

CITY OF BOSTON



ZONING COMMISSION

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AGENDA

August 13, 2025

PUBLIC HEARINGS

9:00 AM

Text Amendment Application Nos. 533-536 Article 80 Modernization and Corresponding Amendments to the Boston Zoning Code Citywide

Said amendments would amend the Boston Zoning Code (the "Code") with respect to modernizing Article 80, Development Review and Approval, by: updating Boston Civic Design Commission ("BCDC") thresholds and procedures; modernize communication methods; support conversions, sustainability upgrades, and reinvestment in existing buildings; harmonize the Code with existing process; improve citywide coordination and remove contradictions and improve usability.

ZONING HEARING

The Zoning Commission of the City of Boston hereby gives notice, in accordance with Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956, as amended, that a virtual public hearing will be held on August 13, 2025, at 9:00 A.M., in connection with Text Amendment Application Nos. 533-536, filed by the City of Boston Planning Department.

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This meeting will only be held virtually and not in person. You can participate in this meeting by going to https://bosplans.org/BZCAug1325. Copies of the proposed amendments may be obtained from the Zoning Commission electronically, and you may also submit written comments or questions to <u>zoningcommission@boston.gov</u>.

Interpreting services are available to communicate information at this hearing. If you require interpreting services, please contact the following: zoningcommission@boston.gov or 617-918-4308. The meeting is scheduled for August 13, 2025. Please request interpreting services **no later than August 8, 2025.**

For the Commission Jeffrey M. Hampton Executive Secretary