

# City of Milford, Connecticut

Department of Permitting and Land Use

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#### Amendment #20-4

TO:	$\boxtimes$	South Central Regional Council of Governments
	$\bowtie$	Greater Bridgeport Regional Planning Council
	$\bowtie$	City Attorney, City of Milford
	$\bowtie$	State of CT DEEP
	$\bowtie$	City of West Haven, City Clerk
	$\boxtimes$	Town of Stratford, City Clerk
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- FROM: David B. Sulkis, City Planner
- DATE: January 9, 2020

### RE: Article IX Zoning Board of Appeals, Section 9.2.3 Prohibited Variances

In accordance with Milford Zoning Regulations 10.3 and CT General Statutes 8-3b and 22a-104, the distribution of the following proposed regulation change is submitted for your agency's review and comment. Please provide this office with acknowledgment of your receipt of this memorandum and provide your comments or approval within 35 days of the above date.

#### EXISTING TEXT:

#### SECTION 9.2.3 Prohibited Variances:

(1) Any use variance that is detrimental to the community's public health, safety and general welfare.

(2) No application to vary any Site Plan requirement imposed by the Planning & Zoning Board shall be accepted by the Zoning Board of Appeals.

(3) No application to perform new construction or substantial improvements (as defined) to any dwelling with a lowest floor elevation below the regulatory flood protection shall be accepted by the Zoning Board of Appeals.

#### **<u>PROPOSED TEXT</u>**: (Changes indicated in BOLD italicized text and/or strikethrough text)

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# (4) No application shall be accepted to vary any minimum lot requirement for the purpose of dividing, subdividing or creating a new lot.

## **REASON FOR CHANGE:**

Only the Planning and Zoning Board can create new lots

A petition for substantially the same change in regulations has previously been filed: Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No:  $\underline{X}$ \_\_\_\_ If yes, date of hearing:

This regulation change is proposed by: Petitioner: \_\_\_\_\_\_ or X\_ PZB Subcommittee

Cc: J. Quish, Chairman P&Z J. Griffith, DPLU