VILLAGE OF SKANEATELES 26 Fennell St Skaneateles, NY 13152

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	Application for a Building/Zoning Permit (page 1 of 2)
Date of Application 9-12-2023	2-2023 Permit Date and Number
Name of Applicant Dani	Name of Applicant Daniel and Candice Bennett
Address of Applicant 62	Address of Applicant 62 W Elizabeth Street Skaneateles, NY 13152
candicev_16@hotmail.com Applicant's Email_dan.bennett@teamcwm.com	ev_16@hotmail.com ennett@teamcwm.com
Address of worksite 62	Address of worksite 62 W Elizabeth Street Skaneateles, NY 13152
Name of Property Owner (if different from applicant)	r (if different from applicant)
Property Owner Address	
Property Owner Email	Contact #
Type of Work Proposed:	
New Structure/	Addition Alteration Swimming Pool Repair Co
Fence/WallPav	4
Square Footage of new work +/- 1,726.8	SF Accurate Project Cost TBD
Describe the work propo	1 4
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Zoning District (circle one):	e): A-1 (A-2) A-3 A-4 B C D PL
Tax Map Number 003	00301-17.0 Square Footage of Lot +/- 9,050.0 SF (0.21 ACRES)
Existing use of lot Residential	ential Proposed use of lot Residential
STRUCTURE INFORMATION:	ON:
Single Family	Two Family Multi-Family Garage Commercial
Accessory Building	Boat House Other

Existing Use Residential

Proposed Use Residential

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NOT		day of . 20) see	Affidavit of Owner or Applicant	Dan and Cardin Bennett	Signature	support of this application is true and has made such representations to induce the smaller of sharedicties to issue a outburg coning rethin and the applicant will comply with all laws, codes and ordinances controlling this work.	The applicant declares that the information contained in this application, and the plans, specifications and other supporting management of the plans of the plan	Contractor's Email lloydebennettconstruction@gmail.com	Contractor's Address 862 Old Seneca Turnpike	5) 246-6278	Contractor/Builder Name Lloyd Bennett Construction	Architect's Address 3 Fennell Street, Suite 2 Skaneateles, NY	Architect's Name William L Murphy Jr, Space Architectural Studio	Does the proposed work/structure comply with the Energy Conservation Construction Code? Yes	/No) Sewer N Electric Service N	/- 43.4 ft.	Right Side Yard +/- 17.6 ft.	rd +/- 24.7 ft.	+/- 20.8 ft.	Setbacks - Existing Structure (Distances from structure to property or lot lines)	Indicate in box North South	Application for a Building/Zoning Permit (page	26 Fennell St Skaneateles, NY 13152 aneateles.com
NOTARY PUBLIC				REC			Call Set D	Amage or page access to some a pomonity control in	lans, specifications and other supporting materials					*		stion Construction Code? Yes No, N/A)	Storm Sewer N	Rear Yard +/- 42.7 ft.	Right Side Yard +/- 14.3 ft	Left Side Yard +/- 10.5	Front Yard +/- 20.8 ft	Setbacks – Proposed work or lot lines)	East West	Permit (page 2 of 2)	152 Fax: 315-685-0730
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Building/Zoning	g Application Review Sheet		
Date Received 9 12 23	Tax Map Number	0 - 15	
Applicant's Name OPI DED G	ANDICE BEARELL		
Address of Worksite 62 12	EUZABETT ST		
Permit Fee Date Received	Amount Received	red	
Additional Info. Requested			
2 23.	Signature		
Application Status:	Approved	Denied	
leasons for Denial - Does not comply with the following:	wing:		
ection 225-A5, Density Control Schedule for:)		
Front Yard Setback	Side Yard Setback, left	Side Yard Setback, Right	
Rear Yard Setback Perce	Percentage of Open Area	Both Side Yards Combined	
Percentage of Structure width/lot width	17 0000		
Section 225-69D, Non-conforming Buildings, Structures and Uses, Extension or Expansion	Structures and Uses, Extension or Expa		
Section 225-14(d), Swimming Pools, 25 ft. distance to lot lines	tance to lot lines		
Section 225-14C (5) (a/b), Accessory Buildings, distance to lot lines or structures	s, distance to lot lines or structures	23	
Section 225-A1-3, Permitted Use Chart		23	
Other Sections of the Zoning Law			
And/or Needs:			
Certificate of Approval from the Historical La	ndmarks Preservation Commission, Sec	Č	
Critical impact Permit, per section 223-32, form board of Trustees	rm board of Trustees	V	
Special Use Permit from the Zoning Board of Appeals	Appeals		
Permit Number	Date Issue		
Planning Board Review	Zoning Board of Appeals Approval		
Critical Impact Permit Approval N M	Historical Commission Approval	乙 本	

Village of Skancateles Village of Skancateles 26 Fennell Street Skancateles, NY 13152 Pd 9/14/25 315-685-2118 (1) NOTICE OF APPEAL (2) APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL USE PERMIT Date of Application 9-12-2023 Date of Application 9-12-2023 To the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Village of Skancateles, Onondaga County, New York
To the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Village of Skaneateles, Onondaga County, New York
I/We Daniel and Candice Bennett Printed or Typed Name of Appellent(s) and/or Applicant(s)
Address 62 W Elizabeth Street Skaneateles, NY 13152
(1) I hereby appeal the decision of the Village Code Enforcement Officer (Building Inspector)
. 2023
Article Section 225 Subsection AS
SE:
Article Section 225 Subsection
(2) I hereby apply for: (check all applicable)
A SPECIAL USE PERMIT required by the provisions of Article III, Section 225-10
B (1) & Section 225-11 B (2)
A FLOODWAY PERMIT required by the provisions of Article III, Section 225-10
B (3) & Article VI, Section 225-18 B
This appeal or application relates to:
62 Street Number W Elizabeth Street Street Name
Tax Map Number 00301-17.0

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Skaneateles, NY 13152 Village of Skaneateles 26 Fennell Street

Fax 315-685-0730

The applicant shall use this sheet to state the Zoning Board of Appeals details of the 315-685-2118

variances requested. A-2

Zoning District of the lot_

#2 Column #1 Indicate the existing set-back dimensions, percentages, that are not-conforming with the From the Density Control Schedule (Section 225-A5) fill in the minimum requirements for said lot in your Zoning District

figures in column #1, and that will not be changed by the proposed construction

#3 proposed construction Indicate the dimensions, area (in square feet) and percentages that will result from your

ŧ Indicate the variance requested (subtract #3 from #1)

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Columns —>	#1	#2	#3	巷
Open Area (sq. ft.) as a % of lot area	85%	+/- 82.3%	+/-70.27%	+/-14.73%
Front yard dimension (ft.)	30 FT.	+/-20.8 FT.	+/-20.8 FT.	+/- 92 ft. (P.E.N.C.)
Left side yard dimension (ft.)	15 FT.	+/-25.0 FT.	+/-10.5FT.	+/- 4.5 FT.
Right side yard dimension (ft.)	15 FT.	+/-17.6 FT.	+/-14.3 FT.	+/- 0.7 FT.
Both side yards combined (ft.)	35 FT.	+/-42.3 FT.	+/-24.8 FT.	+/- 10.2 FT.
Rear yard dimension (ft.)	35 FT.	+/-43.4 FT.	+/- 42.7 FT.	b
Max. width of structure as a % of lot width (Structure width divided by lot width)	65%	+/-29.3%	+/-49.3%	ą
Min. livable floor area, each dwelling	1,200 SF	+/- 1,837.0 SF	+/- 2,647.8 SF	1

List below any OTHER variances, Special Permits requested (Section of the Zoning Law) (Description)

Minimum Lot Area: +/- 9,050.0 SF where 30,000 SF are required, a variance of +/- 20,950.0 SF (P.E.N.C.) is requested

Minimum Lot Width: +/- 75.0 FT where 100 FT are required, a variance of +/- 25.0 FT (P.E.N.C.) is requested

needed to support your appeal/application Please state below all reasons to support your appeal or application. Attach other sheets as

Dated 9-14-23 fignature of Applicant Appellent

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Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 1 - Project Information

Parkland	Forest Agriculture	5. Urban Rural (non-	4. Check all land uses that occu	or controlled by the app		If Yes, list agency(s) name and permit or approval		If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent of the promay be affected in the municipality and proceed to Part 2.	 Does the proposed action on administrative rule or regula 	City/PO: Skaneateles	62 W Elizabeth Street	Address:	Daniel and Candice Bennett	Name of Applicant or Sponsor:	Minor atterations to the home are being proposed as well.	Additionally, they would like to add a rraddition and the west addition, they wo	The Bennett's are proposing an addition Bennett's to expand their livable area to incorporated beneath the addition to in	Brief Description of Proposed Action:	62 W Elizabeth Street Skaneateles, NY 13152	Project Location (describe, and attach a location map):	Bennett Addition	Name of Action or Project:	Part 1 – Project and Sponsor Information
	Aquatic Other(Specify)	Rural (non-agriculture)	Check all land uses that occur on, are adjoining or near the proposed action:	or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor?	f the proposed action? ally disturbed?	ermit or approval:	Does the proposed action require a permit, approval or funding from any other government Agency?	If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent of the proposed action and the environmental resources that may be affected in the municipality and proceed to Part 2. If no, continue to question 2.	Does the proposed action only involve the legislative adoption of a plan, local law, ordinance						g proposed as well.	Additionally, they would like to add a modest mudroom to the rear of their house that would include a small laundry room. Between the small north addition and the west addition, they would like to add a rear patio to expand their outdoor entertaining area.	The Bennett's are proposing an addition to the west to provide the residence with additional living space on the first floor. This would allow the Bennett's to expand their livable area to account for more room in the central part of their home. A basement is also proposed that would be incorporated beneath the addition to include a small in-law suite and exercise room.	tion:	(13152	ttach a location map):			formation
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Part 1 – Project Information. The applicant or project sponsor is responsible for the completion of Part 1. Responses become part of the	
application for approval or funding, are subject to public feview, and may be subject to further vertication. Complete and it based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information.	
Complete all items in Part 1. You may also provide any additional information which you believe will be needed by or useful to the lead agency; attach additional pages as necessary to supplement any item.	
Part 1 - Project and Sponsor Information	
Name of Action or Project:	
Bennett Addition	
Project Location (describe, and attach a location map):	
62 W Elizabeth Street Skaneateles, NY 13152	
Brief Description of Proposed Action:	
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Minor alterations to the home are being proposed as well.	
Name of Applicant or Sponsor: Telephone: (315) 730-7432 (315) 749-6082	
Daniel and Candice Bennett E-Mail: dan.bennett@teamowm.com candicev 16@hotmail.com	
Address:	
62 W Elizabeth Street	
City/PO: State: Zip Code: NY 13152	
1. Does the proposed action only involve the legislative adoption of a plan, local law, ordinance, administrative rule, or regulation? If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent of the proposed action and the environmental resources that may be affected in the municipality and proceed to Part 2. If no, continue to question 2.	
2. Does the proposed action require a permit, approval or funding from any other government Agency? NO YES If Yes, list agency(s) name and permit or approval:	
3. a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action? b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed? c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor? +/- 0.21 acres +/- 9,050.0 SF	
4. Check all land uses that occur on, are adjoining or near the proposed action: 5. Urban Rural (non-agriculture) Industrial Commercial Residential (suburban)	
☐ Forest ☐ Agriculture ☐ Aquatic ☐ Other(Specify):	

	100	If Yes, identify the wetland or waterbody and extent of alterations in square feet or acres:
		b. Would the proposed action physically alter, or encroach into, any existing wetland or waterbody?
		wetlands or other waterbodies regulated by a federal, state or local agency?
\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	5	These properties of the site of the proposed action or lands adjoining the proposed action contain
		b. Is the project site, or any portion of it, located in or adjacent to an area designated as sensitive for archaeological sites on the NY State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) archaeological site inventory?
[State Register of Historic Places?
	<u></u>	which is listed on the National or State Register of Historic Places, or that has been determined by the
YES	NO	12. a. Does the project site contain, or is it substantially contiguous to, a building, archaeological site, or district
YES	S	SE
YES	S	23
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		If the proposed action will exceed requirements, describe design features and technologies:
YES	NO	9. Does the proposed action meet or exceed the state energy code requirements?
		c. Are any pedestrian accommodations or bicycle routes available on or near the site of the proposed action?
		b. Are public transportation services available at or near the site of the proposed action?
YES	₹ ĕ	8. a. Will the proposed action result in a substantial increase in traffic above present levels?
		If Yes, identify:
YES	NO	7. Is the site of the proposed action located in, or does it adjoin, a state listed Critical Environmental Area?
		6. Is the proposed action consistent with the predominant character of the existing built of natural landscape?
YES	NO	
	S	b. Consistent with the adopted comprehensive plan?
		a. A permitted use under the zoning regulations?
N/A	YES	5. Is the proposed action, NO

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Will the proposed action create a hazard to environmental resources or human health?	Will the proposed action result in an increase in the potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems?	Will the proposed action result in an adverse change to natural resources (e.g., wetlands, waterbodies, groundwater, air quality, flora and fauna)?	Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of important historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources?	b. public / private wastewater treatment utilities?	Will the proposed action impact existing: a. public / private water supplies?	Will the proposed action cause an increase in the use of energy and it fails to incorporate reasonably available energy conservation or renewable energy opportunities?	Will the proposed action result in an adverse change in the existing level of traffic or affect existing infrastructure for mass transit, biking or walkway?	Will the proposed action have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA)?	Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of the existing community?	Will the proposed action result in a change in the use or intensity of use of land?	Will the proposed action create a material conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations?	occur occur	 impact impact	-	ubm

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Short Environmental Assessment Form Part 3 Determination of Significance

For every question in Part 2 that was answered "moderate to large impact may occur", or if there is a need to explain why a particular element of the proposed action may or will not result in a significant adverse environmental impact, please complete Part 3. Part 3 should, in sufficient detail, identify the impact, including any measures or design elements that have been included by the project sponsor to avoid or reduce impacts. Part 3 should also explain how the lead agency determined that the impact may or will not be significant. Each potential impact should be assessed considering its setting, probability of occurring, duration, irreversibility, geographic scope and magnitude. Also consider the potential for short-term, long-term and cumulative impacts.

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Signature of Preparer (if different from Responsible Officer)	Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency
Title of Responsible Officer	Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency
Date	Name of Lead Agency
Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts and an environmental impact statement is required. Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.	Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any support that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts environmental impact statement is required. Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any support that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.

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Project Narrative

Dan & Candice Bennett

Project Location: 62 W Elizabeth Street, Skaneateles, N.Y. 13152

Tax Map No.: 003.-0117.0

Village Zoning District: A-2

SPACE Architectural Studio project #: 2022-25

Date: 14 September 2023

After withdrawing their application, the Bennett's are resubmitting their application for an addition to their home. There are no proposed changes since the last submission, but additional information about the neighborhood will be provided per request from the board.

The Bennett's bought their property in 2019 for themselves and their two young children. While their children are still young, the family is planning for the future by proposing to add onto their existing residence. Their modest home is currently +/- 1.592 SF. The Bennett's have taken the Planning Board and Zorning Board of Appeals comments into account with our updated proposal. They acknowledge the size of their previous request was large and have scaled it down quite significantly, even though the numbers may not indicate such. This month we also explored acquiring more property adjacent to ours from a neighbor to achieve a minimum open space percentage closer to the existing. Unfortunately, due to recent development on the neighboring parcel, this acquisition was not feasible. The next step was to increase the amount of open space by eliminating and reducing aspects of the proposal.

The Bennett's are proposing an addition to the west to provide the residence with additional living space on the first floor. This would allow the Bennett's to expand their livable area to account for more room in the central part of their home. A basement is also proposed that would be incorporated beneath the addition to include a small in-law suite and exercise room. This expansion of the home is very much in line with the surrounding neighborhood and would produce a desirable change in the character of the neighborhood in line with the intended aesthetics of the Village of Skaneateles.

Additionally, they would like to add a modest mudroom to the rear of their house that would include a small laundry room. Between the small north addition and the west addition, they would like to add a rear patio to expand their outdoor entertaining area. The existing deck is too small and served as a thoroughfare to the back door of the home, not an outdoor space. Having some outdoor space is a reasonable expectation of a property owner.

Minor alterations to the home are being proposed as well. The Bennett's would like to update their kitchen layout to allow for more seating and an integrated, open space. On the second floor of their home the Bennett's would like to update and expand the master bathroom and the kids bathroom, sacrificing a little closet space to do so. In addition, we have updated the previous design to improve the open space on the proposed parcel from +/- 67.6% to +/- 70.3%. This was largely achieved through removing the front porch and reducing the back porch stair. Proposed changes to the ordinance would improve these numbers further.

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The new variances requested by the Bennett's in this proposal include:

- Minimum Open Space: +/- 70.27% where 85% are required, a variance of +/- 14.73% (+/- 5.37% P.E.NC.) is requested
- Minimum Side Yard Setback, West: +/- 10.5 FT where 15 FT is required, a variance of +/- 4.5 FT is requested
- Minimum Side Yard Setback, Fast: +/- 14.3 FT where 15 FT is required, a variance of +/- 0.7 FT is requested
- Minimum Side Yard Setback, Total: +/- 22.8 FT where 35 FT is required, a variance of +/- 10.2 FT is requested

The P.E.N.C. variances requested by the Bennett's in this proposal include:

- Minimum Lot Area: +/-9,050.0 SF where 30,000 SF are required, a variance of +/-20,950.0 SF (P.E.N.C.) is requested
- Minimum Lot Width: +/- 75.0 FT where 100 FT are required, a variance of +/- 25.0 FT (P.E.N.C.) is requested
- Minimum Front Yard Setback, South: +/- 20.8 FT where 30 FT are required, a variance of +/- 9.2 FT (P.E.N.C.) is requested

While this difficulty is self-created, we believe the hardship of the lot should be taken into consideration when considering our proposal. This property is less than a third of the required lot area for this residential zone and as a result, any enhancements may seem significant. We believe this is an existing undersized lot under Article XIV § 225-70: existing undersized lots. This property was held in single ownership prior to the adoption of this article chapter and does not conform to the minimum lot width. Where 100 FT, is required, the Bennett's lot has a width of 75 FT. The lot does not adjoin a lot by the same owner and the square footage of the lot is greater than 5,000 SF and the width is greater than 50 FT. We believe that this classifies their lot as an existing undersized lot under the criteria stated in this article. Due to the position of the existing residence on the lot and the hardship of the small lot. This expansion allows the Bennett's to gain additional living space for their family, both indoors and outdoors, which is a reasonable use of their undersized lot. The proposal is significantly reduced in scale from our previous application and is in character with lots in the immediate vicinity, both newly developed and existing lots. The alternative is that the Bennett's will have to sell their home and relocate their family in order to gain additional space. Young families in our Village need homes in order to keep our schools vibrant. The number may seem large due to the undersized lot, we feel that this addition is an overall improvement to the home and keeps within the character of other homes in the neighborhood.

Thank you for considering our proposal.







