

Village of Nyack Planning Board

March 4, 2025

TO: Village of Nyack Board of Trustees

FROM: Village of Nyack Planning Board

CC: Village Attorney, Village Planner, Chief Building Inspector

Re: Requested Recommendation/Advisory Opinion regarding 4th Story at 80 S Broadway

The following was discussed at the March 3, 2025 Village of Nyack Planning Board Meeting:

In response to the Village Board of Trustees's request for a recommendation/advisory opinion regarding the proposed 4th story at 80 South Broadway, the Planning Board offers the following comments:

The Planning Board is in favor of the 4th story (height at 43') with the following amenities:

Removal of overheard wires Place making pedestrian plaza with fountain* Pedestrian linkage Green roof Terrace

*These features can have a positive public benefit and soften the appearance of the Project.

- 1) Attract in pedestrians for stores
- 2) Make connection between building and South Broadway.
- 3) Visually fills in interrupted space in street wall.

Also, applicant has agreed to establish an escrow of \$5000 for BFJ Planning to review the 80 South Broadway Project including traffic study and circulation, parking, criteria for 4th floor, conformity to the 2016 Comprehensive Plan, garage access, placemaking concepts including pedestrian plaza, fountain, etc. BFJ Planning was responsible for the Comprehensive Plan which was approved in October 2016.

The Planning Board offers a favorable recommendation with a vote of 4-1. Laura Rothschild, Jennifer Knarich, Peter Voletsky and Samuel Hart voted in favor.

Catherine Friesen is opposed.

Samuel Hart motions to approve. Seconded by Jennifer Knarich.

Sincerely, Village of Nyack Planning Board Mary Screene, Secretary to Land Use Boards