

Town of Bar Harbor
Design Review Board Meeting
Thursday, November 13, 2025
(In person meeting)

NOTES

Board members present were Vice-chair Barbara Sassaman, Francis “Pancho” Cole, and Bo Jennings.

Chair Erin Cough was an excused absence. Member Andrea Lepcio was unable to join in-person, and the Planning Staff did not have sufficient notice to provide both the Board and public with a hybrid meeting option.

Staff present were Tammy Desjardin and Emily Sprecher.

Dan Hurley (applicant for project at 7 Temple Street) and Susanne Hathaway were also present.

Prior to the scheduled 4:00PM meeting, the applicant and three Board members were present. At 4:00PM, staff were informed that member Andrea Lepcio had requested a virtual attendance option from member Francis “Pancho” Cole earlier that day. The Planning Staff was unable to provide a virtual option without adequate notice, as this would not have allowed sufficient time to inform the public and ensure equitable access for those who may have wished to participate virtually.

Those present—including Board members, the applicant and staff—waited in hopes that Chair Erin Cough could join to establish a quorum. At 4:15PM, it was determined that a quorum would not be achieved, and the group agreed to schedule a special meeting the following week to review the project and address other agenda items.