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## **APPLICATION FOR APPEAL**

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### Saint Paul City Clerk

310 City Hall, 15 W. Kellogg Blvd. Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102 Telephone: (651) 266-8560

The City Clerk needs the following to process your appeal:	
\$25 filing fee payable to the City of Saint Paul (if cash: receipt number)  Copy of the City-issued orders or letter which are being appealed  Attachments you may wish to include  This appeal form completed  Walk-In OR  Mail-In	YOUR HEARING Date and Time:  Tuesday, No.13 2012  Time 2.30 P.M  Location of Hearing: Room 330 City Hall/Courthouse
Address Being Appealed:	
Number & Street: 120 Elizabeth E City: St Paul State: MN Zip: 55107	
Appellant/Applicant: Atemio Alvarado Email	
Phone Numbers: Business <u>481-808-4044</u> Residence <u>651-776-3027</u> Cell  Signature: At Verse Date: 1/-5-20/2	
Name of Owner (if other than Appellant): Atemio Alvarado	
Address (if not Appellant's):	
Phone Numbers: Business Residence	Cell
What Is Being Appealed and Why?  Vacate Order/Condemnation/ Revocation of Fire C of O	
Summary/Vehicle Abatement	use
□ Fire C of O Deficiency List	
□ Fire C of O: Only Egress Windows	
□ Code Enforcement Correction Notice	
Vacant Building Registration	

Certificate of occupancy revocate

#### DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND INSPECTIONS

Steve Magner, Manager of Code Enforcement

CITY OF SAINT PAUL
Christopher B. Coleman, Mayor

Nuisance Building Code Enforcement 375 Jackson Street, Suite 220 Saint Paul, MN 55101-1806

651-266-8989 651-266-1919 www.stpaul.gov/dsi

October 22, 2012

Caroll C Hall 7201 Stevens Ave Richfield MN 55423-3128

#### VACANT BUILDING REGISTRATION NOTICE

### The premises at 120 ELIZABETH ST E

has been inspected and found to meet the legal definition of a Vacant Building as described in Saint Paul Legislative Code, Chapter 43. You are required to register this building with the Department of Safety and Inspections, Vacant Buildings Division, by filling out and returning the registration form provided with this letter. You are also required to pay the annual Vacant Building Registration Fee of \$1,100.00 The fee is due upon receipt of this letter and must be paid no later than thirty (30) days from the date of this letter, as required in Saint Paul Legislative Code Chapter 43. If this building is vacant due to a fire, complete the enclosed registration form and return it to this office within 30 days.

Please return the enclosed registration form along with your payment by November 22, 2012.

#### Do not mail cash.

If you wish to pay in person, you may do so from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday at:

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND INSPECTIONS 375 Jackson Street, Suite 220 Saint Paul, MN 55101-1806

You may file an appeal to this fee or registration requirements by contacting the Office of the City Clerk at (651) 266-8688. Any appeal of this fee must be made within ten (10) days of the date of this notice.

If the registration fee is not received in this office within 45 days of the date of this letter the full amount owed will be assessed to, and collected with, the taxes for this property as permitted by Saint Paul Legislative Code Chapter 43.

The Code Enforcement Officer has notified the Building Inspection And Design Section that this property meets the legal definition of a registered vacant building and in accordance with Legislative Code Chapter 33, no permits (except demolition, wrecking and removal permits) will be issued until the requirements of all applicable ordinances are fulfilled.

All category 2 and category 3 vacant buildings must be winterized with gas and water services shut off or, alternately, an excess flow gas valve must be installed in the dwelling, within sixty (60) days of the date of this Notice.

# WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE CITY OF SAINT PAUL IS REQUIRED BEFORE A CATEGORY 2 OR CATEGORY 3 VACANT BUILDING CAN BE OCCUPIED OR SOLD.

- Category 2: Requirements include: 1. register/re-register the building, 2. pay outstanding fee(s), 3. obtain a code compliance report, 4. submit for approval a rehab cost estimate from a licensed contractor and a schedule for completion of all code compliance work, 5. submit proof of financial responsibility acceptable to the City, and 6. obtain Zoning approval of the proposed use.
- Category 3: All requirements listed for Category 2 vacant buildings, AND obtain a Certificate of Occupancy OR Certificate of Code Compliance prior to the sale of the building.

If the use of this building meets the definition of a nonconforming use by the Zoning Code then the use will lose its nonconforming status 365 days from the date the building was declared vacant.

You must contact the Enforcement officer, Matt Dornfeld, at 651-266-1902 to find out what must be done before this building can be legally reoccupied.

The Enforcement Officer may declare this building(s) to constitute a Nuisance Building subject to demolition and issue an Order to Abate under authority of Legislative Code Chapter 45. In the event this building is declared a Nuisance Building subject to demolition, the Enforcement Officer will notify all owners and interested parties of the Order to Abate, as provided in the Legislative Code Chapter 45.

If you have questions about this annual registration fee or other vacant building requirements, please contact the Enforcement Officer, Matt Dornfeld, at 651-266-1902.

This registration form and fee is required by law. Your prompt attention to this matter is appreciated.

Thank You,

Steve Magner Vacant Buildings Program Manager Department of Safety and Inspections

Enclosures:

Regulations Requirements Information Vacant Building Registration Form

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CITY OF SAINT PAUL Christopher B. Coleman, Mayor

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October 18, 2012

Artemio F Alvarado/Cliseria Alvarado 1071 WILSON AVE ST PAUL MN 55106-5739

#### Revocation of Fire Certificate of Occupancy and Order to Vacate

RE:

120 ELIZABETH ST E

Ref. # 115231

#### Dear Property Representative:

Your building was determined to be a registered vacant building on October 18, 2012. Since certificates are for the occupancy of buildings, it has become necessary to revoke the Certificate of Occupancy.

Saint Paul Legislative Code provides that no building shall be occupied without a Certificate of Occupancy. In order to re-occupy the building, the following deficiencies (if applicable) must be corrected and a complete Certificate of Occupancy inspection will be required.

#### **DEFICIENCY LIST**

- 1. Exterior North Staircase and Decking SPLC 34.09 (2), 34.32(2) Repair or replace the unsafe stairways, porch, decks or railings in an approved manner. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-9090.-Replace front staircase under building permit. Staircase missing and decking missing from front staircase.
- 2. Exterior Screens and Storm Windows SPLC 34.09 (3), 34.32 (3) Provide or repair and maintain the window screen.-Repair or replace missing or damaged screens and storm windows throughout property.
- 3. Exterior South Deck SPLC 34.09 (2), 34.32(2) Repair or replace the unsafe stairways, porch, decks or railings in an approved manner. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-9090.-Replace all missing deck boards under building permit.
- 4. Exterior South Deck SPLC 34.09 (2) 34.32 (2) Provide an approved guardrail with intermediate balustrade or rails 4 inches or less apart. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-9090.-Replace missing guardrails along south deck under building permit.

- 5. Garage South Security Lighting SPLC 34.14 (2) f Provide and maintain an minimum of 1 foot candle at the grade level of exterior exits and entryways for security. This work may require a permit(s). Call DSI at (651) 266-9090.-Replace broken/missing security lighting on garage facing south deck.
- 6. House Chimney SPLC 34.08 (5), 34.31 (3) Repair, replace and maintain all exterior surfaces on fences, sheds, garages and other accessory structures free from holes and deterioration. Provide and maintain exterior unprotected surfaces painted or protected from the elements.-Repair loose and missing mortar, joints and bricks along chimney stack.
- 7. Interior Access SPLC 34.19 Provide access to the inspector to all areas of the building.-Failure to meet the inspector for the scheduled appointment or failure to contact the inspector to reschedule the scheduled appointment will result in enforcement action.
- 8. SPLC 34.11 (6), 34.34 (3) Provide service of heating facility by a licensed contractor which must include a carbon monoxide test. Submit a completed copy of the Saint Paul Fire Marshal's Existing Fuel Burning Equipment Safety Test Report to this office.
- 9. SPLC 39.02(c) Complete and sign the smoke detector affidavit and return it to this office.

Saint Paul Legislative Code authorizes this inspection and collection of inspection fees. For forms, fee schedule, inspection handouts, or information on some of the violations contained in this report, please visit our web page at: http://www.stpaul.gov/cofo

You have the right to appeal these orders to the Legislative Hearing Officer. Applications for appeals may be obtained at the Office of the City Clerk, 310 City Hall, City/County Courthouse, 15 W Kellogg Blvd, Saint Paul MN 55102 Phone: (651-266-8688) and must be filed within 10 days of the date of this order.

If you have any questions, email me at: sean.westenhofer@ci.stpaul.mn.us or call me at 651-266-8982 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,

Sean Westenhofer Fire Inspector Ref. # 115231