adverse environmental impacts and does further recommend that the Planning Board find a **NEGATIVE DETERMINATION** of significance for this project.

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#### STAFF REPORT

#### **Staff Comments:**

- 1. It is recommended that the planning board classify the subdivision as a minor subdivision.
- 2. It is recommended that the Applicant provide a zoning table.
- 3. It is recommended that the Applicant review and address any missing information in the attached Sketch Subdivision Checklist. The following additional information is needed:
  - a. All existing structures or significant physical features within the portion to be subdivided and within 200 feet thereof.
  - b. Contours at intervals of not more than five feet.
  - c. Utilities
  - d. Systems of drainage, sewerage, and water supply within the subdivided area.
  - e. Existing easements, covenants, and zoning lines
- 4. It is recommended that, in addition to the missing information identified in Staff Comment #3, the Applicant add the following information to any subdivision plat presented for Final Review:
  - a. A copy of such covenants or deed restrictions as are intended to cover all or part of the tract. Such covenants or deed restrictions shall be noted on the plat.
  - b. All private on-site sanitation and water supply facilities. A note of compliance with all State and County Departments of Health minimum specifications shall be included on the plat.
  - c. The corners of the tract shall be located on the ground and marked by monuments and shall be shown on the plat.
- 5. It is recommended that the Applicant seek area variances from the Zoning Board of Appeals as apply to the proposed subdivision and determined by the Building Inspector.
- 6. It is recommended that the planning board provide a written recommendation to the Zoning Board of Appeals regarding any identified variances in accordance with GCT §33 Paragraph 6.
- 7. It is recommended that the planning board condition approval of the proposed subdivision on the merger of Lot 2 with the TMP 207.74-2-23 and 207.74-2-21.
- 8. It is recommended that the planning board condition approval upon the filing of the proposed parking easement for Lot 1 with the County Clerk, and that the filing index number be listed as note on the Final Plat.
- 9. It is recommended that the planning board condition approval upon the City Chamberlain confirming that the project parcel is not delinquent any prior year tax obligation to the City.
- 10. It is recommended that the Planning Board condition approval of the subdivision upon the satisfaction of any review comments provided by other City Departments.

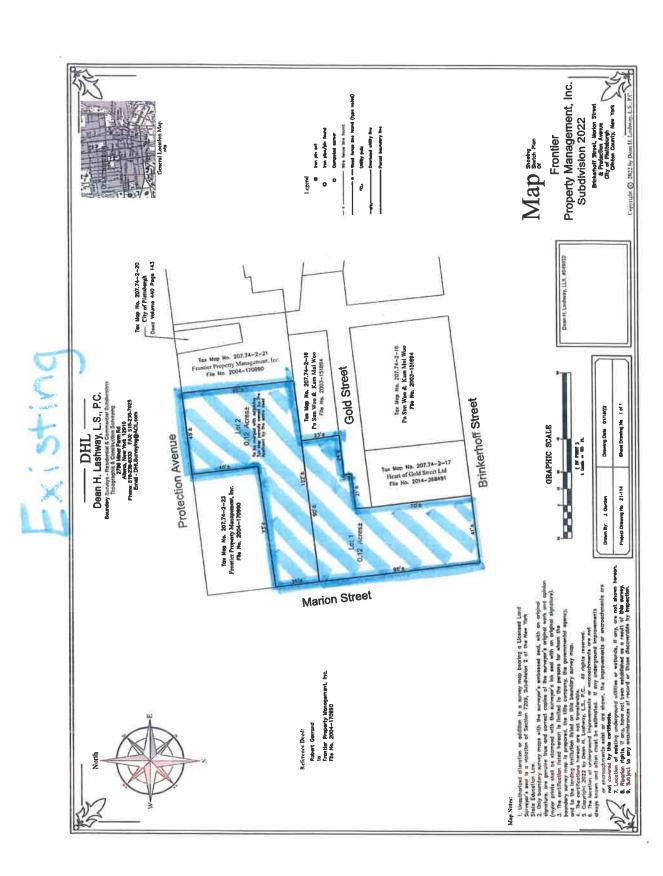
#### Conclusion

In light of the above, it is the recommendation of the Community Development Staff that the Planning Board accept the Sketch Plan and, upon satisfaction of the comments noted within the Application Analysis, the project may proceed to preliminary review pursuant to the aforementioned staff analysis, staff comments, department comments, and any planning board member comments or modification requests made during review by the Planning Board.

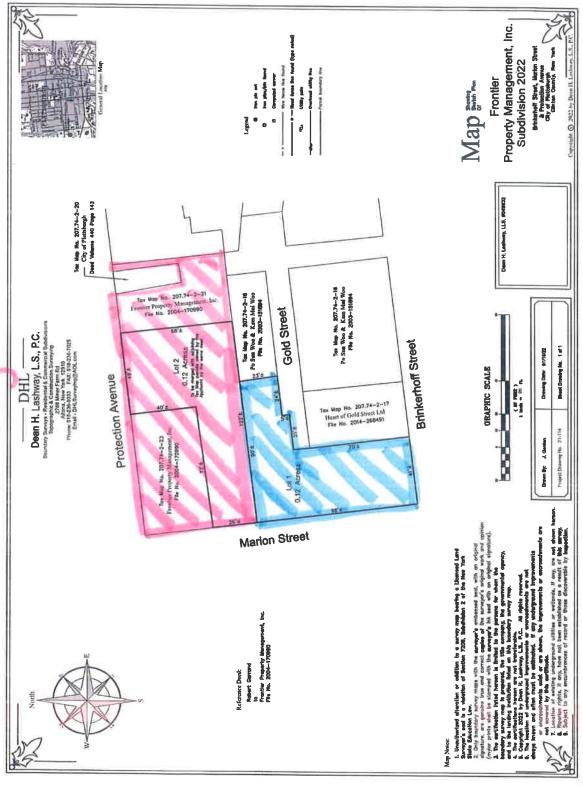
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# City of Plattsburgh Minor Subdivision Checklist

Yes	No	N/A	Subdivision Review Requirements		
Project:			22-04: Frontier Property Management Subdivision 2022		
§ 300-21 Sketch Plan.					
The sketch plan initially submitted to the Planning Board shall be based on Tax Map information or some other similarly accurate base map at a scale (preferably not less than 200 feet to the inch) to enable the entire tract to be shown on one sheet. The sketch plan shall be submitted, showing the following information:					
			The location of that portion which is to be subdivided in relation to the entire tract, and the distance to the nearest existing street intersection.		
	$\boxtimes$	All existing structures, wooded areas, streams and other significant physifeatures, within the portion to be subdivided and within 200 feet there.  Contours shall also be indicated at intervals of not more than five feet.			
$\boxtimes$			The name of the owner and of all adjoining property owners as disclosed by the most recent municipal tax records.		
$\boxtimes$			The Tax Map sheet, block and lot numbers, if available.		
	$\boxtimes$		All the utilities available and all streets which are either proposed, mapped built.		
	$\boxtimes$		The proposed pattern of lots, including lot width and depth, street layout, recreation areas, business areas, systems of drainage, sewerage and water supply within the subdivided area.		
			All existing restrictions on the use of land including easements, covenants or zoning lines.		
	$\boxtimes$		Any other data deemed pertinent by the Planning Board.		
§ 300-22 Minor subdivision plat.					
In the case of minor subdivision only, the subdivision plat application shall include the following information:					
	$\boxtimes$		A copy of such covenants or deed restrictions as are intended to cover all or part of the tract.		
			Proposed subdivision name and name of the City and county in which it is located.		



Merge



to

#### Resolution No. 22-04

Motion by: James Abdallah

WHEREAS, the City Planning Board has received and reviewed a Sketch Plan Application, Sketch Plan, and supplemental materials for:

# Frontier Property Management Subdivision 2022

Request for a minor subdivision of Tax Map Parcel ID # 207.74-2-22 creating an approximately .12 acre new buildable lot to be retained and an approximately .12 acre lot with existing improvements to be sold. Buildable lot to be merged with parcels 207.74-2-23 and 207.74-2-21. Located at 30 Brinkerhoff Street. Zoned C. Tax Map Parcel ID # 207.74-2-22. Area variance needed. Applicant: Frontier Property Management Plan Preparer: Dean Lashway, L.S., P.C.

#### MINOR SUBDIVISION SKETCH PLAN REVIEW

WHEREAS, Part 617 of the Environmental Conservation Law - "State Environmental Quality Review Act" (SEQRA), provides for the review of any "ACTION" to determine the effect of the action on the environment, along with any related administrative procedures for the implementation, authorization or approval of the action; and

WHEREAS, said Part 617 of the Environmental Conservation Law provides for an involved agency to review any action for the purpose of determining the effect of said action on the environment; and

WHEREAS, said determination of the effect of said action on the environment will be necessary to determine whether a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) is required; and

WHEREAS, the City's Planning Board is considered an involved agency in accordance with State and Local Laws for the purpose of assessing the effect of this "Project" on the environment and whether or not said effect is significant enough to warrant the preparation of a DEIS; and

RESOLVED, that the City of Plattsburgh Planning Board after a review of the said application, sketch plan, EAF and recommended checklist items does hereby determine that the proposed project is as checked below:

	An action involving a Federal Agency - A final EIS for the action has been duly prepared under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and a findings statement pursuant to NYS Environmental Law Part 617.11 will be prepared by the Town's Planning Board.
	<u>Type I Action</u> - a coordinated review is being conducted by the City of Plattsburgh Common ncil and GEIS prepared for SEQR determination
	Type II Action - no further environmental review is necessary;
$\boxtimes$	Unlisted Action:

RESOLVED, that the City of Plattsburgh Planning Board, after a review of the said sketch plan application, sketch plan documents and recommended checklist of items submitted with related materials, does hereby:

- A. Determine this to project to be classified as a minor subdivision per Zoning Code Article II Section 300-5; and
- B. Receive and place on file the subdivision checklist and review comments of the City of Plattsburgh's subdivision application completed by the Community Development Office on February 28, 2022; and
- C. Concur and accept the findings and recommendations contained therein; and
- D. Require that the applicant have her/his licensed land surveyor and/or professional engineer submit twelve (12) paper copies and one (1) digital copy of a Detailed Preliminary Subdivision Map and Plans in accordance with the subdivision regulations and checklist items as recommended by the City Community Development Office and as shown on the checklist; and
- E. Require that the applicant submit all required permits, applications, drawings, and all other materials as indicated on said checklist; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the said Detailed Preliminary map, plans and related materials as listed above shall be submitted to the City Planning & Community Development Department three (3) weeks prior to the Planning Board Meeting at which time the above said map, plan and related materials are to be considered.

Seconded By: Curt Gervich

#### **Discussion & Conditions (Not Verbatim):**

- 1) The application will present further mapping of buildings, utilities, right of ways as necessary to define the property.
- 2) All deed rights to the property being subdivided and merged to be defined by a draft description to the Planning Board and to be reviewed by the City Attorney.
- 3) The applicant will provide due diligence and research on all egress and access rights to any adjacent properties and/or buildings and reflect those rights on the plan.

Roll Call:	Yes	<u>No</u>	Abstain
Jim Abdallah	X		
Rick Perry	X		
Reg Carter	X		
Curt Gervich	X		
Loretta Rietsema	X		

Carried: 5-0-0



# **CITY OF PLATTSBURGH**

## PLANNING BOARD

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

March 7, 2022

Frontier Property Management C/O Dean H. Lashway, L.S., P.C. 16 Flaglar Drive Plattsburgh, NY 12901

VIA EMAIL

RE: Frontier Property Management Subdivision 2022

30 Brinkerhoff Street Sketch Plan Review Meeting

Dear Sir/Ma'am:

Transmitted herewith is a copy of Resolution No. 22-04 dated February 28, 2022 wherein the City of Plattsburgh Planning Board accepted your sketch plan and authorized you to proceed to <u>Detailed Preliminary Plan</u> submittal subject to complying with the conditions of said resolution and the checked items on the subdivision checklist completed by the Community Development Office and dated February 28, 2022.

It is requested that you have your licensed land surveyor and/or professional engineer submit twelve (12) paper copies and one (1) digital copy of the <u>Detailed Preliminary map and Plan</u> in accordance with the subdivision regulations and the items requested on said subdivision checklist, as completed by the Community Development Office dated February 28, 2022 along with all other required materials to the Community Development Office a minimum of three (3) weeks before the Planning Board meeting at which your <u>Detailed Preliminary Plan</u> is to be considered.

If there are any questions relative to the above, please contact the Community Development Office.

Sincerely yours,

James A. Abdallah

Chairperson of the Planning Board

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Pc:

Joe McMahon, Building Inspector