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By Hand and Email

Rob Ciampetti, Chair
Zoning Board of Appeals
City of Newburyport
City Hall
60 Pleasant Street
Newburyport, Massachusetts 01950

Re: Request to Modify a Special Permit for Non-Conformities 20 Union Street, Newburyport, MA (the "Property");
Assessor's Map: 30 Lot 44

Dear Chair and Members of the Board:

Reference is made to the above-captioned matter. In that connection, this firm represents Windward Shaw LLC (the "Petitioner"), the contractor for the owners of the Property relative to a proposed modification to the Special Permit for Non-Conformities the Board approved on June 9, 2020 (the "Decision").

The Petitioner proposes to:

- Move the garage to the interior of the Property by four feet making it more than
 ten feet from the side boundary. It will stay more six feet from the rear boundary
 and remains in compliance with the dimensional requirements for accessory
 structures.
- There is a minor increase in the building's footprint near the kitchen bay window. This increases the lot coverage by 0.1%, bringing the lot coverage to 24.90% where a maximum of 25% is allowed in the R2 zoning district under the Newburyport Zoning Ordinance. The increase is a slight increase in the window bay on the proposed addition in the back right corner facing the driveway. Given the increase of about 7 square feet inside the bay overall you cannot see it on the plans as it is basically imperceptible.
- Change all siding on the existing portion of the house to clapboard instead of shingle. All new structures built as part of the addition will still have shingle siding.
- Removing the shutters because the neighboring houses do not have shutters and it is more keeping with the neighborhood to not include them.

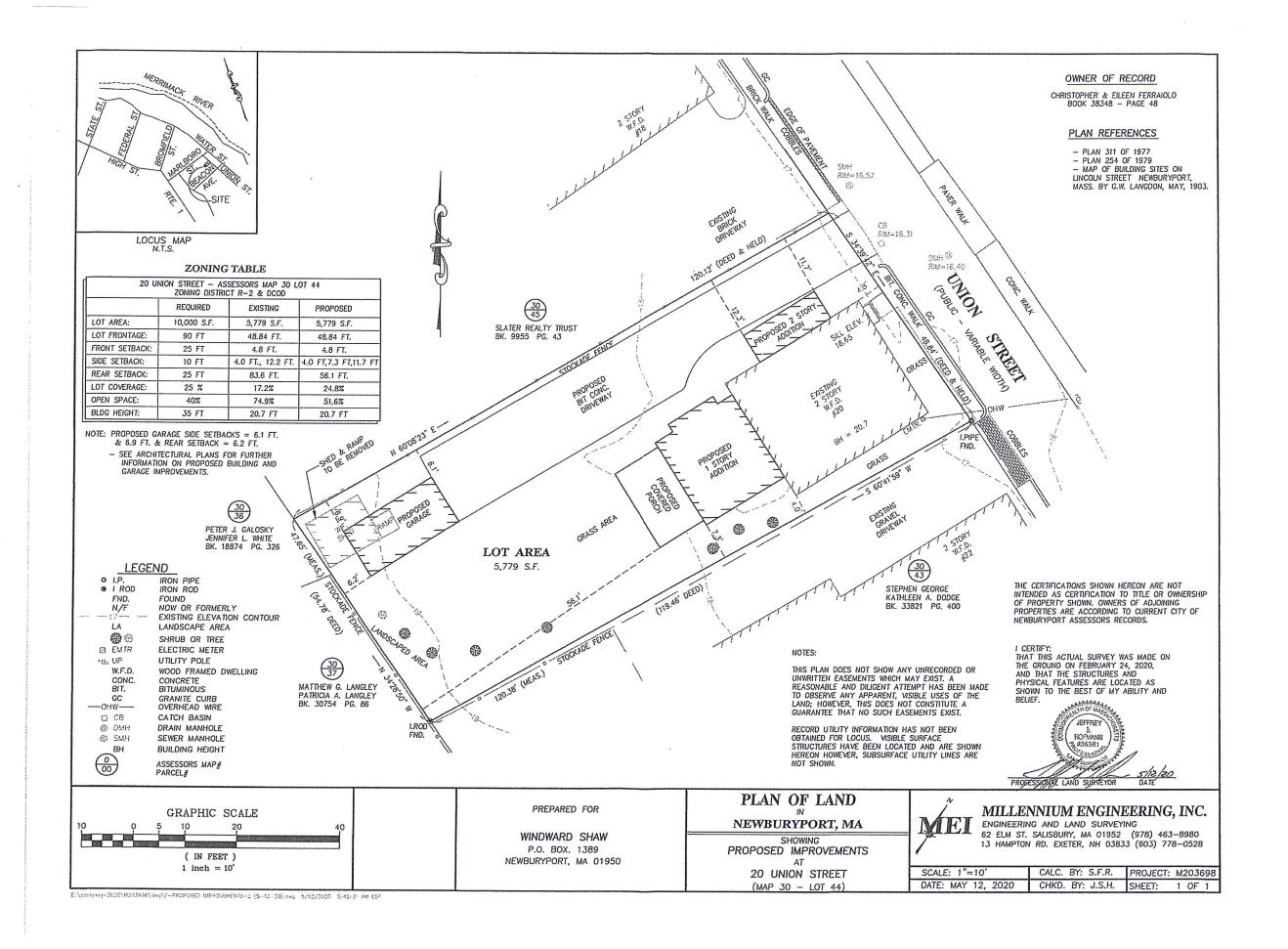
While the slight relocation of the proposed garage, small increase of the building's footprint, and aesthetic differences constitute changes in the plans the Board approved in its Decision, none affect any of the nonconformities. The Petitioners now respectfully request that the Board grant a modification of the Decision to allow for these updates to the plans.

Respectfully submitted, Windward Shaw LLC By its Attorney & BW. Y

Lisa L. Mead

Attachment cc: Client

Exhibit A: Approved Site Plan and Architectural Plans

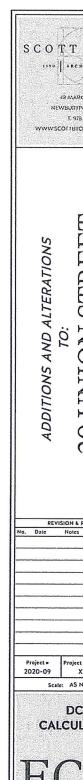




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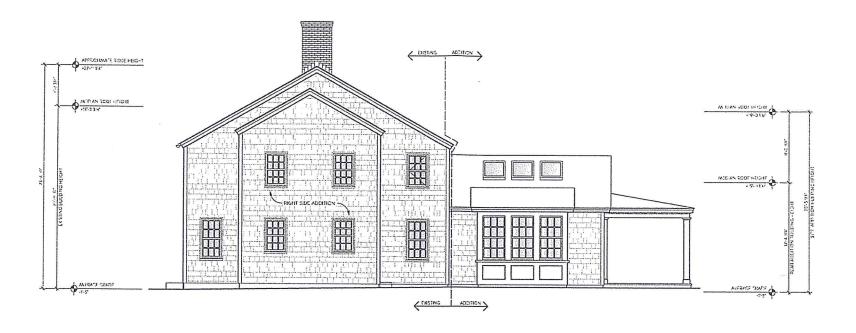


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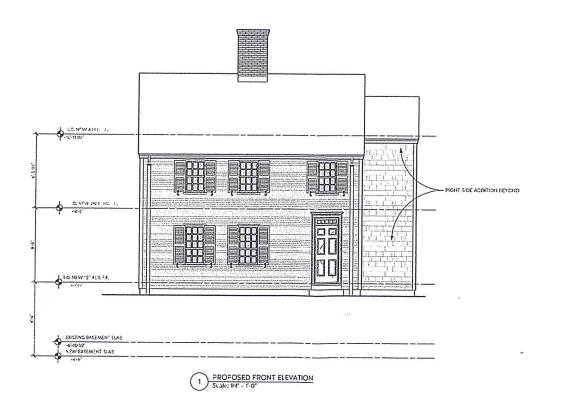
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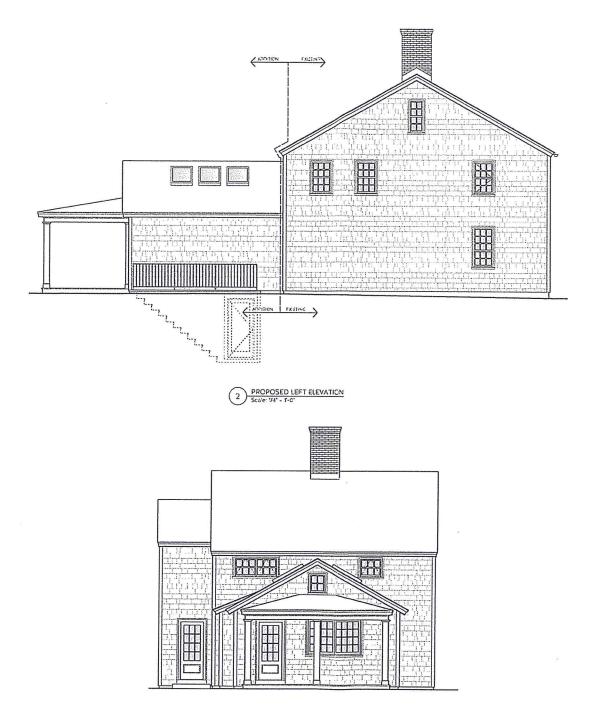


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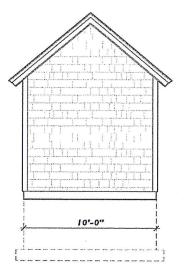
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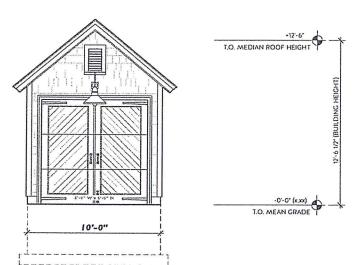
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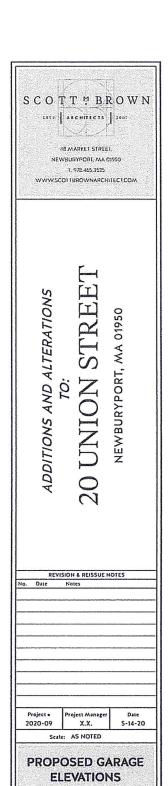
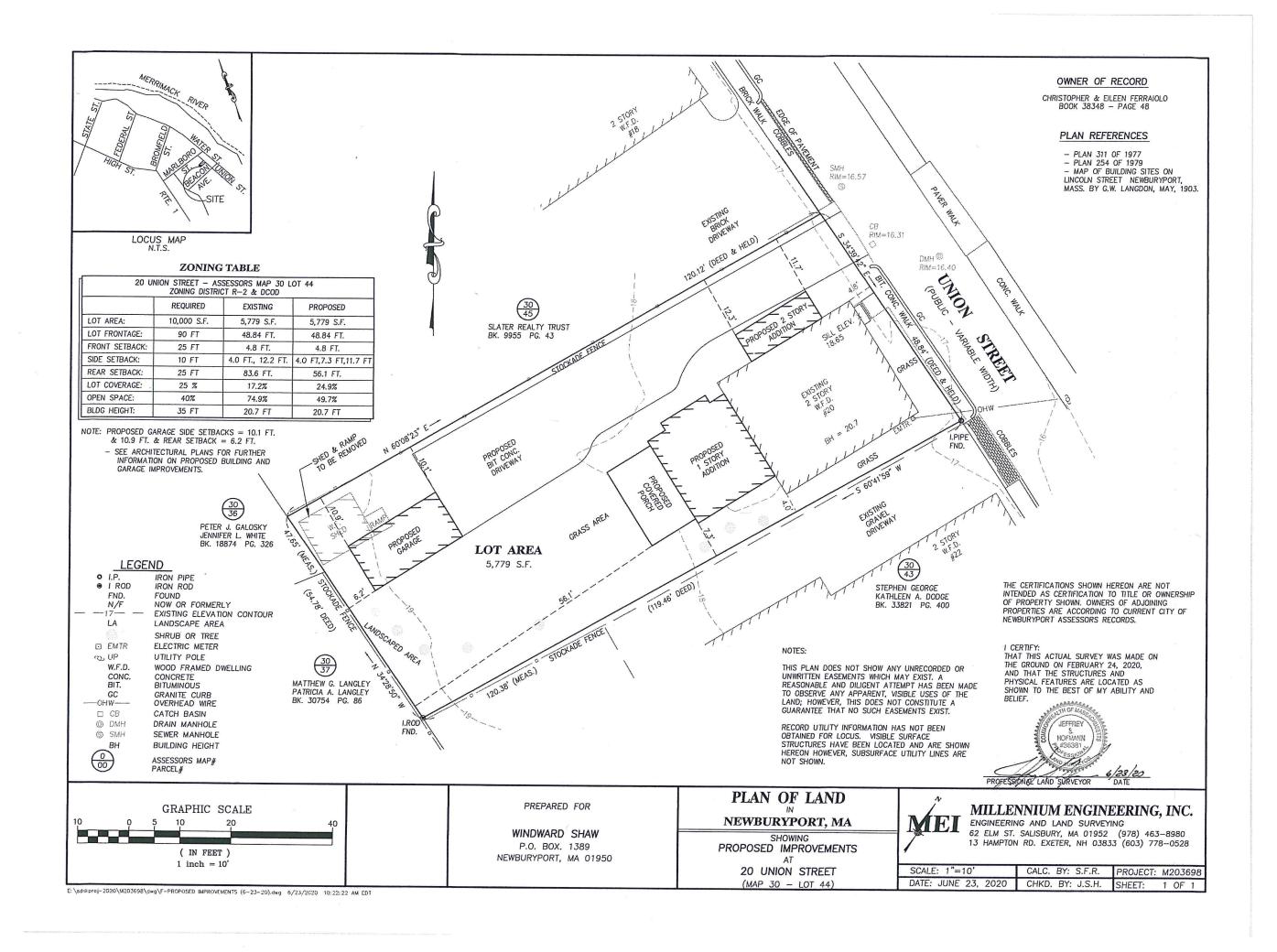
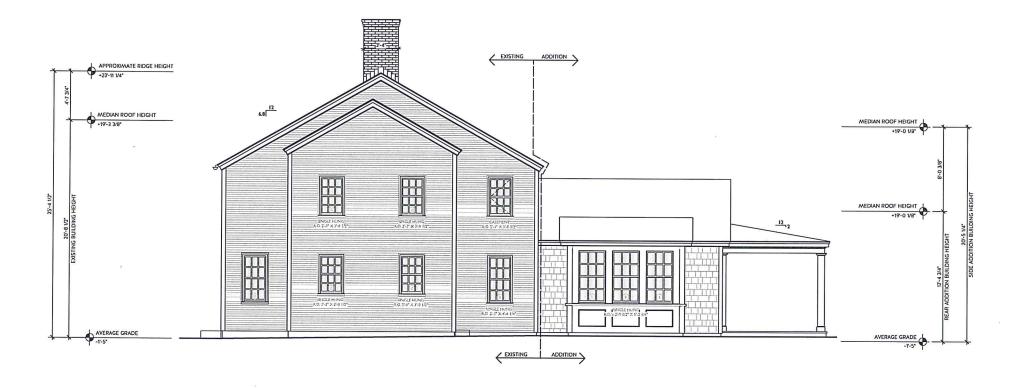
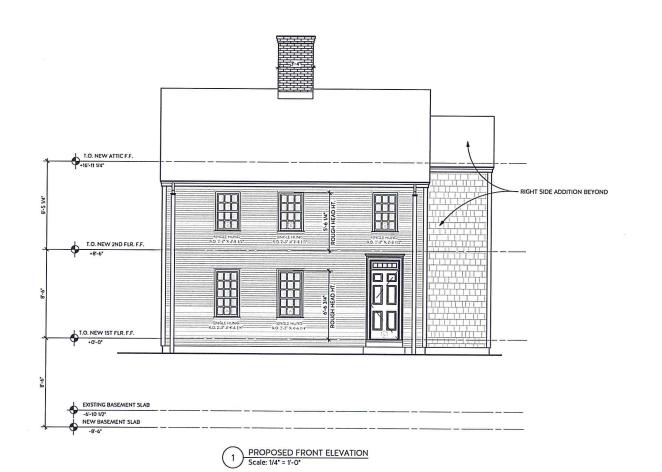


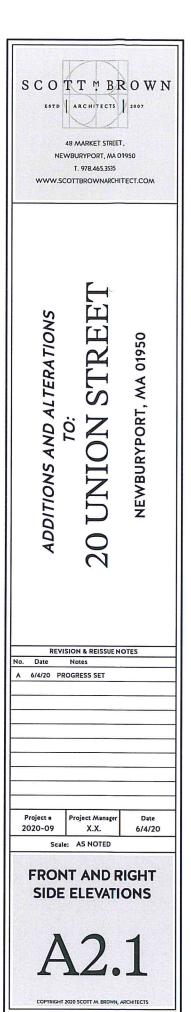
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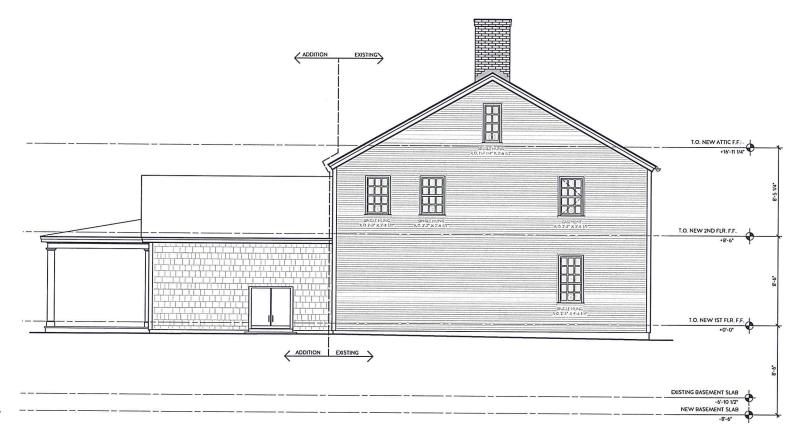




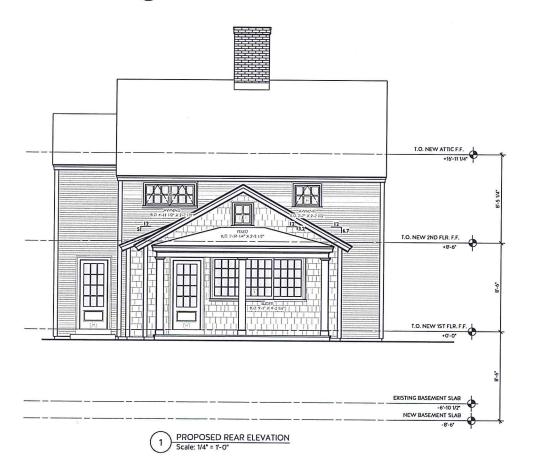
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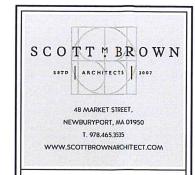






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