



MEMORIAL TOWN HALL / 18 CHURCH STREET

NORTH HAVEN, CONNECTICUT 06473



REPLY TO:

Tel. (203) 239-5321 Fax (203) 234-2130

April 9, 2021

VIA FIRST-CLASS MAIL

Rodney L. and Valerie Richardson 390 Skiff Street North Haven, Connecticut 06473

Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION OF BLIGHT PREVENTION ORDINANCE Issued to 390 Skiff Street, North Haven on November 22, 2019

Dear Rodney L. and Valerie Richardson:

As you are aware, a Notice of Violation of the North Haven Blight Prevention Ordinance was issued against your property at 390 Skiff Street, North Haven ("Property) on November 22, 2019 and you have not yet remedied all of the blight conditions at the Property as cited in the Notice of Violation.

Therefore, the property has been included in the Notice of Meeting for the next Meeting of the Blight Prevention Appeals Board, which is **Tuesday**, **April 20**, **2021 at 7:00 P.M**. via ZOOM video conference so that the Board may hear a status update from the Blight Prevention Officer on the property of 390 Skiff Street, North Haven at that time.

As indicated in the enclosed Notice of Meeting, the Board's April 20th 2021 Meeting will be held via ZOOM videoconference and conference call for the purposes listed below.

Due to Governor Ned Lamont's March 10, 2020 declaration of a public health emergency and civil preparedness emergency and his subsequently issued Executive Orders; and, due to the spread of Coronavirus Disease 2019 in the State of Connecticut including New Haven County, in-person public access to this meeting will not be permitted.

All meeting materials which will be distributed to the Board, will be posted on the Town's website at http://www.town.north-haven.ct.us/ and will be available for viewing twenty-four (24) hours prior to, during, and after the meeting. Members of the public who wish to submit materials relevant to the public hearing on the agenda are encouraged to do so no later than 12:00 PM on Monday, April 19, 2021 for distribution to the Board and posting on the Town's website.

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The public can participate in the public hearing and listen to the remainder of the meeting from a computer, tablet, or smartphone via the following link:

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You are encouraged to keep the Blight Prevention Officer, Elio Floriano or his Designee; Arthur Hausman informed of your remediation efforts as they proceed so that the Board can be fully apprised of all effort at the time of the update.

Elio Floriano and Arthur Hausman are available through the Building Office at (203) 239-5321, extension 405 and 440, respectively, if you remedy the blight conditions at the Property or if you have any questions.

The Building Office is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday by appointment only. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Lynn K. Sadosky, P.E.

Director of Public Works

Blight Prevention Officer/Designee

Enclosure

c: Town Attorney, Dir. Public Works, Land Use Administrator, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Quinnipiac Valley Health District

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7 p.m. Food vendors will be offering fair favorites, including fried dough, fresh-squeezed lemonade, fried Oreos, cotton candy, pulled pork, donuts, baked potatoes, kettle corn, fresh-cut fries, and

While Kirsten is hoping for a return to the North Haven Fair for 2021, for now she is concentrating on building the Craft Barn Outdoor Series so she can not only share her creations, but reconnect with the crafting community

"Vendors love live events because they love the community and the interaction with customers and making friends within the craft community. It's such a great community and everyone is so supportive of each other," says Kirsten. "I enjoy volunteering, too, because I get to reach out to other crafters and it's fun to see what unique crafts are out there."

TOWN OF NORTH HAVEN

BLIGHT PREVENTION APPEALS BOARD

TO RESIDENTS AND TAXPAYERS OF THE TOWN OF NORTH HAVEN AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES:

The North Haven Blight Prevention Appeals Board will hold its Regular Meeting on Tuesday, April 20, 2021 at 7:00 PM via ZOOM videoconference and conference call for the purposes listed below.

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This meeting of the Blight Prevention Appeals Board is being held for the following purposes:

PUBLIC HEARING:

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PUBLIC HEARING: On the appeal by the property owner(s) of 1 Bassett Road, North Haven to the Board for the Notice of Violation issued by the Blight Prevention Officer's Designee dated February 23, 2021.

OTHER: 1. To consider and act upon a recommendation of the Blight Prevention Officer to issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 16 Alexander Drive, North Haven.

2. To consider and act upon a recommendation of the Blight Prevention Officer to issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 59 Bailey Road, North Haven.

3. To consider and act upon a recommendation of the Blight Prevention Officer to issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 36 Bishop Street, North Haven. 4. To consider and act upon a recommendation of the Blight Prevention Officer to

issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 19 Country Way, North Haven. 5. To consider and act upon a recommendation of the Blight Prevention Officer to

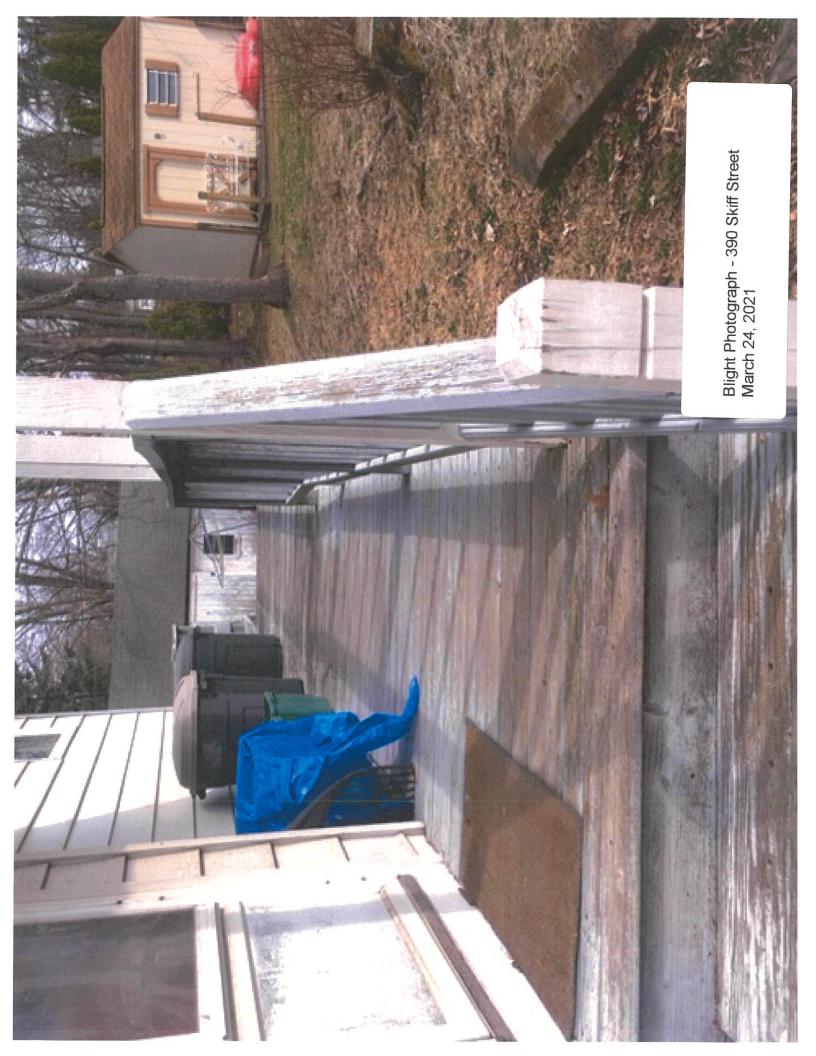
issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 18 Grasso Avenue, North Haven. 6. To consider and act upon a recommendation of the Blight Prevention Officer to

issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 1640 Ridge Road, North Haven 7. On 2227 Ridge Road, North Haven, the Blight Prevention Officer will provide a status update to the Board.

8. On 390 Skiff Street, North Haven, the Blight Prevention Officer will provide a status update to the Board.

STEVEN M. MILLER, SECRETARY OF THE TOWN OF NORTH HAVEN BLIGHT PREVENTION APPEALS BOARD A COPY OF THIS NOTICE IS ON FILE AT THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE.

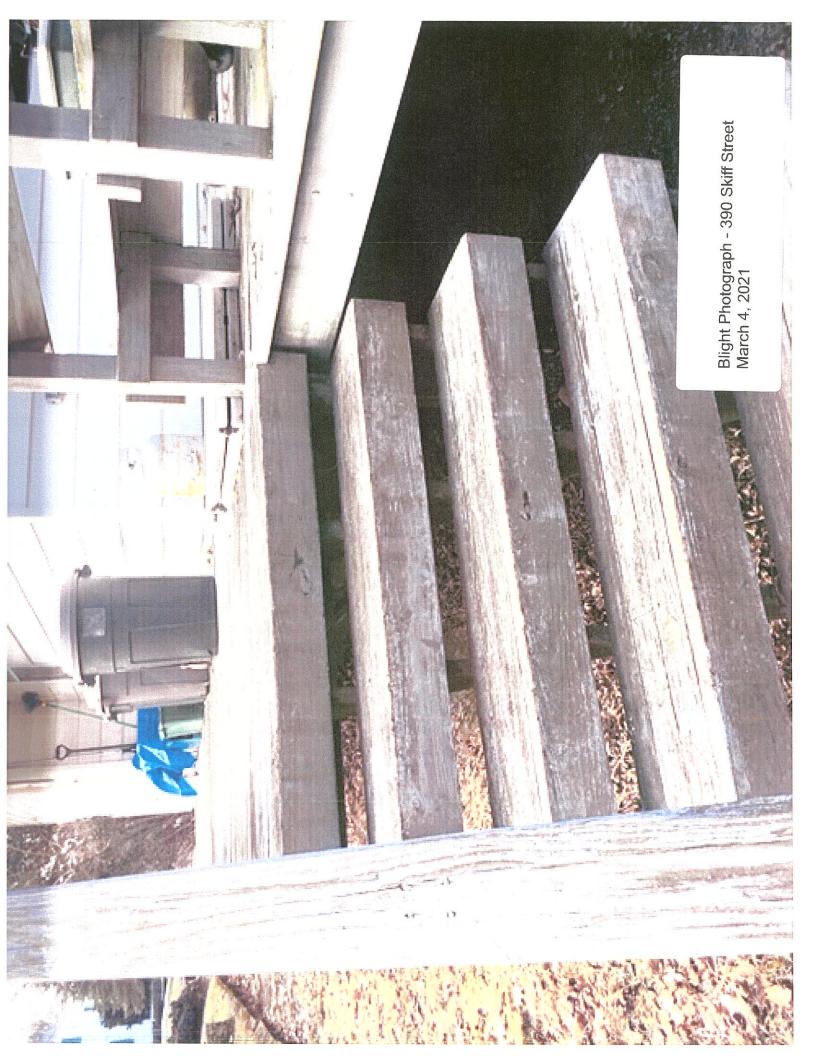


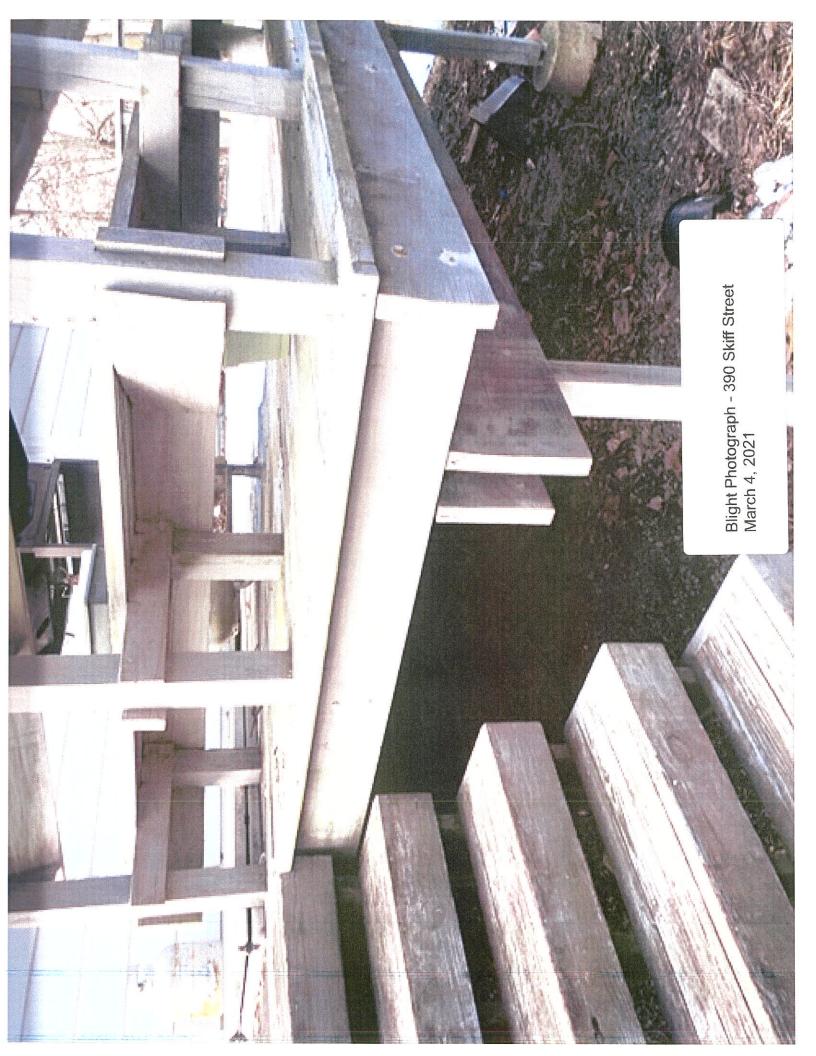


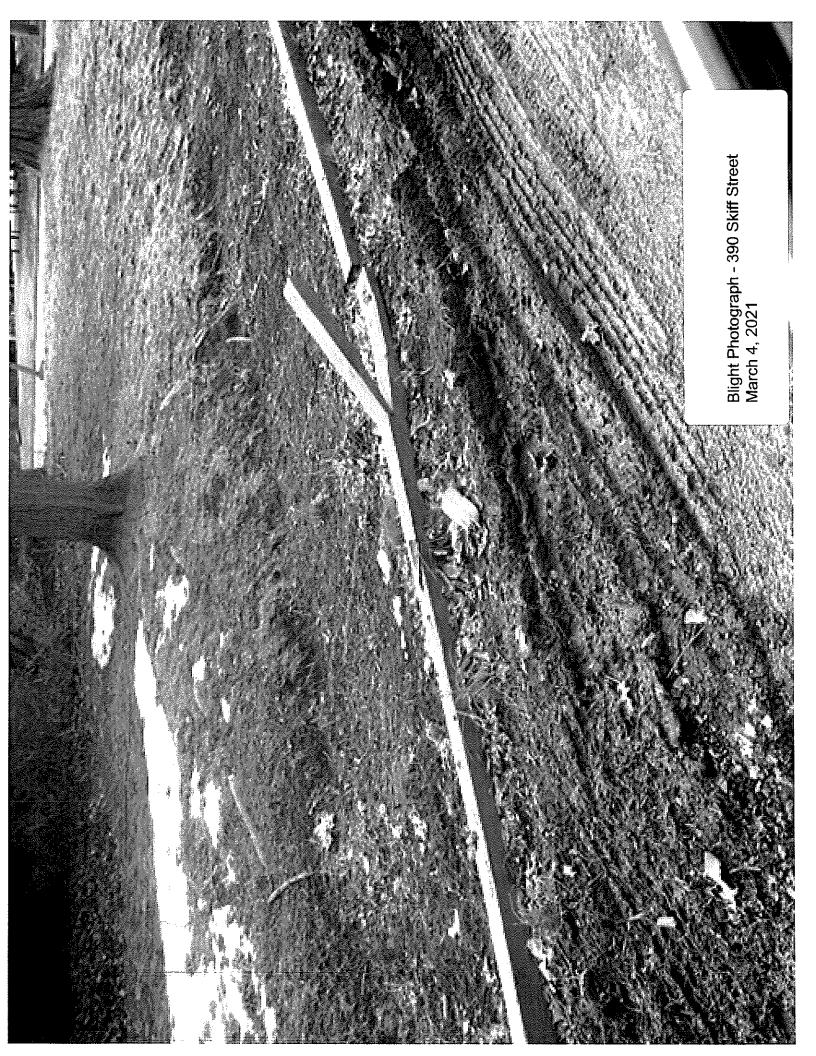


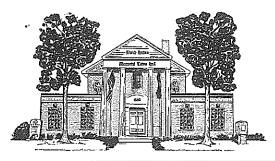












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REPLY TO:

Tel. (203) 239-5321 Fax (203) 234-2130

January 27, 2021

Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors 390 Skiff Street North Haven, Connecticut 06473

Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION OF BLIGHT PREVENTION ORDINANCE

390 Skiff Street, North Haven, Connecticut

Dear Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors;

On January 26, 2021, and in my capacity as the Town of North Haven's Director of Public Works I was informed that the property owner(s) Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors in North Haven still require a reasonable extension of time to remedy blight observed at the property of 390 Skiff Street in North Haven.

Because of the amount of work that was completed but that is still needed at 390 Skiff Street and because the Town of North Haven finds a 60-day extension to be very reasonable to address the remaining blight issues at the respective address, I am going to grant you a 60-day extension before suggesting to the Board that your address is placed on the Agenda for Citation.

By this letter I grant you an extension for 390 Skiff Street through March 29, 2021.

If you have any questions regarding this extension through March 29, 2021, please contact me immediately at (203) 239-5321, extension 440 to discuss. My office is located at the Town Hall Annex, 5 Linsley Street, North Haven and we are open to the public from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Thank you in advance for your immediate cooperation in resolving this matter.

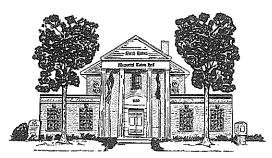
Very truly yours,

Lynn K. Sadoský, P.E., Director of Public Works

January 27, 2021

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c: Jennifer Coppola, Outside Counsel Arthur Hausman, Blight Prevention Office - Designee Elio Floriano, Blight Prevention Officer Quinnipiac Valley Health District



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November 24, 2020

Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors 390 Skiff Street North Haven, Connecticut 06473

Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION OF BLIGHT PREVENTION ORDINANCE

390 Skiff Street, North Haven, Connecticut

Dear Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors;

As you are aware, on **November 22, 2019**, I had investigated allegations of a complaint and had determined that a violation of the Blight Prevention Ordinance existed at 390 Skiff Street at said property, which evidence the violation, including:

- There is damaged and/or missing siding on the home and the barn they may need power washing and/or painting;
- Has a mail box that needs to be repaired or replaced;
- There is a damaged roof on the barn and the home and they may need repairs;
- There is moss growing on the roof of the barn and home that needs to be removed;
- There is a damaged railing or fence, which needs repairs;
- There is overgrown brush, overgrown grass, overgrown shrubs, and/or weeds of at least one foot in height, which needs to be cut and addressed;
- The property is covered in leaves, which need to be removed; and
- The property is unsightly, unsafe, unkempt and a nuisance to the general public.

Further, since **November 2019**, you 'appeared' at a Zoom Meeting before the Blight Prevention Appeals Board to discuss the matter and some of the work that you have implemented to address the ongoing Blight.

On **November 20, 2020**, and in my capacity as the Town of North Haven's Blight Prevention Officer/Designee, I again inspected the property of 390 Skiff Street, North Haven for the presence of Blight.

I was able to confirm that several items listed above, which attribute to Blight Prevention still

needs to be addressed at the property.

Perhaps EACH MONTH you or your family could tackle one of the above items listed in the Notice of Violation, starting with:

- (1) The property is covered in leaves, which need to be removed; and then moving on to ...
- (2) There is overgrown brush, overgrown grass, overgrown shrubs, and/or weeds of at least one foot in height, which needs to be cut; and then ...
- (3) There is damaged and/or missing siding on the home and the barn they may need power washing and/or painting, which could be undertaken IN THE SPRING of 2021.

We'd like to work with you and keep you on a forward moving schedule as your time permits.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact me immediately at (203) 239-5321, extension 444 to discuss.

My office is located at the Town Hall Annex, 5 Linsley Street, North Haven and we are open to the public from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Thank you in advance for your immediate cooperation in continuing to resolve this ongoing matter.

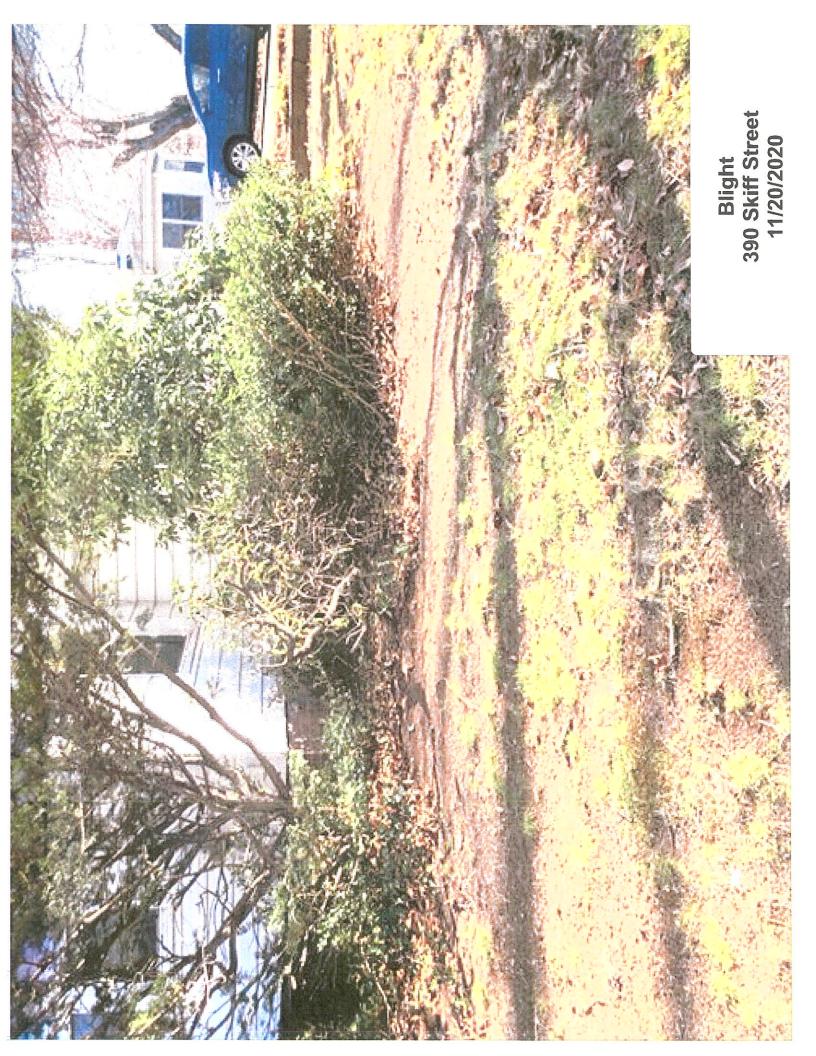
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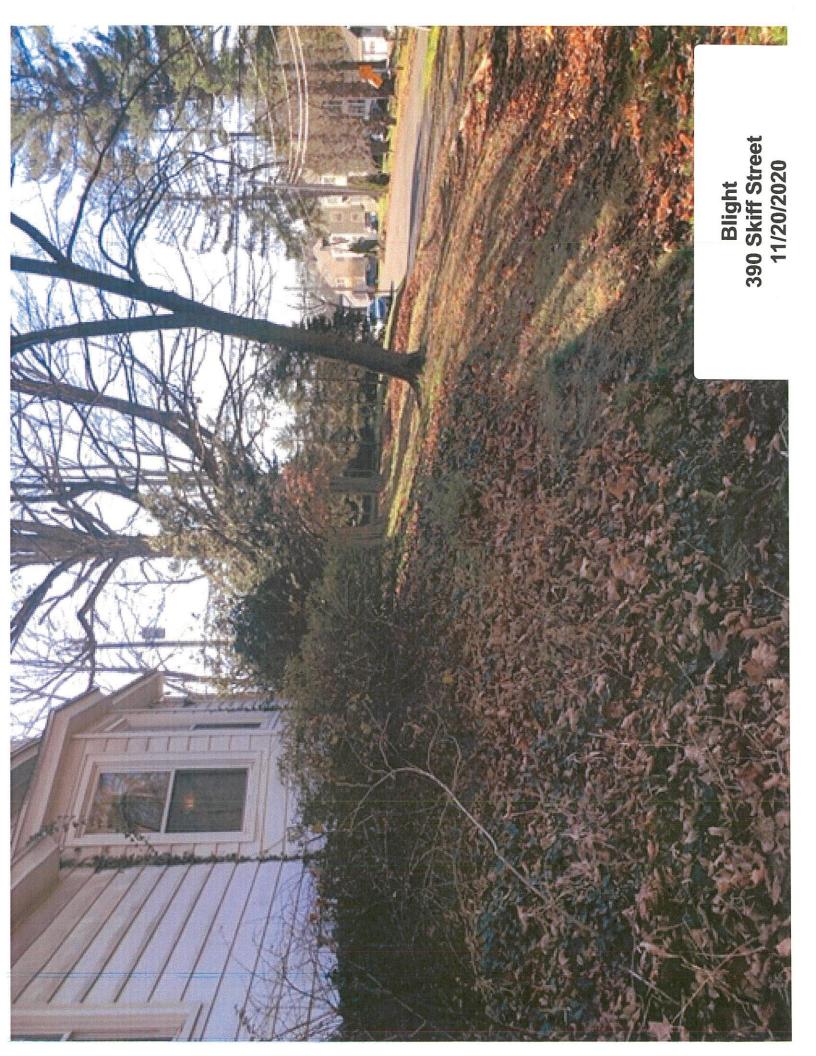
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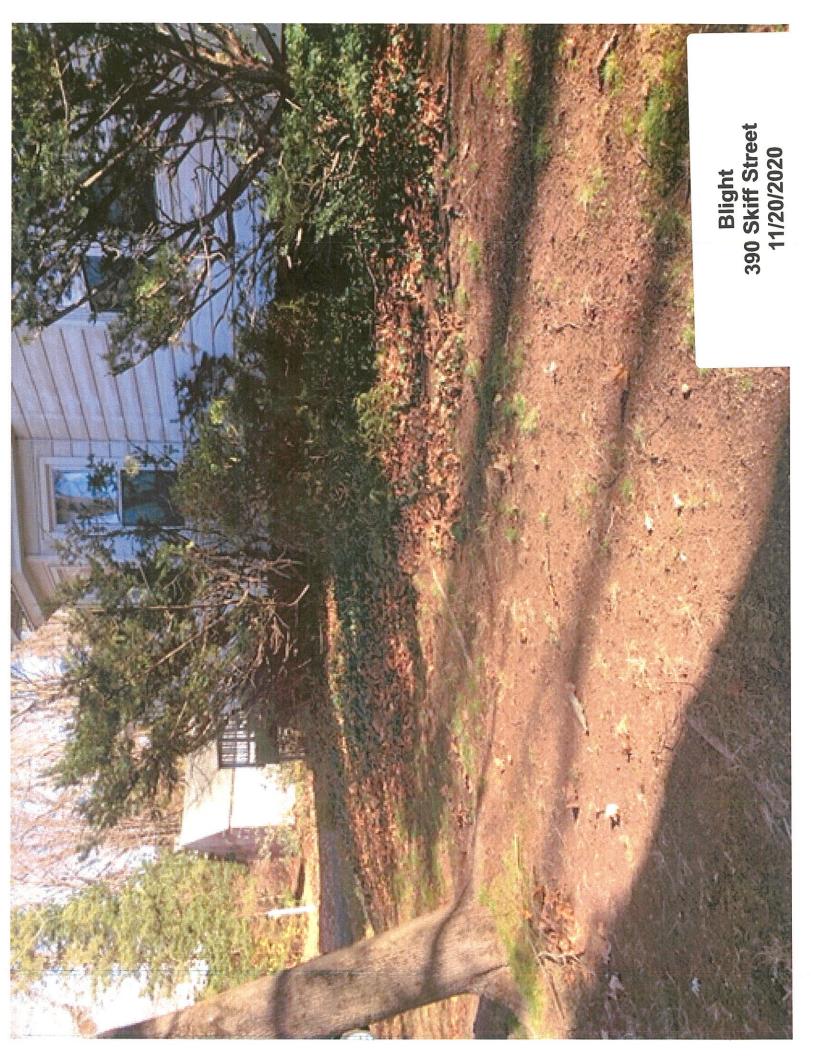
Blight Prevention Officer/Designee

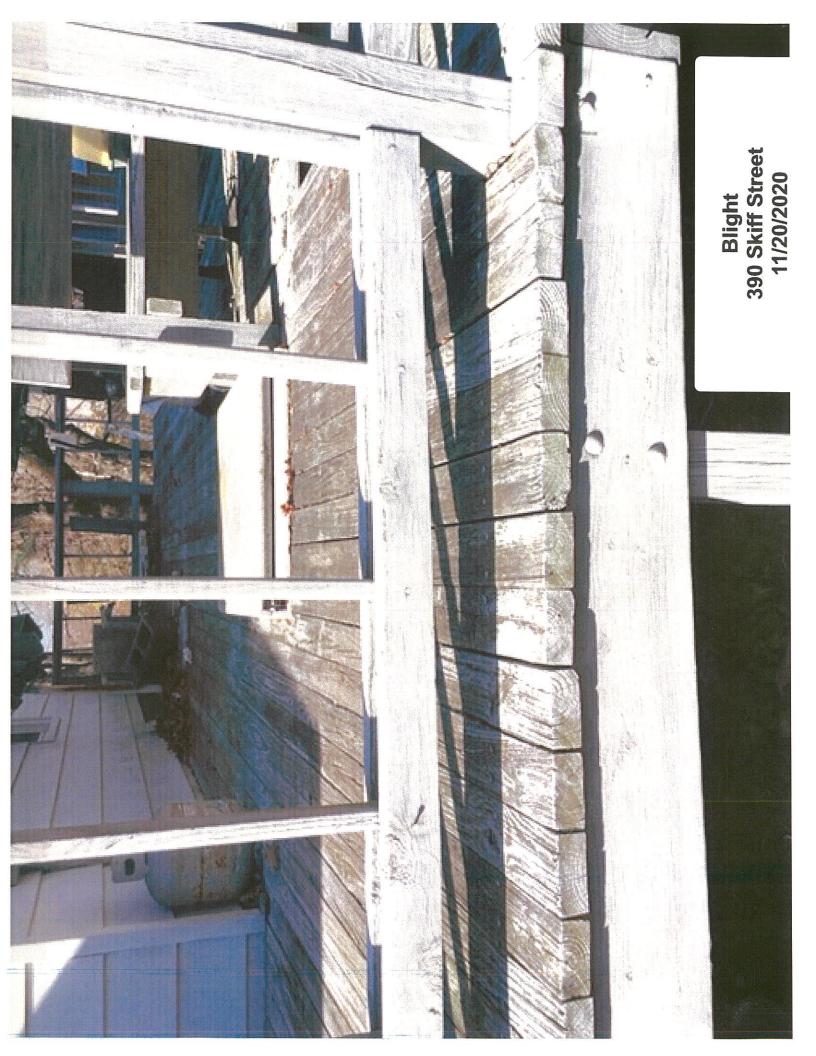
c: Jennifer Coppola, Outside Counsel Lynn K. Sadosky, P.E., Director of Public Works Elio Floriano, Blight Prevention Officer Quinnipiac Valley Health District

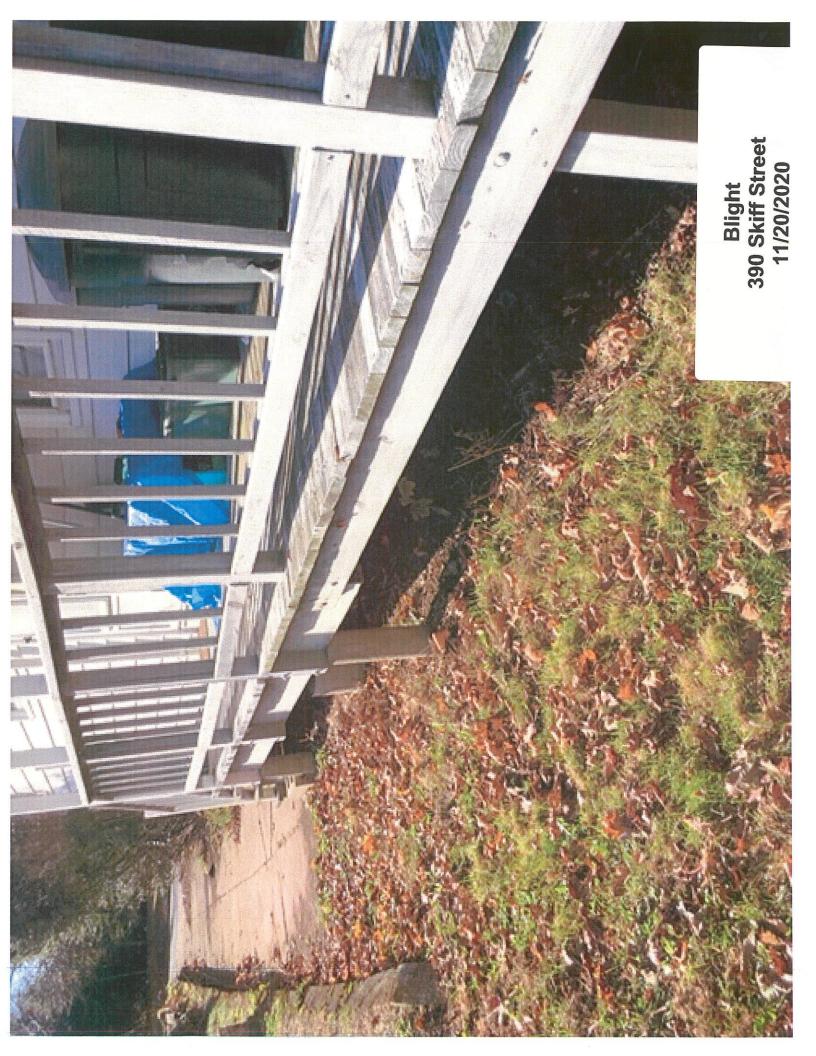


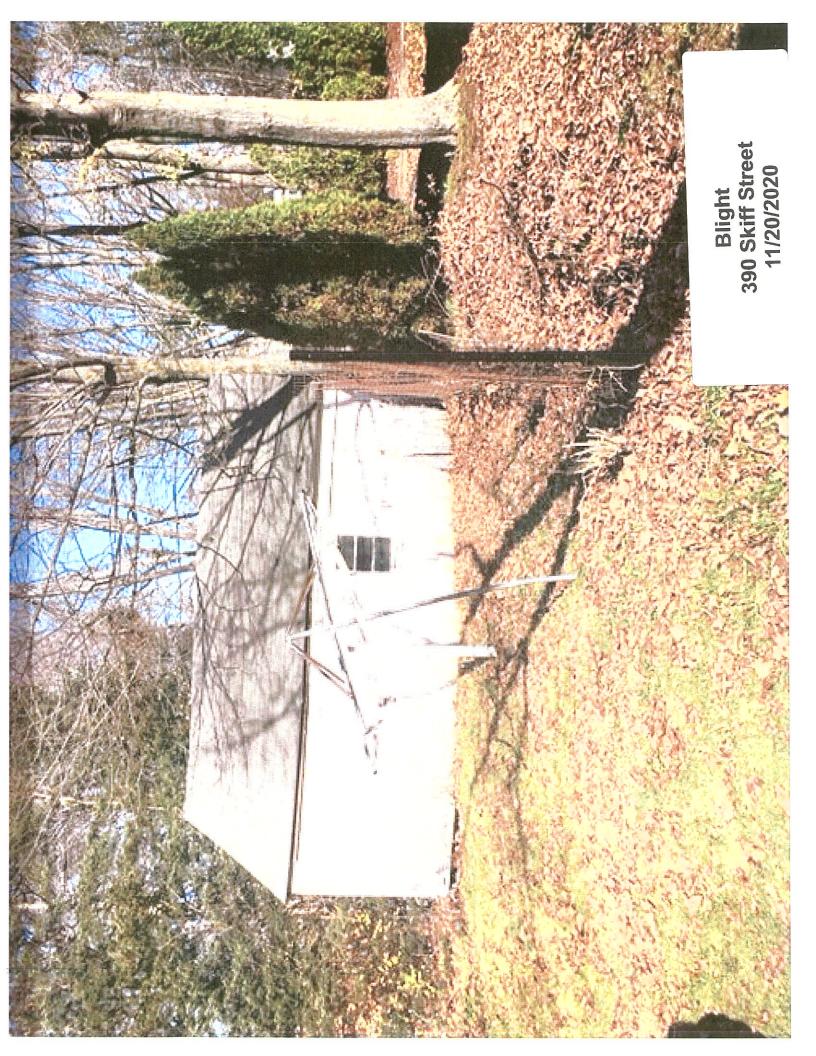


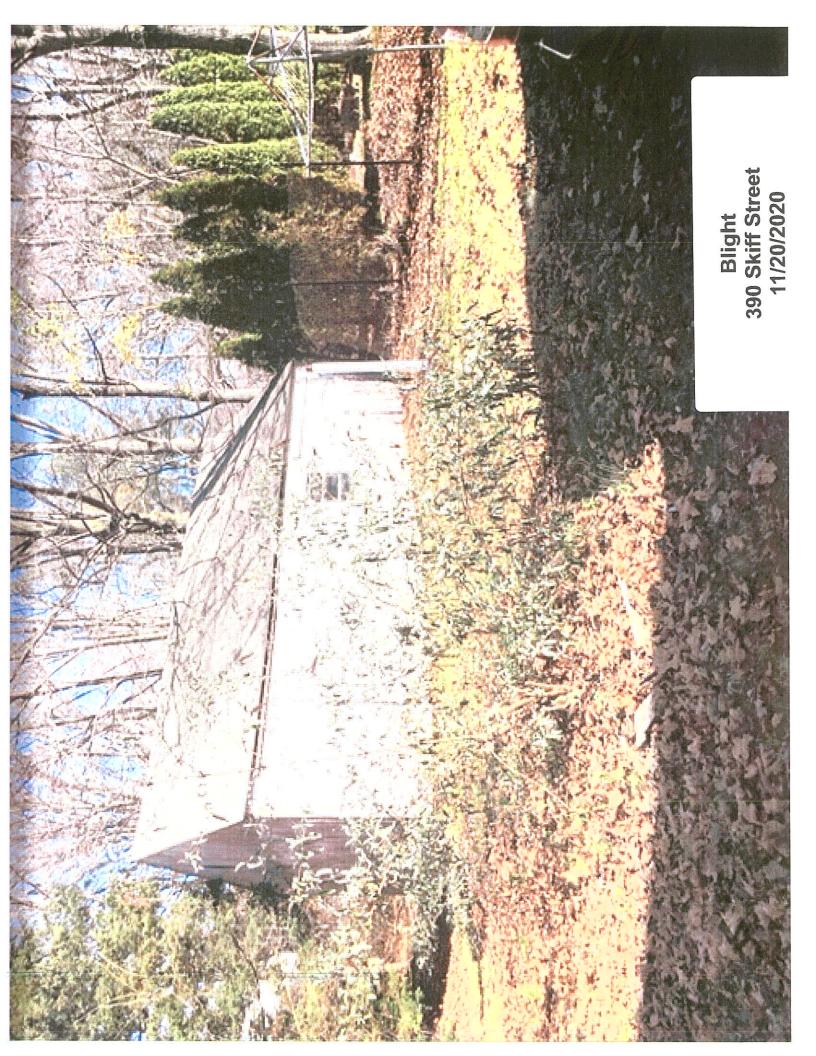


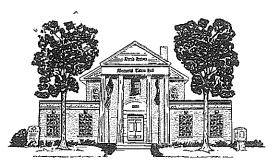












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October 28, 2020

Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors 390 Skiff Street North Haven, Connecticut 06473

Re: NOTICE OF VIOLATION OF BLIGHT PREVENTION ORDINANCE

390 Skiff Street, North Haven, Connecticut

Dear Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors;

On October 28, 2020, and in my capacity as the Town of North Haven's Director of Public Works I was informed that the property owner(s) Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors in North Haven were requesting a reasonable extension of time to remedy blight observed at the property of 390 Skiff Street in North Haven.

Because of the amount of work that was completed but that is still needed at 390 Skiff Street and because the Town of North Haven finds a 60-day extension to be very reasonable to address the remaining blight issues at the respective address, I am going to grant you a 60-day extension before suggesting to the Board that your address is placed on the Agenda for Citation.

By this letter I grant you an extension for 390 Skiff Street through December 28, 2020.

If you have any questions regarding this extension through December 28, 2020, please contact me immediately at (203) 239-5321, extension 440 to discuss. My office is located at the Town Hall Annex, 5 Linsley Street, North Haven and we are open to the public from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Thank you in advance for your immediate cooperation in resolving this matter.

Very truly yours,

Lynn K. Sadoský, P.E., Director of Public Works

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c: Jennifer Coppola, Outside Counsel Arthur Hausman, Blight Prevention Office - Designee Elio Floriano, Blight Prevention Officer Quinnipiac Valley Health District

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September 10, 2020

VIA FIRST-CLASS MAIL

Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors 390 Skiff Street North Haven, Connecticut 06473

Re:

NOTICE OF VIOLATION OF BLIGHT PREVENTION ORDINANCE

Issued to 390 Skiff Street, North Haven on November 22, 2019

Dear Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors:

As you are aware, a Notice of Violation of the North Haven Blight Prevention Ordinance was issued against your property at 390 Skiff Street, North Haven ("Property) on November 22, 2019 and you have not yet remedied all of the blight conditions at the Property as cited in the Notice of Violation.

Therefore, the Property has been included in the Notice of Meeting for the next Meeting of the Blight Prevention Appeals Board, which is Tuesday, September 15, 2020 at 7:00 PM so that the Board may consider whether a Citation should issue against the Property at that time. As indicated in the enclosed Notice of Meeting, the Meeting will be held via ZOOM videoconference and conference call.

Affected property owners can participate and the public can listen to the meeting from a computer, tablet, or smartphone via the following link:

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Please contact the Blight Prevention Officer, Elio Floriano, in the Building Office at (203) 239-5321, extension 405, if you remedy the blight conditions at the Property or if you have any questions. The Building Office is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Lynn K. Sadosky, P.E., Director of Public Works,

Blight Prevention Officer/Designee

Enclosure

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cc: Town Attorney, Dir. Public Works, Land Use Administrator, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Quinnipiac Valley Health District

nealthcare.org and click the calendar button on the homepage. For more Block Grant and the CT Department of Public Health. The cost is \$85 for the full 12-month program. To register for the class, visit vnacommunitythe Guilford Health Department Preventive Health and Health Services ast half of the year. This program is supported by grant funding from information, call the VNACHCH Helpline at 866-474-5230.



BLIGHT PREVENTION APPEALS BOARD NOTICE OF MEETING

TO RESIDENTS AND TAXPAYERS OF THE TOWN OF NORTH HAVEN

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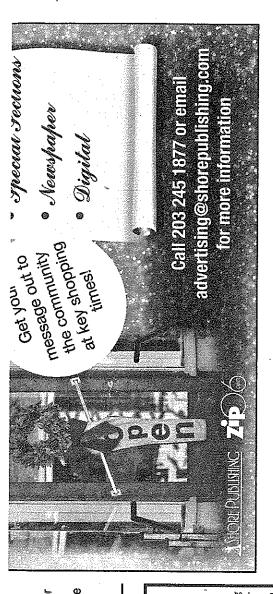
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3. On 2227 Ridge Road, North Haven, the Blight Prevention Officer will provide a to issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 60 Quinnipiac Avenue, North Haven. status update to the Board.

4. To consider and act upon a recommendation of the Blight Prevention Officer to

issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 390 Skiff Street, North Haven.
5. On 154 Warner Road, North Haven, the Blight Prevention Officer will provide a status update to the Board.

6. To consider and act upon a recommendation of the Blight Prevention Officer to issue a Citation to the property owner(s) of 356 Washington Avenue, North Haven. STEVEN M. MILLER, SECRETARY OF THE TOWN OF NORTH HAVEN BLIGHT PREVENTION APPEALS BOARD A COPY OF THIS NOTICE IS ON FILLE AT THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE.



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Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors 390 Skiff Street North Haven, Connecticut 06473

Re: NOTIO

NOTICE OF VIOLATION OF BLIGHT PREVENTION ORDINANCE

390 Skiff Street, North Haven, Connecticut

Dear Valerie W. and Rodney L. Richardson and Survivors;

On November 19, 2019, and in my capacity as the Town of North Haven's Blight Prevention Officer, I received a complaint regarding the existence of possible violation(s) of Chapter 84 of the Ordinances, Town of North Haven, the Blight Prevention Ordinance (hereinafter referred to as the "Ordinance"), at the property of 390 Skiff Street, North Haven.

Specifically, the Complainant has alleged that the property:

- Has a barn and a home, which are unsightly;
- Has a yard, which is a mess and looks terrible;
- Contains a roof on the barn and the house, which are covered in moss and need repairs;
 and
- Overall, it looks very unsightly.

Section 84-3 of the Ordinance, entitled "Prohibition Against Blighted Premises" states "No owner of real property located in the Town of North Haven shall allow, create, maintain or cause to be created or maintained, a blighted premises." "Blighted premises" is defined as, "Real property, including any building or structure located thereon, which is and continues to be in the state of disrepair or is becoming dilapidated ..." The terms "state of disrepair" or "becoming dilapidated" are therein defined in the Ordinance under Section 84-2.

November 22, 2019 Page 1

I have conducted an investigation of the allegations of the complaint and have determined that a violation of the Ordinance exists at 390 Skiff Street as I observed the following conditions at said property which evidence the violation, including:

- There is damaged and/or missing siding on the home and the barn they may need power washing and/or painting;
- Has a mail box that needs to be repaired or replaced;
- There is a damaged roof on the barn and the home and they may need repairs;
- There is moss growing on the roof of the barn and home that needs to be removed;
- There is a damaged railing or fence, which needs repairs;
- There is overgrown brush, overgrown grass, overgrown shrubs, and/or weeds of at least one foot in height, which needs to be cut and addressed;
- The property is covered in leaves, which need to be removed; and
- The property is unsightly, unsafe, unkempt and a nuisance to the general public.

Pursuant to Section 84-4 of the Ordinance, you as the property owner(s) of 390 Skiff Street must remedy the listed conditions which constitute a violation of the Ordinance within thirty (30) days of the date of this NOTICE OF VIOLATION or such longer period as I may permit in my discretion as the Blight Prevention officer. Please contact me immediately if you believe that there are circumstances, which exist that warrant exercise of that discretion.

Please take note that, as the property owner of 390 Skiff Street, you may contest the NOTICE OF VIOLATION and liability for same before the Town of North Haven's Blight Prevention Board of Appeals by delivering in person or by mail, written notice of your request to do so, to me as the Blight Prevention Officer within ten (10) calendar days of this NOTICE OF VIOLATION.

IF YOU FAIL TO REMEDY THE VIOLATIONS OF THE ORDINANCE NOTED HEREIN WITHIN THIRTY (30) CALENDAR DAYS AND YOU DO NOT DEMAND A HEARING BEFORE THE BLIGHT PREVENTION APPEALS BOARD WITHIN TEN (10) CALENDAR DAYS HEREOF, THE BOARD SHALL ISSUE A CITATION AND ASSESSMENT OF FINES AND DELIVER NOTICE OF SAME TO YOU. A VIOLATION OF THE ORDINANCE IS PUNISHABLE BY A FINE OF \$100.00 A DAY FOR EACH DAY A VIOLATION CONTINUES TO EXIST. THE DATE THE CITATION IS ISSUED BY THE BLIGHT PREVENTION APPEALS BOARD SHALL BE THE COMMENCEMENT DATE FOR SAID FINE. YOUR FAILURE TO PAY THE ASSESSMENT OF ANY FINE(S) BY THE BLIGHT PREVENTION APPEALS BOARD MAY RESULT IN THE ENTRY OF A JUDGMENT BY THE SUPERIOR COURT AND THE LEVY OF AN EXECUTION ON THE JUDGMENT WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE.

Please contact me immediately at (203) 239-5321, extension 440 to discuss the NOTICE OF VIOLATION and your proposed remedy of same. My office is located at the Town Hall Annex, 5 Linsley Street, North Haven and we are open to the public from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in resolving this matter.

Very truly yours,

Arthur Hausman,

Blight Prevention Officer/Designee

c: Jennifer Coppola, Outside Counsel Lynn K. Sadosky, P.E., Director of Public Works Alan Fredricksen, Land Use Administrator Elio Floriano, Building Official Laura Magaraci Zoning Enforcement Officer Quinnipiack Valley Health District



BLIGHT PREVENTION: 390 Skiff Street 11/22/19

