



## Town of Bristol, Rhode Island

### *Department of Community Development*

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October 24, 2025

TO: Zoning Board

FROM: Diane M. Williamson, Director *Diane W.*

RE: **33 Sherman Avenue – Special Use Permit for 4 Chicken Hens**

The Technical Review Committee (TRC) met on October 23, 2025 to review the above application.

The TRC found that the application met the standards of the Special Use Permit except for the location of the proposed chicken coop on Christopher Street ; however, since this is a corner lot, the TRC found that this is more like a rear yard for this property. The TRC also noted that there is an existing picket fence and vegetation to screen the coop.

Based on the above, the TRC unanimously passed a motion to recommend that the Special Use Permit be approved.