NEW HAVEN CITY PLAN COMMISSION ADVISORY REPORT

RE:

56 DAGGETT STREET, Land Disposition of ½ of Sliver Lot (Shehadeh).

REPORT:

1434-12

ADVICE:

Approval with Condition

PROJECT SUMMARY:

Developer:

Abdullah Shehadeh

Disposition Price:

\$1.00

Site:

2,400 sq.ft. (1/2 of lot)

Zone:

RM-2

Use:

Yard Space Not Provided

Financing: Subsidy:

None

City Lead:

Evan Trachten

Agency:

Livable City Initiative

Phone:

946-8373

BACKGROUND

The City acquired Reuse Parcel TF-301-0098-01200 through tax foreclosure and proposes to sell ½ of it to Abdullah Shehadeh. The other half will be disposed to Jorge & Bethzaida Neives.

The subject parcel is located on a short residential street between Congress Ave. and Washington Ave. in the Hill neighborhood.

PLANNING CONSIDERATIONS

Evaluation of the site was based on examination of a plot plan, the LCI PAD submission materials, the zoning regulations and the geographic information system. The City proposes to sell ½ of TF-301-0098-01200 for \$1.00. The Commission has not addressed the issue of price. This item was presented at the October 21, 2009 PAD meeting and was approved without conditions.

The subject parcel is nonconforming as to minimum lot size and average lot width. Daggett Street is characterized as having many small parcels and a lack of both yard space and off-street parking. This disposition goes toward easing some of that problem.

ADVICE

The Commission finds the proposed reuse of the property suitable for the site in question and recommends approval with condition:

1. Notice to Land Records at time of closing.

ADOPTED:

November 18, 2009

Edward Mattison

Chair

ATTEST

Caryn M. Gilvarg A.I.A.

Executive Director