

RESOLUTION NO. 21-R17

A RESOLUTION DETERMINING THAT A CERTAIN BUILDING OR STRUCTURE LOCATED AT **515 N 14TH STREET** IN FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA, 34950 IS UNSAFE AND A NUISANCE THAT CONSTITUTES A MENACE TO THE BUSINESS, HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE COMMUNITY; AND THAT ALL PARTIES OF INTEREST MUST SHOW CAUSE WHY THE STRUCTURE SHOULD NOT BE **DEMOLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FORT PIERCE**; AND NOTIFYING ALL PARTIES OF POTENTIAL ACTION BY THE CITY OF FORT PIERCE FOR FAILURE TO ACT; AND THAT A **PUBLIC HEARING BE HELD AT THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED CITY COMMISSION MEETING ON MAY3, 2021 AT 6:00 PM**, IN THE CITY COMMISSION CHAMBERS LOCATED AT 100 NORTH US HIGHWAY 1, FORT PIERCE, FLORIDA; AND PROVIDING FOR NOTICE TO ALL PARTIES.

WHEREAS, the building or structure located at 515 N 14th Street, Fort Pierce, Florida, 34950 has been declared unsafe in accordance with Section 112 of the International Property Maintenance Code as adopted by the City Commission in January 2017; and

WHEREAS, Section 112 of the International Property Maintenance Code requires that when a structure is found by the Code Official to be unsafe, such structure shall be condemned; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission determines that unsafe buildings or structures are declared a nuisance and constitute a menace to the business, health and safety of the community; and

WHEREAS, there shall be a public hearing before the City Commission whereby any and all interested parties may appear and show cause as to why said building or structure should not be condemned and its removal or destruction required;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Commission of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida;

SECTION 1. That the City Commission determines that the building or structure located on the said lot, tract, or parcel of land within the City of Fort Pierce, St. Lucie County, Florida, described as follows:

515 N 14TH STREET

GOLDSMITH'S S/D BLK 1 LOT 7 AND E 7.5 FT OF VAC
ALLEY ADJ ON W

Parcel ID: 2409-503-0008-000/1

is unsafe and a nuisance that constitutes a menace to the business, health and safety of the community.

SECTION 2. The owners, agents, or any person, firm or corporation having a lien on, or interest in, said building or structure, which lien or interest is a matter of record in the public records of St. Lucie County, Florida, show cause, if any, before the City Commission of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida why said building or structure, which was condemned by the Code Official in accordance with Section 108 of the International Property Maintenance Code, should not be removed or demolished.

EUGENE BROWN JR
2602 ESSEX DRIVE
FT PIERCE, FL, 34946

CINDA MAE WITTMAN
2089 EVANS PRAIRIE TRAIL
THE VILLAGES, FL, 32163

SECTION 3. Should the interested parties fail to show cause as to why the City Commission should not order the demolition or removal of the building or structure and fail to comply with any order of the City Commission requiring such removal or destruction, the City of Fort Pierce shall provide for its removal or destruction, the cost of which shall constitute a lien up on said property.

SECTION 4. This matter will be heard at the regularly scheduled meeting of the City Commission of the City of Fort Pierce on May 3, 2021 at 6:00 PM in the City Commission Chambers located at 100 North US Highway 1, Fort Pierce, Florida.

SECTION 5. The hereinbefore named persons, firms, or corporations, shall be provided notice of the scheduled hearing by mailing a certified copy of this resolution by registered or certified mail at least ten (10) days prior to the date of said hearing by the City Clerk for the City of Fort Pierce, Florida.

SECTION 6. This resolution shall be effective immediately upon final adoption by the Commission.

IN WITNESS HEREWITH, we hereunto set our hands and affix the Official Seal of the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, this 5th day of April, 2021.

Linda Hudson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Linda W. Cox, City Clerk

(SEAL)

Approved as to Form
And Correctness:

Peter J. Sweeney, Esq.
City Attorney