

# **APPLICATION FOR APPEAL**

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HEARING DATE & TIME (provided by Legislative Hearing Office) Tuesday, February 23, 2021  Time 11:30 a.m. Location of Hearing: Room 330 City Hall/Courthouse Teleconference  Call between 11:30 a.m. 4 1:00 p.m.
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City of Saint Paul

375 Jackson street

St Paul MN 55101

Department of Safety and inspection

Efrayn Franquiz,

Re; 926 Arcade Trust

REF: 14567

Item: Four Exterior - SPLC 34.09 (2) second storey gable red shingles

Red shingles on south side of building, some of shingles are visible from street rest of them still have snow on them can't be seen, if they are worn or defected, it is also a problem with the winter weather to get a contactor to bid this job. The covid 19 problem also is making it hard to get this work competed in the time given. There is now damage to the interior of building because of this item splc-34.09(2). At this time Arcade Trust would ask for a appeal or a wavier of this item until weather permits this item to be addressed. Thank YOU

**Arcade Trust** 

P.O. Box 8553

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January 22, 2021

ARCADE TRUST PO BOX 8553 MINNEAPOLIS MN 55408-0553 USA

#### FIRE INSPECTION CORRECTION NOTICE

RE:

928 ARCADE ST

Ref. #14567

Dear Property Representative:

Your building was inspected on January 22, 2021 for the renewal of your Fire Certificate of Occupancy. Approval for occupancy will be granted upon compliance with the following deficiency list. The items on the list must be corrected prior to the re-inspection date.

## A re-inspection will be made on February 24, 2021 at 1:00 PM.

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The hard-wired smoke alarm failed to test with very poor sound quality. The alarm cannot be heard when tested.

- 3. Exterior Back of Building SPLC 34.09 (4), 34.33 (3) Repair and maintain the window in good condition. -There is a window at the back of the building with broken glass.
- 4. Exterior Roof SPLC 34.09 (2), 34.33 (1) Provide and maintained the roof weather tight and free from defects. -There are worn and damaged shingles.
- 5. Grocery Store Office SPLC 34.19 Provide access to the inspector to all areas of the building. -Provide access to the office in the grocery store.
- 6. Grocery Store Refrigerator Area NEC 440.13 For cord-connected equipment such as: room air conditioners, household refrigerators and freezers, drinking water coolers, and beverage dispensers, a separable connector or an attachment plug and receptacle shall be permitted to serve as the disconnecting means. The appliance must plug directly into a permanent outlet. -In the North West corner of the grocery store, the commercial refrigerators are plugged into a multi-plug adapter.
- 7. Grocery Store Back Storage Area MSFC 703.1, 1106.1 Provide and maintain fire rated floor and/or ceiling construction with approved materials and methods. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-8989. The minimum rating must be: One hour. In the back-storage area, there is a section of the ceiling with a very large hole. Properly repair this opening with approved fire rated material.
- 8. Grocery Store Fire Extinguisher MSFC 906.5 Conspicuous location. Portable fire extinguishers shall be in conspicuous locations where they will be readily accessible and immediately available for use. These locations shall be along normal paths of travel, unless the fire code official determines that the hazard posed indicates the need for placement away from normal paths of travel.
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- 10. Interior Basement MSFC 605.6 Provide electrical cover plates to all outlets, switches and junction boxes where missing. -There is a junction box in the North section of the basement that is missing the cover.
- Interior Basement MMC 603.9, 604 Repair, maintain or install proper insulation and duct sealant in compliance with the mechanical code. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-8989.
  There is a very large opening in the wall where the exhaust duct is going through. Properly repair and seal this opening to develop a positive flow adequate to convey all products of combustion to the outside.

- 12. Interior Basement MFGC 408 Install drip tee in gas line in compliance with the fuel gas code. This work requires a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-8989.-One of the water heaters does not have an approved drip tee. There is an unapproved elbow connector at the bottom.
- 13. Interior Basement MSFC 803.1 Wall and/or ceiling finishes exceed the code requirements for flame spread ratings. Remove or provide documentation of flame spread compliance. -In the Northern section of the basement, the walls filled with yellow batting has an unapproved plastic cover over it. Remove the plastic or properly cover with gypsum board or provide documentation.
- 14. Interior Basement SPLC 34.10 (7), 34.17 (5) Repair and maintain the walls in an approved manner. In the Southern section of the basement (mechanical room), there is a section of the stone wall that has a very large indentation/opening that is deteriorating. There is a small behind a rock in the wall and evidence of erosion can be seen by the sand and crumbling rocks on the floor.
- 15. Interior Basement Stairs SPLC 34.10 (3), 34.34(2) Repair or replace the unsafe stairway in an approved manner. -Both stairs leading to the basement have stairs treads that are cracked and damaged. Replace the stair treads.
- 16. Interior Basement Stairway MSFC 703.1 Provide and maintain fire rated wall construction with approved materials and methods. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-8989. The minimum rating must be: -One hour. There is a section of the basement stairway wall that has a large piece broken off and there are cracks and holes on the other walls.
- 17. Interior Fire Extinguishers MSFC 901.6 Provide required annual maintenance of the fire extinguishers by a qualified person and tag the fire extinguishers with the date of service. -In the commercial and residential area, there are expired fire extinguishers.
- 18. Interior Front Handrails SPLC 34.10 (3), 34.34(2) Repair or replace the damaged handrail in an approved manner. -A section of the right handrail near the top is coming loose from the wall and the brackets are coming loose.
- 19. Interior Smoke Alarm MSFC 1103.8.1 Replacement of smoke alarms. Single- and multiple-station smoke alarms shall be replaced when: 2. They exceed 10 years from the date of manufacture. Smoke alarms shall be replaced with smoke alarms having the same type of power supply.
  - -The hard-wired smoke alarms in the common area hallway are expired.
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- 25. Unit 03 Bedroom MSFC 605.6 Provide electrical cover plates to all outlets, switches and junction boxes where missing.
- 26. Unit 03 Bedroom SPLC 34.23, MSFC 110.1 This occupancy is condemned as unsafe or dangerous. This occupancy must not be used until re-inspected and approved by this office. -The bedroom has been condemned because the egress window is unsafe to use.
- 27. Unit 03 Bedroom MSFC 1030.1 Provide and maintain an approved escape window from each sleeping room or area or discontinue use of area as a sleeping room. This work may require permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-8989.-The bedroom egress window slams down very hard and is unsafe to use. Immediately repair or replace this window.
- 28. Unit 03 Bedroom Door MSFC 1030.2 Remove the materials that cause an exit obstruction. Maintain a clear and unobstructed exit path. -Remove the basketball fixture on the bedroom door frame.
- 29. Unit 03 CO Alarm MN State Statute 299F.50 Immediately provide and maintain an approved Carbon Monoxide Alarm in a location within ten (10) feet of each sleeping area. Installation shall be in accordance with manufacturer's instructions. -The carbon monoxide alarm is missing.
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If you have any questions, email me at: Efrayn.Franquiz@ci.stpaul.mn.us or call me at 651-266-8955 between 7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Please help to make Saint Paul a safer place in which to live and work.

Sincerely,

Efrayn Franquiz
Fire Safety Inspector

Reference Number 14567



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## Homeowner's Building Permit Affidavit

I, the undersigned, certify that I own the residential real estate<sup>1</sup> for which I am applying for a building permit, located at:

928 Ancido St SANTRAI MN 551076
(Property Location)

I understand that the State of Minnesota requires all residential building contractors, remodelers and roofers to obtain a state license for work performed on residential real estate (as defined by Minnesota Statute 326B.802, subd.13) unless they qualify for a specific exemption from licensing requirements. I hereby claim to be exempt from state licensing requirements because I am not building or improving this property for purposes of resale.

I acknowledge that I may be hiring independent contractors to perform certain aspects of the construction or improvement of this property and I understand that some of these contractors may require a license. I understand that unlicensed residential contracting, remodeling, and/or roofing activity is a misdemeanor under Minnesota Statute 326B.845, subd.2, and that I would forfeit my right to reimbursement from the Contractors' Recovery Fund in the event that any contractor I hire is unlicensed.

I also acknowledge that as the contractor for this project, I am personally responsible for any violation of the state building code or other applicable law or ordinance resulting from work performed on this property.

(Print Name)

(Signature of Property Owner)

Feb 13/2011

To determine if a contractor is required to be licensed, or to verify the licensing status of an individual contractor, please contact the following:

for mechanical contractor ............ City of St. Paul, Department of Safety and Inspections (651) 266-8989

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Residential real estate" means a new or existing building constructed for habitation by one to four families, and includes detached garages. (Minnesota Statute 326B.802, subd.13)



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