SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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County Counsel/TLMA

Code Enforcement Department

SUBJECT: Order to Abate [Accumulation of Rubbish];

Case No.: CV 07-8107 (SWEENEY)

Subject Property: 22207 De Prad Street, Perris

APN: 325-181-007

District Five

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that

- (1) The Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Order to Abate in Case No. CV 07-8107 be approved;
- (2) The Chairman of the Board of Supervisors be authorized to execute the Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Order to Abate in Case No. CV 07-8107; and
- (3) The Clerk of the Board of Supervisors be authorized to record the Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Order to Abate in Case No. CV 07-8107.

BACKGROUND:

On March 23, 2010, this Board received the Declaration of the Code Enforcement Officer in the above-referenced matter. At the conclusion of the hearing, this Board declared the accumulation of rubbish located on the subject property to be a public nuisance. The Board ordered the property owner to abate the violative conditions on the property and directed County Counsel to prepare the Findings of Fact, Conclusion and Order to Abate!

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			JULI E/ A. JARV	Deputy Cou	inty Counsel	
			for PAMELA J. V	VALLS, County	Counsel	
	FINANCIAL	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ N/A	In Current Year	r Budget:	N/A
		Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ N/A	Budget Adjusti	ment:	N/A
	DATA	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ N/A	For Fiscal Year	r:	N/A
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Prev. Agn. Ref.: 03/23/10; 9.3

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1	RECORDING REQUESTED BY: Kecia Harper-Ihem, Clerk of the		
2	Board of Supervisors (Stop #1010)		
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5	WHEN RECORDED PLEASE MAIL TO:		
6	Julie A. Jarvi, Deputy County Counsel County of Riverside		
7	OFFICE OF COUNTY COUNSEL 3960 Orange Street, Fifth Floor (Stop #1350) Riverside CA 02501		
8	Riverside, CA 92501 [EXEMPT'6103]		
9	BOARD OF SUPERVISORS		
10	COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE		
11	IN RE ABATEMENT OF PUBLIC NUISANCE:) CASE NO. CV 07-8107		
12	[ACCUMULATION OF RUBBISH]; APN 325-) 181-007, 22207 DE PRAD STREET, PERRIS,) FINDINGS OF FACT,		
13	RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, JAMES) CONCLUSIONS AND ORDER TO ABATE NUISANCE		
14	SWEENEY, OWNERS.) [R.C.O. Nos. 541 (RCC Chapter 8.120)		
15	and 725 (RCC Title 1)]		
16	The above-captioned matter came on regularly for hearing on March 23, 2010, before the		
17	Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside, State of California in the Board Room, First Floor		
18	Annex, County Administrative Center, 4080 Lemon Street, Riverside, California regarding the real		
19	property described as 22207 De Prad Street, Perris, Riverside County, and further described as		
20	Assessor's Parcel Number 325-181-007 referred to hereinafter as "THE PROPERTY."		
21	Julie Jarvi, Deputy County Counsel, appeared along with Brian Black, Supervising Code		
22	Enforcement Officer, on behalf of the Director of the Code Enforcement Department.		
23	Owner appeared but did not address the Board of Supervisors.		
24	The Board of Supervisors received the Declaration of Code Enforcement Officer together		
25	with the attached exhibits, evidencing the accumulation of rubbish on THE PROPERTY as a public		
26	nuisance and violation of Riverside County Ordinance No. 541, as codified in Riverside County Code		
27	Chapter 8.120.		
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FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS AND ORDER TO ABATE NUISANCE

SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE

- 1. Documents of record in the Riverside County Recorder's Office identify the OWNERS of THE PROPERTY as James Albert Sweeney and Norman Sweeney ("OWNERS").
- 2. Documents of title indicate that other parties potentially hold a legal interest in THE PROPERTY, to-wit: Industrial League Credit Union, Nicole Marie Espinoza & De La Flor, Jeffrey Gwynn, Esq., and Christopher Walker, Esq. ("INTERESTED PARTIES").
- 3. THE PROPERTY was inspected by Code Enforcement Officers on November 27, 2007, February 13, 2008, March 24, 2008, April 29, 2008, September 30, 2008, April 30, 2009, September 15, 2009, March 9, 2010 and March 19, 2010.
- 4. During each inspection, an accumulation of rubbish was observed on THE PROPERTY. The rubbish consisted of, but was not limited to: tires, vehicle parts, dismantled electronics, discarded wood, green waste, dismantled tractor, dismantled boats, dismantled spas, discarded furniture, rubbish and other miscellaneous items.
- 5. THE PROPERTY was determined to be in violation of Riverside County Ordinance No. 541 (RCC Chapter 8.120) by the Code Enforcement Officer.
- 6. A Notice of Noncompliance was recorded in the Office of the County Recorder, County of Riverside, State of California on March 19, 2008 as instrument number 2008-0133634.
- 7. On November 27, 2007, a Notice of Violation was posted on THE PROPERTY. On December 20, 2007, a Notice of Violation was mailed to OWNERS by certified mail, return receipt requested. On February 8, 2008, a Notice of Violation was mailed to OWNERS and INTERESTED PARTIES by certified mail, return receipt requested. On July 21, 2008, a Notice of Violation was mailed to INTERESTED PARTIES by certified mail, return receipt requested.
- 8. On February 16, 2010, a "Notice to Correct County Ordinance Violations and Abate Public Nuisance" providing notice of the public hearing before the Board of Supervisors on March 23, 2010, was mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested, to OWNERS and INTERESTED PARTIES and was posted on THE PROPERTY on March 9, 2010.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

WHEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside, State of California, in regular session assembled on March 23, 2010, finds and concludes that:

- 1. WHEREAS, the accumulation of rubbish on the real property located at 22207 De Prad Street, Perris, Riverside County, California, also identified as Assessor's Parcel Number 325-181-007 violates Riverside County Ordinance No. 541 and constitutes a public nuisance.
- 2. WHEREAS, THE OWNERS, or any person having possession or control of the premises should abate the condition by removing and disposing all accumulated rubbish from the subject real property in strict accordance with all Riverside County Ordinances, including but not limited to Riverside County Ordinance No. 541 (RCC Chapter 8.120) within ninety (90) days.
- 3. WHEREAS, THE OWNERS AND INTERESTED PARTIES ARE HEREBY FURTHER NOTICED that the time within which judicial review of the administrative determinations made herein must be sought is ninety (90) days from the posting and mailing of the Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Order To Abate Nuisance, and is governed by <u>California Code of Civil Procedure</u> Section 1094.6.

ORDER TO ABATE NUISANCE

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the accumulation of rubbish on THE PROPERTY be abated by THE OWNERS or anyone having possession or control of THE PROPERTY, by removing and disposing of all rubbish from the subject real property in strict accordance with all Riverside County Ordinances, including but not limited to Riverside County Ordinance No. 541 (RCC Chapter 8.120) within ninety (90) days of the date of this Order to Abate Nuisance.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if the rubbish is not removed and disposed of in strict accordance with all Riverside County Ordinances, including but not limited to Riverside County Ordinance No. 541, within ninety (90) days of the date of this Order to Abate Nuisance, the rubbish shall be abated and disposed of by representatives of the Riverside County Code Enforcement, a contractor or the Sheriff's Department upon receipt of an owner's consent or a Court Order authorizing entry onto THE PROPERTY when necessary under applicable law.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that reasonable abatement costs, after notice and opportunity

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for hearing, shall be imposed as a lien on THE PROPERTY, which may be collected as a special assessment against THE PROPERTY pursuant to Government Code section 25845 and Riverside County Ordinance Nos. 541 and 725. Under Riverside County Ordinance No. 725, "abatement costs" means "any costs or expenses reasonably related to the abatement of conditions which violate County Land Use Ordinances, and shall include, but not be limited to, enforcement, investigation, collection and administrative costs, attorneys fees, and the costs associated with the removal or correction of the violation." Reasonable abatement costs accrued by the Code Enforcement Department will be recoverable from the property owner(s) even if THE PROPERTY is brought into compliance within ninety (90) days of the date of this Order to Abate Nuisance.

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9	compliance within ninety (90) day	ys of the date of this Order to Abate Nuisance.
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11	Dated:	COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
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13 14		By Marion Ashley Chairman, Board of Supervisors
15 16	ATTEST: KECIA HARPER-IHEM	
17	Clerk to the Board	
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