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ZBA permit considerations (section 6.11(F)

- 1. **Visibility from public location:** The site is not visible from a public place or road.
- **2.** <u>Protection of natural features and landscape:</u> The addition will be located in a cleared, generally level area and will not require the require significant tree or brush removal
- 3. <u>Alteration of natural landscape:</u> The addition is on a generally level location that is currently cleared.
- 4. <u>Minimizes grading:</u> There will be no significant grading necessary for the addition and construction of the pool house.
- 5. **Road and driveways designed to curve**: There are no changes or additions to the road, driveway or parking area as part of this project
- 6. Maintains views of ridgelines: views of ridges and hills will not be affected by the project.
- 7. Buildings sited behind fields: The building will not be sited in proximity to fields
- 8. <u>Preserves and protects natural features:</u> There will be no changes to the natural landscape of the property, the addition will be located in an existing cleared area.
- 9. <u>Measures to protect water quality of ponds & wetlands:</u> There are no wetlands or ponds adjacent to the project.
- 10. <u>Minimize use of fossil fuels:</u> The project proposes to use a high efficiency air-source heat pump for heating and cooling. The project will meet or exceed all the insulation and energy requirements.
- 11. <u>Incorporates sustainable design:</u> The addition and pool house will be wood frame construction to match the existing structure.
- 12. <u>Avoids impacts to NHESP habitat:</u> The project is not located within an Estimated or Priority habitat area
- 13. <u>Protects/preserves historical resources:</u> There are no known historical or archaeological resources in proximity the proposed addition.