

Town of Hebron
Zoning Board of Adjustment
PO Box 188
Hebron, NH 03241-0188
Phone: (603) 744-9994
taxcol@hebronnh.gov

## NOTICE OF DECISION

Date: June 27, 2023 Case No. 298

You are hereby notified that, following a hearing on June 27, 2023, the application of Stephen Derochea (Tax Map 19A, Lot#7) for a VARIANCE under Article IV, Section H.1 of the Town of Hebron Zoning Ordinance has been GRANTED by a unanimous vote in the affirmative by at least three members of the Zoning Board of Adjustment. The applicant is hereby permitted to construct a new entry to the existing house.

The Board thoroughly reviewed the five variance criteria contained in <u>The Board of Adjustment in New Hampshire: A Handbook for Local Officials</u>, RSA 674:33 Powers of Zoning Board of Adjustment, 1(b) and unanimously agreed that all were fully satisfied.

- The variance is not contrary to public interest as there were no objections to the proposed structure from abutters to this property.
- The spirit of the ordinance is observed as the proposed entry will provide valuable benefits to the applicant without harm to the bordering properties.
- Substantial justice is done as there are no other practical locations for the entry due to the layout of the historic homestead.
- The values of surrounding properties are not diminished since the structure will be aesthetically in keeping with the main dwelling.
- Literal enforcement of the provisions of the ordinance would result in unnecessary hardship to the applicant as there is no other practical location for the entry.

The Board specifically granted a variance to construct a new entryway on the property within 28' from West Shore Road which would include the overhang of the roof on the building. A building permit will be obtained from the Hebron Board of Selectmen before any construction is begun.

HEBRON ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

CURTIS R. MOONEY, CHAIRMAN

Any person affected by the Board's decision has the right to appeal the decision within thirty (30) days of this notice. The required first step, prior to any appeal being taken to court, is to apply to the Zoning Board of Adjustment for a rehearing. The motion for a rehearing must set forth all of the grounds on which the appeal is based. See New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated (NH RSA), Chapter 677. for details.