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BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
CITY OF EAST CHICAGO

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT

-vs-

Norvetta Landon, Citibank Federal Savings  
Bank, Lake County Treasurer, Lake County  
Commissioners, Any and All Unknown  
Tenants.

PROPERTY ADDRESS:  
2301-03 CARDINAL  
EAST CHICAGO, INDIANA

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: Lots 16 and 17 in  
Prairie Park Unit 3, as per Plat Thereof,  
Recorded in Plat book 37, Page 81 in the  
Office of the Recorder of Lake County, Indiana

KEY NO.: 45-03-27-180-001.000-024

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LAKE COUNTY  
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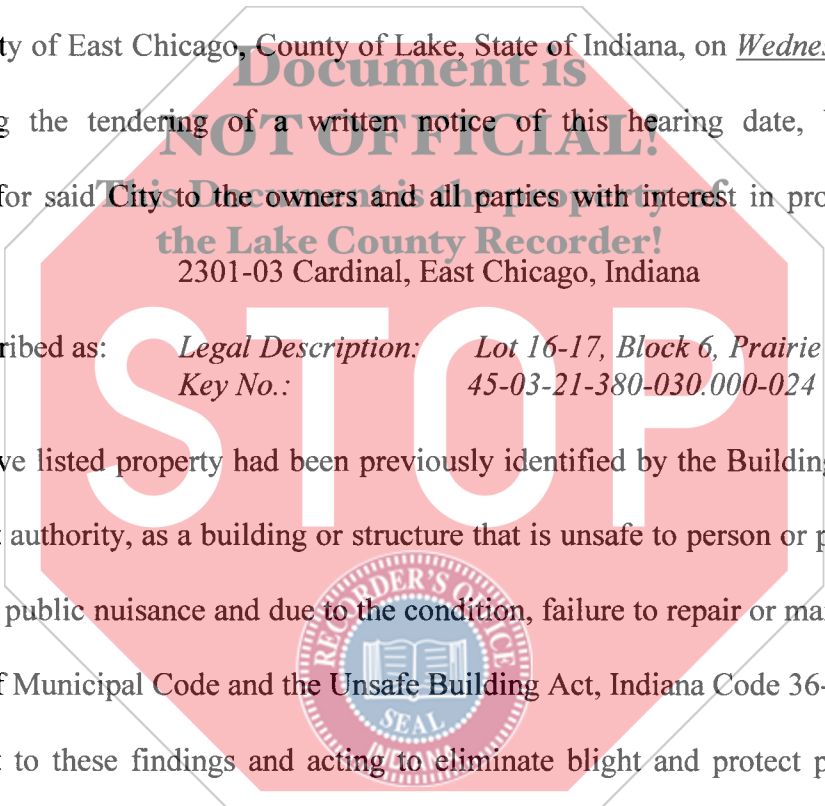
This matter was heard at a public hearing before the hearing authority, Board of Public Safety of the City of East Chicago, County of Lake, State of Indiana, on Wednesday October 22, 2014, following the tendering of a written notice of this hearing date, by the Building Commissioner for said City to the owners and all parties with interest in property commonly known as:

2301-03 Cardinal, East Chicago, Indiana

and legally described as: *Legal Description: Lot 16-17, Block 6, Prairie Park Unit 3*  
*Key No.: 45-03-21-380-030.000-024*

The above listed property had been previously identified by the Building Commissioner, the enforcement authority, as a building or structure that is unsafe to person or property, a fire or health hazard, a public nuisance and due to the condition, failure to repair or maintain or vacancy is in violation of Municipal Code and the Unsafe Building Act, Indiana Code 36-7-9-1.

Pursuant to these findings and acting to eliminate blight and protect public health and safety, the enforcement authority issued to the property owners and interested parties a written



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notice dated September 19, 2014 which required the above listed property to be repaired or demolished pursuant to I.C. 36-7-9-5.

This notice to repair or demolish complied with I.C. 36-7-9-5 and contained the required information including in part, the name of the person to whom the order was issued, a legal description and common address of the unsafe premises, the action requested on the unsafe property, the time frame permitted for compliance and notice of the time, date and place of a scheduled hearing before the Board of Public Safety.

Service was made upon all parties possessing a known or recorded interest in the property, including fee interest, life estate interest, substantial property interest or equitable interest, as determined from information maintained by the Lake County Recorder.

Service was made on all parties listed above by certified, regular mail, publication or posting on the premises, and such service complies with the statutory requirement and the hearing authority now finds a reasonable attempt has been made to obtain service and provide notice of the hearing which was held.

Appearing for the Building Department of said city was Building Commissioner Winna Guzman. Property Owner appeared on behalf of the property and asked for time to make repairs on the property. Multiple residents of the neighborhood appeared and complained how this dilapidated home was blight and a nuisance in the neighborhood. The Board allowed a continuance of the hearing to December 10, 2014 provided owner hire a licensed contractor to repair the roof. No permits were pulled for repairs as per the Notice or per the Board's directive.

The property listed above was not substantially repaired nor demolished by the owner prior to the scheduled hearing and the Notice and Order to Repair or Condemn and Demolish issued by the enforcement authority is now amended to Order said property to be torn down,

demolished, and the land cleaned of all debris, rubbish, and material, pursuant to the Unsafe Building Act, Indiana Code 36-7-9-1 et seq. as well as pursuant to East Chicago Municipal Code, Chapter 12, Section 15.12.150.

Such recommendation and action is necessary and reasonably related to the condition of the property, the failure of the owners of the property to remedy the condition of the property and given the nature and use of the nearby properties. Demolition of the above listed structure is necessary and reasonable in relation to the present condition of the property, which requires services of the City in excess of ordinary maintained property, and which creates a negative effect on property values, as well as affects the quality of life, and use, of the surround area in the City of East Chicago

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF SAFETY:

1. That the recommendation of the Building Commissioner is affirmed.
2. That the owners and parties with interest in said property shall cause said property to be torn down, demolished and the land cleared of all debris, rubbish, and material.
3. That said work shall be completed no later than thirty (30) days from the date of this order.
4. Upon the failure to comply with said order within the required time frame, the required work will be put to public bid and performed by a contractor who has been awarded a base bid contract to perform such work or by this agency's own personnel, and all costs, expenses, interest, fees including attorney fees, filing fees, recording fees, etc., will be charged to the owners and all other parties with interest in said real estate pursuant to I.C. 36-7-9-13 and recorded as a lien on the property.

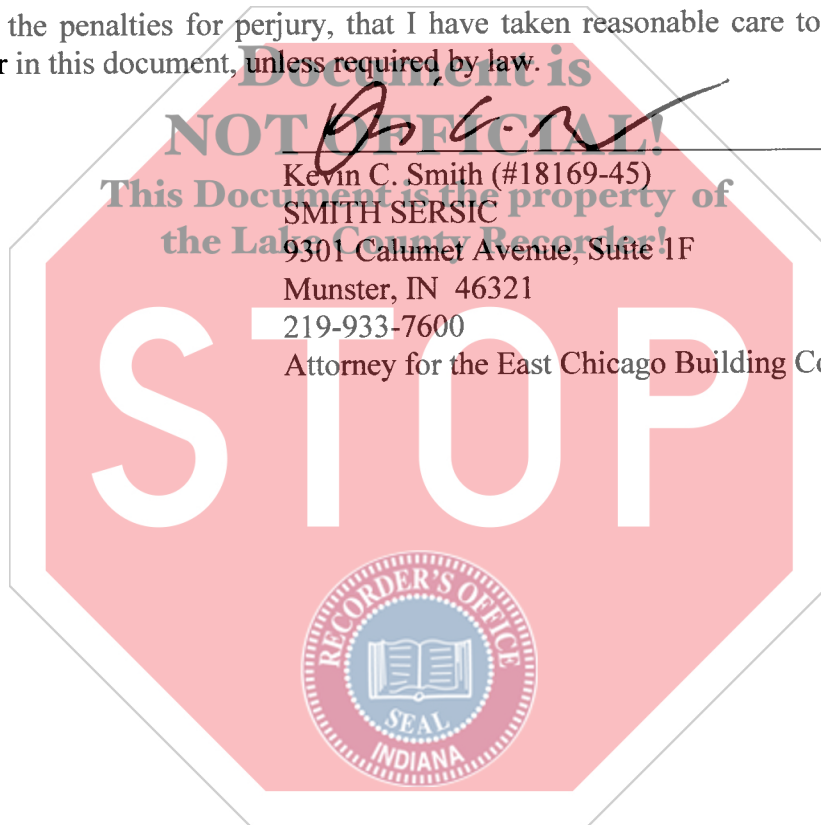
DATED: December 10, 2014

Richard Morrisroe  
RICHARD MORRISROE, President  
City of East Chicago Board of Public Safety

Thomas Davis  
THOMAS DAVIS, Vice President  
City of East Chicago Board of Public Safety

Richard Trembczynski  
RICHARD TREMBCZYNSKI, Member  
City of East Chicago Board of Public Safety

I affirm, under the penalties for perjury, that I have taken reasonable care to react each social security number in this document, unless required by law.



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