

TOWN OF LEDYARD

Department of Land Use and Planning

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MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 9, 2025

TO: Ledyard Planning & Zoning Commission
FROM: Liz Burdick, Director of Land Use & Planning

RE: Application #PZ21-10RESUB Fire Side Farm 4-Lot Resubdivision, 34 Village Drive Owner: Anthony Silvestri & 16 Reuven Drive, Ledyard, CT Owners: Mario Luis Mendez & Susan Ponta; Applicant: James Bernardo, Land Surveying, LLC, Zone R-40, 12.42 Acres for request for referral to Town Council to accept completed Extension of Village Drive as a Town Road.

Pursuant to Town Ordinance #300-25, Part II, Section 3 & 4 (An Ordinance Regulating the Addition of Any New Street or Highway to the Highway System of the Town of Ledyard) and C.G.S. § 8-24, the matter of acceptance of Village Drive Ext., including its infrastructure, as a Town Road has been forwarded to the Commission by the Public Works Director to make a recommendation to the Town Council.

Section 3.C states "If the Road meets approval and has met requirements set forth in this Ordinance, the Public Works Director shall forward a written recommendation of approval to the Planning and Zoning Commission." Said written recommendation was forwarded to the Town Planner, Liz Burdick for the Commission in a memorandum dated December 19, 2024 following final inspection and receipt of, As-Built Drawings. Road and Open Space Warranty (Quit Claim actual) Deeds to the Town of Ledyard. P.E. & Utilities Certifications pending.

Section 4.B states "If the Planning and Zoning Commission concurs with the recommendation of the Public Works Director, the Commission shall forward its own recommendation of approval, together with any warranty deeds and the written recommendation of the Public Works Director, to the Town Council. No deed shall be conveyed to the Town Clerk until Town Council has taken action to accept the street as a public street."

The following Motion is suggested for any favorable recommendation:

I make a Motion to forward a favorable referral in accordance with Town Ordinance #300-25, Part II, Section 3 & 4 and C.G.S. §8-24 to the Town Council to ACCEPT Marty's Way, including its infrastructure, that was approved as part of Application PZ #21-10RESUB, Fire Side Farm 4-Lot Resubdivision, 34 Village Drive, Ledyard, CT on December 9, 2021, along with the written recommendation of the Director of Public Works, dated December 19, 2024 and all supporting documentation as required by Town Ordinance #300-025, Part II, Sections 3 & 4, including warranty deeds with the following conditions:

- 1. The warranty deeds shall be reviewed and approved by the Director of Public Works and/or Town Attorney prior to acceptance; and
- 2. The Applicant shall submit P.E. and Utilities Celification per Section 3.A(l), (2) & (3) prior to acceptance.
- C: Steve Masalin, Public Works Director Fred B. Allyn, III, Mayor Naomi Rodriguez, Town Council Chairperson Anthony Silvestri, Applicant/Owner File – Land Use Dept.