

Sec. 54-41. - Appeals and review.

The applicant or any interested party may file an appeal to the town council on any ruling by the commission or the building official made pursuant to this chapter. The appeal shall take the form of a letter addressed to the town clerk and shall be based upon the record. The appeal shall be filed or made within ten days. Appeals shall set forth the alleged inconsistency or nonconformity with procedures or criteria set forth in this chapter. The town council shall decide an appeal within 45 days of the filing of such appeal unless an extension of time is consented to by the applicant, and such filing shall suspend any building permit issued pursuant to the ruling of the commission or building official until the town council has decided the appeal. **The town council may review any decision of the commission or the building official, and their disposition of the matter shall be final.** Appeals filed pursuant to this section shall be based on the record of the proceedings below and shall not be presented de novo. The time allotted for presentation of an appeal shall be determined by the town council president.

(Code 1982, § 16-46; Ord. No. 6-06, § 1, 7-11-06; Ord. No. 15-2014, § 1, 10-14-14)