## **Zoning Issue in Your Neighborhood**

The **Greater Bustleton Civic League** (GBCL) will be discussing a zoning variance request that affects your neighborhood at our monthly, teleconference membership meeting, **7 PM on Wednesday, November 18**. A "variance" is required on projects with any departure from Zoning Code regulations. The **Zoning Board of Adjustment** (ZBA) solely decides on variance requests, but looks for input from the local civic organization. The GBCL will discuss, vote and submit the community opinion. Your opinion is needed and welcomed.

- Address: 9042 Roosevelt Boulevard
- Current Zoning: RSA-2
- Applicant: Jared Klein, Esq.
- <u>Date of ZBA Hearing</u>: <u>Wednesday, December 16</u>, 2020 at 2 PM. Register for <u>ZBA Zoom</u> hearing at: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN 0YCr-8pyQ-W 4o0Fc57Bsg</u> or simply call (646) 876-9923, enter webinar ID 820 8829 2595 and password 634842.
- Application for: For Financial Services Use with 17 accessory parking spaces, of which one is van
  accessible, and a drive through and vehicle stacking area. For demolition of a detached building and all
  signs and for the erection of a detached building. For the erection of one statically illuminated
  freestanding sign and four statically illuminated wall signs.
- Reason for Variance and ZBA Hearing: City Planning Commission disapproved landscaping plan. Vehicle stacking lane setback must be setback 20 ft from all lot lines; whereas, the proposed vehicle stacking lane is setback 4.73 ft from a lot line. Financial Services Use is prohibited in the RSA-2 residential zoning district. Free-standing sign does not comply with the 7 ft maximum height requirement. Proposed freestanding sign is 18 ft high and does not comply with the area requirements. Maximum permitted sign area for a freestanding sign is 15 sqft; proposed sign has an area of 90 sq. ft. Free-standing sign does not comply with the setback requirements. The front setback is required to be 15 ft; whereas, the proposed freestanding sign front setback is 9.25 ft. Two proposed wall signs do not have street frontage as required.



- Join the <u>GBCL Zoom</u> Meeting 11/18/20 with your LapTop, Desktop or iPAD, etc. with the link below: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2153331174?pwd=YzlzMHkweVNNM3NJWW5UMHNsSWUyUT09</u>
   Meeting ID: **215 333 1174**, Passcode: **sabba**
- Or join by phone: 301 715 8592, Meeting ID = 2153331174, Passcode: 478550

<u>GBCL Membership</u>: The GBCL is an all-volunteer, neighborhood organization that works to keep Bustleton residents informed about issues affecting our neighborhood. Please consider joining the GBCL if you are a resident or business and support our mission. Thank you.

NOTE: Petitions and letters, either in support of, or opposing the proposed request are welcomed. You can also contact the GBCL with your opinion at (215) 676-6890, or by email at gbustletoncl@gmail.com https://gbcl.online/

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