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To: Westport Zoning Board of Appeals
From: Don Bergmann 32 Sherwood Dr. Westport

I write now to let each of you know, and acknowledge how accommodating you were in your handling of the above matters yesterday. You certainly went out of your way to be helpful and cooperate with the Applicant, facts that reflect well on each of you. Without getting into substance, there were, for me, a couple of items that made your efforts especially fair and noteworthy. For example, the review of over 1,000 e mails could have been viewed as a kind of burdensome request, as well as one that might have been raised many months ago. Also, I, at least, was unimpressed with the words and comments of the people who implemented the many changes from the approved plans. They were not very knowledgeable, not very clear, seemed to have shortcomings in their historic understandings, made mistakes and, probably to the amazement of most objective viewers, failed to acknowledge that the many changes made were not significant. Notwithstanding, that performance, you generously chose not to close the hearing.

I will provide my substantive thinking and comments in the next several days or weeks.

Of yes, the zoom meeting went pretty well. Congratulations.

Don Bergmann