





# ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS


## BOARD DETAILS




OVERVIEW



**SIZE** 8 Seats



**TERM LENGTH** 36 Months



**TERM LIMIT** N/A

**Overview**  
The Zoning Board of Appeals consists of 5 regular members and 3 associate members, all appointed by the Board of Selectmen. Five members sit on each case brought before the Board. They have the power to hear and decide the following petitions:

- Appeals from decisions of the Building Inspector
- Special Permits as allowed within the Natick Zoning Bylaws
- Variances from the Natick Zoning Bylaws
- Appeals in accordance with Section 8 of Chapter 40A of Massachusetts General Laws
- Variances for commercial and residential properties



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## BOARD ROSTER



**KATHERINE M DURRANE**

**2nd Term** May 02, 2017 - May 01, 2020

**Appointing Authority** Board of Selectmen  
**Position** Clerk



**DAVID R. JACKOWITZ**

**3rd Term** May 01, 2019 - May 01, 2022

**Appointing Authority** Board of Selectmen  
**Position** Chair



**GEOFFREY S LEWIS**

**1st Term** Sep 06, 2018 - May 01, 2020

**Position** Member



**MICHAEL LYNCH**

**1st Term** Jun 12, 2018 - May 01, 2021

**Appointing Authority** Board of Selectmen  
**Position** Associate Member



**JASON P. MAKOFSY**

**2nd Term** May 01, 2018 - May 01, 2021

**Appointing Authority** Board of Selectmen  
**Position** Member



**ROBERT K. STECKBECK**

**1st Term** May 01, 2019 - May 01, 2022

**Position** Member



**VACANCY**

**Position** Associate Member



**VACANCY**

**Position** Associate Member

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**Profile**

Justin

First Name

McGuire

Middle Initial

Last Name

lifefeed@gmail.com

Email Address

8 Wilson St.

Street Address

Suite or Apt

Natick

City

MA

State

01760

Postal Code

**What district do you live in? \***☒ Precinct 9

Home: (719) 323-9074

Primary Phone

Home:

Alternate Phone

AthenaHealth

Employer

Lead Software Developer

Job Title

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**Which Boards would you like to apply for?**

Zoning Board of Appeals: Submitted

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**Are you a registered voter in the Town of Natick?**☒ Yes ☐ No

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**Have you ever attended a Natick town meeting?**☐ Yes ☒ No

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**Have you ever served on a board, committee, or commission in the Town of Natick?**☐ Yes ☒ No

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**If yes, please list name(s) of board, committee or commissions, along with date(s) of service:**

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**Interests & Experiences**

**Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission? Are there any changes you would like to see to these boards, committees and/or commissions?**

I bought a house here with my wife last year, and I'd like to become part of my community. I'm in the middle of the "Natick Community Services Citizen's Leadership Academy" and they mentioned that there's a vacancy.

**Are you a graduate of the Natick Community Services Citizen's Leadership Academy?**

☐ Yes ☒ No

**Please list any skills or specialized knowledge you can bring to these boards, committees and/or commissions.**

For zoning? Not much. I know a lot about computers, but I don't think that's relevant here.

**Please list any professional affiliations.**

**Let us know what other specialized interests or hobbies you might have.**

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**Profile**

Christine

First Name

Therrien

Middle Initial

Last Name

christherrien@gmail.com

Email Address

2 tamarack rd

Street Address

Suite or Apt

Natick

City

MA

State

01760

Postal Code

**What district do you live in? \***☒ Precinct 2

Mobile: (774) 644-0471

Primary Phone

Home:

Alternate Phone

Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts

Employer

Hearing Officer

Job Title

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**Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission? Are there any changes you would like to see to these boards, committees and/or commissions?**

I would like to serve on the zoning board of appeals because I think it is important to have smart development in Natick.

**Are you a graduate of the Natick Community Services Citizen's Leadership Academy?**

☐ Yes ☒ No

**Please list any skills or specialized knowledge you can bring to these boards, committees and/or commissions.**

I am an attorney who has been working as an appeals hearing officer for over 10 years. This experience has given me the tools to think critically about each unique issue before me. Additionally, I was recently elected to my 2nd term as a Town Meeting member and am aware of many zoning issues that concern the residents of the town.

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[Chris\\_M.\\_Therrien.pdf](#)

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