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



FROM: County Counsel/TLMA

Code Enforcement Department

SUBMITTAL DATE: April 15, 2015

SUBJECT: Order to Abate [Accumulated Rubbish];

Case No. CV11-00368 [T.H. CONSTRUCTION, LLC]

Subject Property: 3 Parcels North West of 64635 16th Avenue, Desert Hot Springs

APN: 666-050-010 District: 5 [\$0.00]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve the Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Order to Abate in Case No. CV11-00368;

2. Authorize the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors to execute the Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Order to Abate in Case No. CV11-00368; and

3. Authorize the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to record the Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Order to Abate in Case No. CV11-00368.

BACKGROUND:

Summary

On March 24, 2015, this Board received the declaration of the Code Enforcement Officer in the above referenced matter and declared the accumulated rubbish located on the subject property to be a public (Continued)

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> > For Fiscal Year:

FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost:	POLICY/CONSENT (per Exec. Office)
COST	\$	\$	\$	\$	Consent I Policy □
NET COUNTY COST	\$	\$	\$	\$	Consent the Folloy E
SOURCE OF FUN	DS:	Budget Adjusti	ment:		

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROV

County Executive Office Signature

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Benoit, seconded by Supervisor Washington and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is received and filed as recommended.

Ayes:

Jeffries, Tavaglione, Washington, Benoit and Ashley

Nays: Absent:

None None

Date:

April 28, 2015

XC:

District: 5

Agenda Number:

Keqia Harper-Ihem

Positions Added Change Order

4/5 Vote

□ Prev. Agn. Ref.: 03/24/15; 9.4

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BACKGROUND:

Summary (continued)

nuisance. The Board ordered the property owner to abate the violative conditions on the property and directed County Counsel to prepare Findings of Fact, Conclusions and Order to Abate.

Impact on Citizens and Businesses

When property owners abate nuisances on their property, the surrounding neighborhood's safety, attractiveness and land values are potentially increased.

SUPPLEMENTAL:

Additional Fiscal Information

N/A

Contract History and Price Reasonableness

N/A

ATTACHMENTS

Findings of Fact

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3	(Stop #1010)	County of Riverside Assessor, County Clerk & Recorder			
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5	WHEN RECORDED PLEASE MAIL TO: Michelle Cervantes, Senior Code Enforcement Officer				
6	Regina Keyes, Senior Code Enforcement Officer CODE ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENT				
7	4080 Lemon Street, Twelfth Floor (Stop #1012) Riverside, CA 92501	[EXEMPT GC §§ 6103 and 27383]			
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9	BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE				
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11	IN RE ABATEMENT OF PUBLIC NUISANCE:) [ACCUMULATION OF RUBBISH];)	CASE NO. CV 11-00368			
12	APN 666-050-010, 3 PARCELS NORTH WEST) OF 64635 16 TH AVENUE, DESERT HOT)	FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS AND ORDER TO			
13	SPRINGS, RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA;	ABATE NUISANCE			
14	T.H. CONSTRUCTION, LLC.,	R.C.O. Nos. 541 and 725			
15	OWNER.				
16)				
17	The above-captioned matter came on regularly t	for hearing on March 24, 2015, before the			
18	Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside, State of California in the Board Room, First Floor				
19	Annex, County Administrative Center, 4080 Lemon Street, Riverside, California regarding the real				
20	property described as 3 Parcels North West of 64635 16 th Avenue, Desert Hot Springs, Riverside				

County, and further described as Assessor's Parcel Number 666-050-010 referred to hereinafter as "THE PROPERTY."

Sophia Choi, Deputy County Counsel, appeared along with Michelle Cervantes, Senior Code Enforcement Officer, on behalf of the Director of the Code Enforcement Department.

Owner did not appear.

The Board of Supervisors received the Declaration of Code Enforcement Officer together with the attached exhibits, evidencing the accumulation of rubbish on THE PROPERTY as a public nuisance and violation of Riverside County Ordinance No. 541.

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SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE

- 1. Documents of record in the Riverside County Recorder's Office identify the OWNER of THE PROPERTY as T.H. Construction, LLC ("OWNER").
- 2. Documents of title indicate that no other parties potentially hold a legal interest in THE PROPERTY.
- 3. THE PROPERTY was inspected by Code Enforcement Officers on April 28, 2012 and on fifteen (15) additional occasions, the last being March 12, 2015.
- 4. During each inspection, an accumulation of rubbish was observed on THE PROPERTY. The rubbish consisted of, but was not limited to: tires, discarded furniture, discarded household items, scrap wood, a boat, green waste and miscellaneous household items.
- 5. THE PROPERTY was determined to be in violation of Riverside County Ordinance No. 541 by the Code Enforcement Officer.
- 6. A Notice of Pendency of Administrative Proceedings was recorded in the Office of the County Recorder, County of Riverside, State of California on September 7, 2012, as instrument number 2012-0428532.
- 7. On April 28, 2012 and August 28, 2014, a Notice of Violation was posted on THE PROPERTY. On May 3, 2012, a Notice of Violation was mailed to OWNER by U.S. mail and on August 27, 2014, a Notice of Violation was mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested.
- 8. A "Notice to Correct County Ordinance Violations and Abate Public Nuisance" providing notice of the public hearing before the Board of Supervisors on March 24, 2015, was mailed to OWNER and was posted on THE PROPERTY.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

WHEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside, State of California, in regular session assembled on March 24, 2015, finds and concludes that:

1. WHEREAS, the accumulation of rubbish on the real property located at 3 Parcels North West of 63635 16th Avenue, Desert Hot Springs, Riverside County, California, also identified as Assessor's Parcel Number 666-050-010 violates Riverside County Ordinance No. 541 and constitutes a public nuisance.

- 2. WHEREAS, the OWNER, or any person having possession or control of the premises shall 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 within ninety (90) days.
- 3. WHEREAS, the OWNER IS 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 California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6.

ORDER TO ABATE NUISANCE

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the accumulation of rubbish on THE PROPERTY be abated by OWNER 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 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 may 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 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

1	compliance within ninety (90) days of the date of this Order to Abate Nuisance.					
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3	Dated:April 28, 2015	COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE				
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5		By Marion Ashley Chairman Board of Supervisors				
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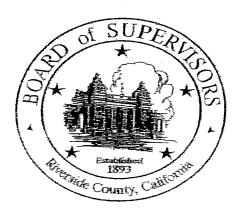
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CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to the provisions of Government Code 27361.7, I certify under the penalty of perjury that the following is a true copy of illegible wording found in the attached document:

(Print or type the page number(s) and wording below):

CLARIFICATION OF THE SEAL for the Riverside County Board of Supervisors (embossed on document)



Date:

4-28-15

Signature:

Print Name:

Karen Barton, Board Assistant, Riverside County Clerk of the Board

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