

## NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to the Ontario *Planning Act*

### Minor Variance Application

Panel 1

Wednesday, February 21, 2024

1 p.m.

Ben Franklin Place, Main Floor Chamber, 101 Centrepointe Drive  
and by videoconference

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**File Nos.:** D08-02-21/A-00204  
**Application:** Minor Variance under section 45 of the *Planning Act*  
**Owner(s)/Applicant(s):** David and Anjali Rue  
**Property Address:** 538 MacLaren Street  
**Ward:** 14 - Somerset  
**Legal Description:** Part of Lot 22 (South MacLaren Street), Registered Plan 27293  
**Zoning:** R4UD [733]  
**Zoning By-law:** 2008-250

### APPLICANT'S PROPOSAL / PURPOSE OF THE APPLICATION:

The Owners want to construct a one-storey addition in the rear and westerly side yard of the existing four-unit dwelling, as shown on plans filed with the Committee.

### REQUESTED VARIANCES:

The Owners require the Committee's authorization for minor variances from the Zoning By-law as follows:

- a) To permit an addition to be set back 1.05 metres from the westerly side property line, whereas the By-law requires that additions to a building located in the Heritage Overlay to be set back at least 60 cm greater than existing side wall of the building from a side property line, or in this case an interior side yard setback of 3.34 metres.
- b) To permit a reduced interior yard setback of 1.05 metres, whereas the By-law requires a minimum interior side yard setback of 1.5 metres.
- c) To permit a reduced rear yard setback of 25% of the lot depth or 8.4 metres, whereas the By-law states that the minimum required rear yard setback is 30% of the lot depth, or in this case 9.9 metres.

**THE APPLICATION** indicates that the Property is not the subject of any other current application under the *Planning Act*.

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