

To the town of Tuxedo Supervisor and Councilpersons,

Many others have spoken in the past weeks as to their views on keeping both the Planning and Arch. Review Boards separate. I agree with their reasons wholeheartedly. I have two reasons why I think they should remain separate, one you have qualified candidates who want to volunteer their time and talents to this community and as I have stated in the past, these folks should be engaged, it is harder and harder to find people to give of their time, grab them, they are valuable now and may very well be sitting in your seats in the future. Your encouragement now may have positive results down the road.

Secondarily, we need to step back and consider our beautiful town. Look at the buildings, many of them are gems of architecture and even new structures, such as the train station, were designed with great care to the past, while meeting the needs of a modern community. That did not happen in a rushed, "streamlined" process. Rather it was though fully carried out by many who wanted to get it right and they did.

I urge you to please welcome those who are willing to serve, they will likely do a fantastic job respecting those who come before them and give much back to Tuxedo.

Respectfully,
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