STAFF REPORT - TOWN OF NORTH CASTLE PLANNING DEPARTMENT



APPLICATION NUMBER - NAME

#2023-028 - 10 East Lane

Site Plan and Tree Removal Permit Approvals

MEETING DATE August 7, 2023

108.03-3-39.2

PROPERTY ADDRESS/LOCATION

structuring development that promotes sound conservation measures. The Town should encourage residential development that is compatible in scale, density, and character with its neighborhood and natural

10 East Lane, Armonk

BRIEF SUMMARY OF REQUEST

The construction of Lot #2 of the Turet Subdivision includes the construction of a new five-bedroom residence. Lot #2 construction also includes a new paved driveway, new in-ground pool, and associated patios/walkways. A new sewage disposal system and a new drilled well serving the proposed five-bedroom residence is also proposed.



PENDING ACTION:	■ Plan Review	☐ Town Board Refe	erral 🗆 Preliminary 🛭	Discussion
EXISTING ZONING R-1A One-Family Residence District (1 acres)	EXISTING LAND USE Vacant Lot	SURROUNDING ZONING & LAND USE Residential	SITE IMPROVEMENTS House, driveway, pool and yard areas.	SIZE OF PROPERTY 1.138 acres
PROPERTY HISTORY Existing Lot created as part of the Turet Subdivision approved in 2019		Compatibility with the Comprehensive plan Continue to take neighborhood context into account in approving new single-family homes.		
		 Continue to protect natural resources and environmentally sensitive areas such as rivers, streams, lakes, ponds, wetlands, flood plains, aquifers, wildlife habitats, steep slopes and forested areas, significant trees, and woodlands, among others, from unnecessary and avoidable impacts. Continue strong protection of tree cover through the tree removal permitting process. Preserve the current overall development pattern of North Castle and its neighborhoods. Be sure new development responds to environmental constraints, particularly for preservation of the New York City watershed. Maintain the quality-of-life created by physical and natural attributes, by 		

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

1. The Applicant should be directed to address all outstanding staff and consultant's comments.

environment.

Procedural Comments Staff Notes 1. The Proposed Action would be classified as a Type II Action pursuant to the State Environmental Quality Review Act (SEQRA). 2. Pursuant to Section 12-18(1) of the Town Code, all site development plans submitted to the Planning Board are required to be referred to the Architectural Review Board (ARB) for review and comment. 3. The site plan should be forwarded to the Chief of Police, Fire Inspector and the Armonk Fire Chief so that they may make any pertinent recommendations to the Planning Board including, but not limited to, the designation of no-parking zones, emergency vehicle access or any other issued deemed important to providing emergency services. 4. The Applicant will be required to obtain a curbcut permit from the North Castle Highway Department. 5. A neighbor notification meeting regarding the proposed site plan will need to be scheduled. 6. The site plan application will need to be referred to the Westchester County Planning Board pursuant to § 239-m of New York State General Municipal Law (GML) since the site is within 500 feet of the Town of Greenwich. 7. The neighbor notification notice will need to be sent to the Town of Greenwich Town Clerk pursuant to § 239-nn of New York State General Municipal Law (GML). This referral is required because the subject site is located within 500 feet of the Town of Greenwich. **General Comments** 1. The Town Engineer should comment with respect to the construction of East Lane improvements and the construction of the common driveway serving Lot #2 & #3. 2. The Town Engineer should comment with respect to the stormwater management systems and the wetland mitigation plantings that will be installed as part of the subdivision approvals. 3. The Applicant should submit a proposed landscaping plan for review. A plating schedule that includes name, size and quantify should be provided. 4. The submitted elevations should be revised to depict proposed building height (average grade to rooftop). 5. The site plan should be revised to depict proposed Town-regulated tree removal. The site plan should be revised to graphically depict trees to remain as well as trees proposed to be removed. 6. The should advise the Planning Board whether any rock chipping or blasting would be required.

