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Re: Pasfield House Zoning Variance Petition

To whom it may concern:

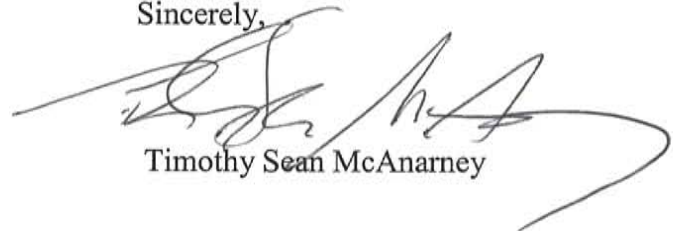
I am writing in strong support for the Pasfield House application for a zoning variance to be able to be a bed and breakfast and to sell liquor and food as a caterer.

I own three properties on Edwards Street directly behind the Pasfield House. I purchased the first as my office before Tony Leone began his magnificent rehabilitation. A once run down apartment building, Leone's efforts in restoring this Architectural Treasure has brought attention to a forgotten City Landmark and recognition to a most prominent Local Family that had a major impact on early Springfield.

Because of Leone's commitment to the neighborhood, I've been comfortable in investing in other properties in the area and have seen others do the same. I know he has taken precautions not to disturb the peace of the neighborhood and will continue to do so in the future. There is no better neighbor! Tony Leone has invested his time, money and heart into improving this neighborhood.

I urge the City of Springfield to assist the Pasfield House and Leone in any way it can, because the Pasfield House has added so much to Springfield.

Sincerely,



Timothy Sean McAnarney