



Community Development

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Code Enforcement Tracking Report

Case Status	Complaint Date	Description of Complaint	Location/Address	Date of Initial Inspection	Date of Written Notice	Current Status	Next Follow-up Date	Final Compliance Date
Open	9/17/2019	Tall Grass/Weeds, Debris	Property E of East Scenic Valley Ave	9/17/2019		Discussed this with the representative for property owner. Tall grass and weeds will be mowed, and they will work to get remaining construction debris off the property.	12/26/2019	
Open	11/19/2019	Trash next to front door and in back yard.	405 West 17th	12/3/2019	12/3/2019	Door hanger left on 12/3. Spoke with Corey Miller and established a date of 12/27/2019 to have junk and debris cleaned up.	12/26/2019	
Open	12/4/2019	Trash piled up throughout property.	208 South D Street	12/4/2019	12/6/2019	Letter sent to Property owner on 12/6. Abate. Currently being abated. Will take a few days to complete.	12/26/2019	
Open		Unsafe Building	210 N Jefferson	7/29/2019	7/31/2019	Relative of the property owner claimed the home would be rehabbed. Notice of unsafe building issued. Work being done on building. Spoke with contractor on 10/17/19 about structural portion of front porch. Contractor will be pulling building permit sometime within the next week. Spoke with property owner on 10/30. She asked for a 30 day extension to finish the exterior. 30 day extension was granted.	12/26/2019	
Open		Junk/Junk Vehicles	1105 E Salem	4/22/2019	4/26/2019	Spoke with Kevin King. He said he will remove manhole and keep us updated.	12/26/2019	
Open		Unsafe Building	306 S F Street	4/17/2018	8/16/2019	Property owned by United States Dept Of Agriculture. Attempting to make contact with property owner. Nothing has been done to date. Posted as unsafe. Will check regularly.	12/26/2019	
Open		Abandon/Unsafe Building	506 N Kenwood Blvd	4/17/2018	5/6/2019	Municipal Infraction Issued. Service has been attempted on property owner, and has failed. Discovered that property was in foreclosure, and was sold on August 15. New owner is working on updating property. Property is now for sale.	12/26/2019	
Open		Abandon/Unsafe Building	911 N C Street	3/28/2019	4/5/2019	Notice of unsafe building issued. Property owner has applied for a building permit. Property owner met with staff to discuss timeline. Now has trash all over yard. Notice served. Municipal infraction served on 10/21/2019. Will check regularly. Has started painting structure.	12/26/2019	
Open		Abandon/Unsafe Building	2103 N Jefferson	4/17/2018	5/6/2019	Municipal Infraction Issued. Property owner has discussed next steps with staff, including demolition. Will check regularly.	12/26/2019	
Open		Unsafe Building	208 N Jefferson Way	4/17/2018		D&D lot has closed. Property owner has indicated demo will take place before November. Spoke with Chad on 10/31. Said he is waiting for Mid-American to disconnect the gas service before demo. As soon as gas is disconnected, he will come in and pull demo permit. Mid-American on site today 11/14/19 disconnecting gas. Spoke with Chad Keller on 12/6/2019. He said both houses will be torn down by January 1st, 2020.	1/1/2020	
Open		Unsafe Building	206 N Jefferson	4/17/2018		D&D lot has closed. Property owner has indicated demo will take place before November. Spoke with Chad on 10/31. Said he is waiting for Mid-American to disconnect the gas service before demo. As soon as gas is disconnected, he will come in and pull demo permit. Mid-American on site today 11/14/19 disconnecting gas. Spoke with Chad Keller on 12/6/2019. He said both houses will be torn down by January 1st, 2020.	1/1/2020	
Open		Abandon/Unsafe Building	310 E Boston	3/28/2019	4/5/2019	Property posted as unsafe. Building has been ordered to be vacated and was posted to prevent further occupancy until the work is completed. Met with owner to discuss timing for making improvements. Deadline set for November 1. Work has commenced on west side of house. Will check regularly.	1/1/2020	



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Open		Unsafe Building	407 West 1st Ave	12/11/2019	12/11/2019	House caught fire over thanksgiving weekend 11/28/2019. Inspected house on 12/11/2019 to determine extent of damage and see if the structure can be saved. Unfortunately the structure cannot be saved and must be torn down. Sent letter to property owner on 12/11/2019 ordering the house to be demolished by January 20th, 2020.	1/21/2020	
Open		Unsafe Building	401 W Salem	6/25/2019	6/26/2019	Notice of unsafe building issued. Property owner obtained a building permit for work. Substantial progress made. Still needs to finish roof and siding.	3/30/2020	
Closed	10/22/2019	Tall grass/Weeds	1603 West Detroit	10/23/2019	10/24/2019	Sent Letter 10/24/2019. Abated on 11/19/2019		11/19/2019
Closed	11/20/2019	Furniture on curb	610 North N Street	12/3/2019	12/9/2019	Abated.		12/20/2019
Closed		Trash piled up between garage and fence on the east side of the property.	912 West Detroit	12/3/2019	12/9/2019	Door hanger left on 12/3. Letter sent to Property owner on 12/9.		12/12/2019
Closed	11/4/2019	Mattress on curb	806 North J	11/5/2019	11/5/2019	Owner called and said she purchased tags for it to be picked up by trash company and it will be gone by Monday 11/11/19		11/12/2019