SPECIAL MASTER HEARING City Commission Meeting Room Judge Daniel Futch, Presiding April 15, 2004 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 Noon

Staff Present:

Eve Bazer, Administrative Assistant Assistant City Attorney Jennifer Chenault, Secretary Leonard Ackley, Community Inspections Officer Alberto Benavides, Community Inspections Officer Peggy Burks, Community Inspections Officer Andre Cross, Community Inspections Officer Mike Donovan, Community Inspections Officer Burt Fletcher, Community Inspections Officer John Gossman, Community Inspections Officer Deborah Haskins, Community Inspections Officer John Hudak, Community Inspections Officer Lee Kaplan, Community Inspections Officer Doug Kurtock, Building Inspector Gilbert Lopez, Community Inspections Officer Mike Maloney, Community Inspections Officer Skip Margerum, Community Inspections Officer Dan Mullarkey, Community Inspections Officer Maurice Murray, Community Code Supervisor Linda Nigg, Occupational License Inspector Todd Nobles, Community Inspections Officer Cheryl Pingitore, Community Inspections Officer Rose Reed, Community Code Supervisor Frank Stockinger, Community Inspections Officer Ursula Thime, Community Inspections Officer

Also Present:

Amede, Cynthia - CE04011489

*Antoine, Anslim - CE03080849
Brown, Sydney - CE03110090
Cameron, Cara - CE04010337
Dugar, Esper - CE04021398

*Duperoux, Joseph - CE04011848
Goodman, Randy, NW 14th Terrace
Jarvis, Jim - CE04010710

*Kellier, Sean Omar CE03041196

McKee, George - CE03091511
Phillips, Kevin - CE04010337
Reinhart, Angela - CE04021112
Salvatore, Steve - CE04010710
Selmon, Erold - CE04011204
Sinicich, Ed - CE04012093
Terner, Robert - CE04010704
*Thompson, Wilfred - CE03051879

*Massey hearings

NOTE: All individuals who presented information to the Special Master during these proceedings affirmed they would speak only the truth.

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 A.M. Judge Futch introduced himself and explained his role in ensuring adherence with the City's codes. He also pointed out that the proceedings were being recorded.

Massey Hearings

Reference CE03080849

Anslim & Charmaine Antoine 1805 Northwest 15th Place

Ms. Bazer announced that this case was originally heard on February 5, 2004 with compliance ordered by February 12, 2004. The two violations were still not complied and fines had accrued in the amount of \$6,200.00

Ms. Cheryl Pingitore, Community Inspections Officer, testified that as of her last visit, the property was still not complied.

Mr. Anslim Antoine, respondent, stated that he had taken care of the overgrowth and pool problems. He explained that he had been out of work for almost a year due to an accident. He had therefore not had the money to repair the vehicle and register it properly. He asked for more time to get the vehicle straightened out. Ms. Pingitore stated that the fines would continue to run on the inoperable vehicle until it was removed. The pool water was not filtered or circulated and posed a continuing problem.

Mr. Antoine stated that he had received a letter, but was unaware that fines would follow. He wanted to keep the car and repair it as he had paid \$8,000.00 for it. Mr. Pingitore reiterated that she wanted Judge Futch to sign the order to impose the fines. Judge Futch said that Mr. Antoine was here "telling me he can't even afford to fix the damned car, and you want me to impose the fines, right, 'cause he can't fix his car." Ms. Pingitore noted that Mr. Antoine had not appeared at the February 5 hearing where the fines were established.

Mr. Antoine stated that he was unaware of the February 5 hearing. Judge Futch clarified that Mr. Antoine could appear before the City Commission to appeal the fines after Judge Futch imposed them.

Judge Futch signed the order to impose the fines.

Reference CE04010710

Judith Rickel Antweiler, Trustee C/O The Sports Authority 1901 North Federal Highway

Ms. Bazer announced that this case was originally heard on February 19, 2004 with compliance ordered by February 24, 2004. The property was still not complied and fines had accrued in the amount of \$ 13,500.00.

Mr. Len Ackley, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the property was not in compliance at this time. He presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch.

Mr. Steve Salvatore, the manager of the Sports Authority store, explained that the store had experienced problems with other people rummaging through their trash and living behind the building. The police had been notified on several occasions to deal with this and other vandalism issues. Mr. Salvatore and his staff had devoted many hours of work to combating the problems. Mr. Salvatore claimed that he had never received notice of the February 19 hearing where the fine and deadline for compliance were set.

The City Attorney stated that the notice of violation was sent to the owner; the green card was mailed on February 3 and was signed by either "A.S. or H.S. and was returned to us." Mr. Salvatore noted that this was the address of the old corporate office which had been closed for some time. Mr. Salvatore had been notified about today's meeting by his real estate agent in Colorado two days ago.

Mr. Ackley stated that he had personally presented the inspection report to "the person in charge." No one had subsequently attempted to contact him. He asked Judge Futch to impose the fine.

Mr. Jim Jarvis, of Jim Jarvis Construction, testified that he had repaired the dumpster. He acknowledged the dumping and vagrant problems at the store. Mr. Ackley claimed that there were still some slats missing on the dumpster enclosure. He stated that the store did not clean its own trash from around the dumpster area every day, or even every week. Mr. Salvatore stated that they did clean the area every single day, after every delivery. He requested some cooperation from the City in light of the problems the store experienced on a daily basis.

Mr. Ackley stated "I gave them 4 days to clean up the trash; I returned 4 days later and you saw the pictures, so obviously they didn't comply with my request just to pick up the trash." He felt they could put a lock on the dumpster to prevent overnight theft.

Judge Futch signed the order to impose the fine.

Reference CE03051979

Wilfred & Celia Thompson 1128 Northwest 7th Terrace

Ms. Bazer announced that this case was originally heard on October 16, 2003 with compliance ordered by November 15, 2003. The property was now complied and fines had accrued in the amount of \$825.00.

Ms. Ursula Thime, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the original violation was for missing ground cover and the property was now complied.

The City Attorney stated that compliance was ordered by November 15, 2003 and Inspector Thime had complied the property on December 19, 2003.

Mr. Wilfred Thompson, owner, informed Judge Futch that he did not live at the property, his son and stepdaughter lived there. These relatives had been responsible for replacing the sod. Ms. Thime stated that she had visited the property and spoken with the tenants on several occasions; they had complied only half the yard. Mr. Thompson felt there might have been a communication problem but Ms. Thime stated that a neighbor had translated.

Ms. Thime asked Judge Futch to impose the fine. Judge Futch suggested reducing the fine by half.

Judge Futch reduced the fine to \$412.50 and signed the order.

Reference CE03091384

Brunei Pierre 1839 Southwest 4th Avenue

Ms. Bazer announced that this case was originally heard on January 15, 2004 with compliance ordered by February 14, 2004. The property was still not complied and fines had accrued in the amount of \$6,000.00.

Mr. Alberto Benavides, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the roof was still covered with plastic. Mr. Benavides confirmed with Ms. Bazer that the respondent was not present and agreed that other cases would be called.

Reference CE04011848

Joseph Duperoux 661 East Melrose Circle

Ms. Bazer announced that this case was originally heard on March 18, 2004 with compliance ordered by March 25, 2004. The property was still not complied and fines had accrued in the amount of \$2,000.00.

Mr. Burt Fletcher, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the pickup truck was still on the property as of his last visit.

Mr. Joseph Duperoux, respondent, stated that he had moved the truck yesterday. Judge Futch asked Mr. Duperoux why he had not moved it earlier and Mr. Duperoux replied that he had tried to fix it, but could ultimately not afford to.

Judge Futch called a recess.

Upon returning, Judge Futch clarified with the City Attorney that after the order was signed, Mr. Duperoux could negotiate a settlement amount with the Assistant Director of Community Inspections.

Judge Futch deferred ruling for 7 days until Mr. Fletcher could confirm compliance

. Reference CE03041196

Sean Kellier 1804 Northwest 8th Court

Ms. Bazer announced that this case was originally heard on January 15, 2004 with compliance ordered by February 14, 2004. The property was still not complied and fines had accrued in the amount of \$3,000.00.

Mr. Mike Donovan, Community Inspections Officer, testified that he had reinspected the property yesterday and the parking area was still not complied. He presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch.

Mr. Kellier, respondent, informed Judge Futch that this was an existing problem at the property and he was the new owner. He had no idea that there had been a January deadline. He asked for additional time to obtain a permit and complete the work.

The City Attorney stated that the NOV was returned unclaimed; attempts had been made to deliver it on December 9,16, and 24, 2003.

Mr. Donovan recommended imposing the fines.

Judge Futch signed the order to impose the fine.

End of Massey Hearing cases

Reference CE03110090

Sydney Brown 2408 Northwest 19th Street Request for Extension of Time

Ms. Cheryl Pingitore, Community Inspections Officer, stated that the City had no objection to allowing an additional 90 days for Mr. Brown to comply.

Judge Futch granted a 90-day extension.

Ms. Bazer then called several cases with the same owner, who had requested additional time to comply.

Reference CE04011149

Randy Goodman 720 Northwest 14th Terrace Request for Extension of Time

Reference CE04011155

Randy Goodman 732 Northwest 14th Terrace Request for Extension of Time

Reference CE04011130

Randy Goodman 701 Northwest 14th Terrace Request for Extension of Time

Reference CE04011131

Lancet Loftus & Company 705 Northwest 14th Terrace

Request for Extension of Time

Reference CE04011133

Randy Goodman 709 Northwest 14th Terrace

Request for Extension of Time

Reference CE04011136

Randy & Evelyn Goodman & Dale Morrison

713 Northwest 14th Terrace

Request for Extension of Time

Reference CE04011150

Lancet Loftus Request for Extension of Time

724 Northwest 14th Terrace

Reference CE04011177

Downtown West Villas Ltd. Request for Extension of Time 721 Northwest 14th Terrace

Reference CE04011179

Lancet Loftus Request for Extension of Time

733 Northwest 14th Terrace

Reference CE04011138

Randy Goodman Request for Extension of Time 744 Northwest 14th Terrace

Reference CE04011140

Randy & Evelyn Goodman Request for Extension of Time 740 Northwest 14th Terrace

Reference CE04011141

Randy & Evelyn Goodman Request for Extension of Time 741 Northwest 14th Terrace

Reference CE04011157

Randy & Evelyn Goodman Request for Extension of Time 716 Northwest 14th Terrace

Reference CE04011160

Randy & Evelyn Goodman Request for Extension of Time 704 Northwest 14th Terrace

Mr. Randy Goodman, owner of all of the above properties, stated that they were awaiting permits for the parking areas and dumpster enclosures but were experiencing problems with surveys. He requested additional time to obtain the permits and complete the work.

Ms. Rose Reed, Community Code Supervisor, stated that the City had no objection to allowing Mr. Goodman an additional 60 days to obtain the permits and comply. She confirmed that Mr. Goodman had already made substantial progress with all the other violations.

Judge Futch granted a 60-day extension.

Reference CE04011172

Dale Morrison 712 Northwest 14th Terrace Request for Extension of Time

Mr. Dale Morrison, owner, requested an additional 60 days to obtain permits for the dumpster and street repairs for this and all of the buildings he owned with Mr. Goodman.

Judge Futch granted a 60-day extension.

Reference CE04011204

Erold Selmon 729 Northwest 14th Terrace Request for Extension of Time

Mr. Erold Selmon, owner, informed Judge Futch that he had just purchased the property and most of the violations were complied. He requested additional time to complete the landscaping.

Mr. Mike Donovan, Community Inspections Officer, confirmed that Mr. Selmon was the new owner and agreed to allow additional time for Mr. Selmon to comply.

Judge Futch granted a 60-day extension.

Reference CE03091511

George McKee 1705 Davie Boulevard Request for Extension of time

Mr. George McKee, respondent, stated that he was still waiting for a permit for the carport in order for his contractor to begin work. He requested an additional 60 days to obtain the permit and complete work.

Mr. Dan Mullarkey, Community Inspections Officer, stated that the City had no objection to the 60-day extension.

Judge Futch granted a 60-day extension.

Reference CE04010337

A.O. & Shirley Stone 850 North Flagler Drive Sec. 47-19.9: Merchandise stored in parking lot

Ms. Bazer announced that service was via the respondent's appearance at this hearing.

Ms. Ursula Thime, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the business was storing merchandise on the edges of the parking lot. She presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 60 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day

Ms. Cara Cameron, representative of the owners, informed Judge Futch that the property's tenant had made vast improvements to the area. He had applied for a permit for a garden center on the site and this would allow outdoor sales.

Mr. Kevin Phillips, the tenant, stated that he had had met with Mr. Burgess this morning, who had informed him that this section would not apply to him. He did have a fence on the property to keep his merchandise off of public property.

Ms. Cameron asked for an additional 60 days to come into compliance with the new license Mr. Phillips was going to obtain. If he did not receive the new license, Mr. Phillips would comply some other way. Judge Futch agreed that Mr. Phillips had improved the area.

The City Attorney asked Judge Futch to find that the violation exists.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 60 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04021112

Angela Reinhart & Lorraine Okura 1116 Northwest 7th Avenue

Sec. 9-281(b): Inoperable, unlicensed

vehicle on property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 23, 2004.

Ms. Deborah Haskins, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was an unlicensed, inoperable blue Mercedes stored on the property. She presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day or the car would be towed.

Ms. Angela Reinhart, respondent, asked for additional time for her to resolve issues with the current tenant. Ms. Haskins stated that the City Commission had ordered the inspectors to request 7 days to remove derelict vehicles. Ms. Reinhart informed Judge Futch that she had taken it upon herself to clean up some trash on the property and the tenant was now using it against her in an unlawful detainer suit. He suggested allowing 21 days to comply.

The City Attorney stated that in order to be able to tow the car, Judge Futch must find that the violation caused a serious threat to the public health, safety and welfare. Judge Futch agreed.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 21 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed or the car would be towed.

Reference CE04011489

Jean & Cynthia Amede Sec. 9-281(b): Inoperable, unlicensed vehicles on property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 25, 2004.

Ms. Deborah Haskins, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there were several unlicensed, inoperable vehicles on the property, including, but not limited to: a black Ford van and a red Buick. She presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day or the vehicles would be towed.

Mr. Cynthia Amede, respondent, stated that when Ms. Haskins visited the property, the vehicles were in the process of being removed. Ms. Haskins asked for an additional 7 days to reinspect the property.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed or the vehicles would be towed.

Reference CE04012093

Leisure Park Condo Association Sec. 9-281(b): Inoperable, unlicensed 900 Northeast 18th Avenue vehicles on property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 25, 2004.

Ms. Ursula Thime, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there had been several unlicensed, inoperable vehicles on the property; at present only a white Dodge Intrepid remained. She presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 14 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day or the vehicle would be towed.

Mr. Ed Sinicich, the owner of the remaining vehicle, asked Judge Futch for 2 weeks for the car to be un-booted and sold. Ms. Thime stated that she had no objection. The City Attorney asked Judge Futch to find the vehicle a serious threat to the public health, safety and welfare. Judge Futch agreed.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 14 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed or the vehicle would be towed.

Reference CE04010704

Robert Terner Sec. 18-27(a): Overgrowth on property; 2491 Northwest 69th Court Sec. 9-280(h)(1): Fence in disrepair;

Sec. 9-306: Peeling paint/stained surfaces

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on April 3, 2004.

Mr. Skip Margerum, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there were areas of overgrowth on the property; the fence was in disrepair and paint on the building was stained, chipped and peeling. He recommended 60 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day per violation.

Mr. Robert Terner, respondent, informed Judge Futch that he had met with Mr. Margerum yesterday and they had agreed that Mr. Terner would have 60 days to make repairs.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 60 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day, per violation would be imposed.

Reference CE04030641

Rafael & Lucy Toledo Sec. 9-281(b): Unlicensed, inoperable vehicles on 1795 Southwest 22nd Street property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 26, 2004.

Mr. Alberto Benavides, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there were several unlicensed, inoperable vehicles on the property, including a 2-door Buick, and a 2-door red Cadillac. He presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day or the vehicles would be towed.

Judge Futch found in favor of the city and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed or the vehicles would be towed.

Reference CE03110467

Luther & Edna Gayle Family Trust Sec. 47-22.9: Signs without permits

700 West Broward Boulevard

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 26, 2004.

Mr. Mike Maloney, Community Inspections Officer, testified that an interchangeable-text sign had been installed on the west side of the property without first obtaining a permit. He presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 30 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 30 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE02091359

Ohio Savings Bank 2717 Southwest 9th Street Sec. 9-329(d): Required certificate of boarding

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 29, 2004.

Mr. John Hudak, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the board up certificate for the property had not been renewed, nor had the property been repaired, rehabilitated or sold. He recommended 30 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 30 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04011787

Thomas & Vivian Cocheo 5300 Northeast 17th Avenue

Sec. 9-281(b): Unlicensed, inoperable vehicle on property; Sec. 9-306: Peeling paint/stained surfaces; Sec. 47-21.8 A: Missing ground cover

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 26, 2004.

Mr. Frank Stockinger, Community Inspections Officer, testified the yard was bare ground with dead grass and weeds: Sections 9-281(b) and 9-306 were now complied. He had spoken with the owners and agreed to recommend 60 days to comply with Section 47-21.8 A or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance with Section 47-21.8A within 60 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04030561

Arvin Bielen Sec. 47-34.1 A.1: Permitted uses: continuous

3341 Northeast 42nd Court

garage sales

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail was accepted on March 25, 2004.

Mr. Frank Stockinger, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the owner was continually holding garage sales or estate sales on the weekends; this was a non-permitted use in this zone. He had spoken with the owner and agreed to recommend 7 days to comply or a fine of \$50.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$50.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04030946

Khemwattie Mahmood 5950 Northeast 22nd Way Sec. 9-306: Peeling paint/stained surfaces; Sec. 47-21.8 A: Missing ground cover

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 25, 2004.

Mr. Frank Stockinger, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the roof was very dirty, the sidewalk was in disrepair due to a ficus tree and the yard was bare ground. He had spoken with the owner and agreed to recommend 60 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day per violation.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 60 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day, per violation would be imposed.

Reference CE04030279

Storage Authority-3rd Avenue LP 747 Northeast 3rd Avenue Tenant: The Store Room

Sec. 15-28: Required occupational license

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail addressed to the registered agent had been accepted on March 24, 2004; certified mail addressed to the tenant had been accepted (no date on card), and certified mail addressed to the general partner had been returned unclaimed on March 24 and 29 and April 8, 2004.

Ms. Linda Nigg, Occupational License Inspector, testified that the company was engaged in business without first obtaining an occupational license. She recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Reference CE04011821

Howard Shore 109 Southwest 21st Way

Sec. 47-21.8 A: Landscape maintenance

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted (no date on card).

Ms. Peggy Burks, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was dead or missing ground cover on the property and swale. She had visited the property the previous day and agreed with the owner to recommend 7 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04021267

East West Holdings Inc. 2675 Southwest 6th Court

Sec. 9-281(b): Rubbish, trash, and inoperable,

unlicensed vehicle on property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail addressed to the registered agent had been accepted on March 29, 2004.

Ms. Peggy Burks, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was trash and rubbish on the property; the vehicles had been removed. She recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04010874

Mark Biondello 6721 Northwest 24th Avenue Sec. 47-21.8: Landscape maintenance

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 24, 2004.

Mr. Skip Margerum, Community Inspections Officer, testified that ground cover was dead or missing. He had spoken with the owner and agreed to recommend 30 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 30 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04011363

Patricia Castro Sec. 9-281(b): Rubbish and trash on property;

2141 Southwest 35th Avenue Sec. 18-27(a): Overgrowth on property;

Sec. 18-1: Dirty water in pool

Ms. Bazer announced that service was via posting on the property and at City Hall on April 5, 2004.

Mr. Gilbert Lopez, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was trash, rubbish and overgrowth on the property and the pool was filled with dirty water. He recommended 14 days to comply or a fine of \$50.00 per day per violation.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 14 days or a fine of \$50.00 per day, per violation would be imposed.

Reference CE04021398

Le Rocher Haitian Baptist Church Sec. 9-281(b): Rubbish and trash on property;

3440 Davie Boulevard Sec. 9-306: Building not maintained

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail addressed to an officer of the company had been accepted (no date on card), on April 1 and April 3, 2004 and certified mail addressed to the registered agent had been accepted on March 31, 2004.

Mr. Gilbert Lopez, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was rubbish, trash and debris on the property and the building was not maintained. He has spoken with the owner and agreed to recommend 14 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day per violation.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 60 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day, per violation would be imposed.

Judge Futch called a recess.

Reference CE03092361

Ryan Valade Sec. 9-329(d): Required certificate of boarding 1430 Northwest 7th Street

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 29, 2004.

Mr. Mike Donovan, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the board up certificate for the property had not been renewed, nor had the property been repaired, rehabilitated or sold. He presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 30 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 30 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE03121534

Mary Ann & Chris Mercogliano 647 Northwest 13th Terrace

Mary Ann & Chris Mercogliano Sec. 9-329(d): Required certificate of boarding

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 25, 2004.

Mr. Mike Donovan, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the board up certificate for the property had not been renewed, nor had the property been repaired, rehabilitated or sold. He presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 30 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 30 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE03051560

David & Flora Belle Shanks 520 Northwest 21st Avenue

Sec. 9-329(d): Required certificate of boarding

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on April 12, 2004.

Mr. Len Ackley, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the board up certificate for the property had not been renewed, nor had the property been repaired, rehabilitated or sold. He recommended 15 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 15 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04030026

Alma Jones 3001 Northwest 17th Street Sec. 9-281(b): Unlicensed, inoperable vehicle on

property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 24, 2004.

Mr. Mike Donovan, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was an unlicensed, inoperable, beige 4-door Mercury on the property. He presented a photograph of the vehicle and recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day or the vehicle would be towed.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed or the vehicle would be towed.

Reference CE04031343

Goran Dragoslavic Sec. 47-22.9: Signs without permits; 1000 Northwest 24th Avenue Sec. 47-22.3 R: Signs without permits

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 31, 2004 and personal service had been made by Inspector Donovan on March 27, 2004.

Mr. Mike Donovan, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there were unpermitted signs and unpermitted moveable signs on the property. Ms. Pingitore had met with the owner and agreed to recommend 60 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 60 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day, per violation would be imposed.

Reference CE04020025

Robert & Jacinth Lyle Sec. 9-281(b): Inoperable, unlicensed vehicle on property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 31, 2004.

Ms. Deborah Haskins, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was an unlicensed, inoperable silver Mitsubishi and a silver Pontiac stored on the property. She recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day or the cars would be towed.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed or the cars would be towed.

Reference CE04011483

Marie Pierre-Louis & Danix Charles
1717 Northwest 7th Terrace
Sec. 9-281(b): Unlicensed, inoperable vehicles on property; Sec. 47-34.1 A.1: Permitted uses:
Commercial equipment stored on property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been returned unclaimed on March 24 and 30 and April 8, 2004.

Ms. Deborah Haskins, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was a white Toyota truck and a pizza cart stored on the property, a non-permitted use. She recommended 7 days to comply both violations or a fine of \$25.00 per day for Section 47-34.1 A.1 and a fine of \$100.00 per day for Section 9-281(b) or the vehicles would be towed.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days for both violations or a fine of \$25.00 per day would be imposed for Section 47-34.1 A.1 and a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed for Section 9-281(b) or the vehicles would be towed.

Reference CE04011778

Lejisnet & Lauret Acreus 1606 Northwest 2nd Avenue

Sec. 9-280(h)(1): Fence in disrepair

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 21, 2004.

Ms. Deborah Haskins, Community Inspections Officer, testified that the chain link fence was broken in areas. She recommended 30 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 30 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Reference CE04020896

Hermine Aiken Sec. 9-281(b): Rubbish, trash and overgrowth 919 Northwest 13th Street on property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 24, 2004.

Mr. Andre Cross, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was rubbish, trash and overgrowth on the property. He presented photographs of the property to Judge Futch and recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$25.00 per day.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$25.00 per day would be imposed.

Reference CE04030204

Bruce, Francine, & H.S. Flamm Sec. 9-281(b): Unlicensed, inoperable vehicle 437 Northeast 1st Avenue on property

Ms. Bazer announced that certified mail had been accepted on March 25, 2004.

Ms. Ursula Thime, Community Inspections Officer, testified that there was an unlicensed, inoperable white pickup truck on the property. She recommended 7 days to comply or a fine of \$100.00 per day or the vehicle would be towed.

Judge Futch found in favor of the City and ordered compliance within 7 days or a fine of \$100.00 per day would be imposed or the vehicle would be towed.

Cases Complied

Ms. Bazer announced that the below listed cases were in compliance. Additional information regarding respondents, violations, etc. can be found in the agenda, which is incorporated into this record by reference:

| CE04032053 | CE04030274 | CE03102531 | CE04010982 |
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| CE04011643 | CE04011982 | CE04030473 | CE04030474 |
| CE04030543 | CE04021307 | CE04030280 | CE04020413 |
| CE03061979 | CE04011186 | CE04021688 | CE04030516 |
| CE04031655 | CE04021670 | CE04030019 | CE04011407 |
| CE04012084 | CE04010629 | CE04030160 | CE04020476 |
| CE04021601 | CE04030061 | | |

Cases Pending Service

Ms. Bazer announced that the below listed cases had been withdrawn pending service to the respondents. Additional information regarding respondents, violations, etc. can be found in the agenda, which is incorporated into this record by reference:

| CE04020415 | CE04030023 | CE04010609 | CE03120129 |
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| CE03081254 | CE03111354 | CE03120027 | CE04011098 |
| CE04021582 | CE03110502 | CE04020472 | CE03120858 |

Cases Rescheduled

Ms. Bazer announced that the below listed cases had been rescheduled. Additional information regarding respondents, violations, etc. can be found in the agenda, which is incorporated into this record by reference:

| CE04030042 | CE04020228 | CE04010856 | CE04031976 |
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| CE04031982 | CE04031991 | CE04011108 | CE04030394 |
| CE04031135 | | | |

Cases Withdrawn

Ms. Bazer announced that the below listed cases had been withdrawn. Additional information regarding respondents, violations, etc. can be found in the agenda, which is incorporated into this record by reference:

CE01080868 CE03120874

Approved for Claim of Lien

Ms. Bazer presented Judge Futch with the following cases to sign the order to impose the fine which Judge Futch signed based on the affidavits of the inspectors.

| CE03021122 | CE03032202 | CE03091384 | CE03092055 |
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| CE03092375 | CE03101915 | CE03110941 | CE03111649 |
| CE03121651 | CE03121569 | CE04010621 | CE04011845 |
| CE04011846 | CE04021163 | | |

There being no further business, the hearing was adjourned at 12:00 Noon.

| | Special Master | |
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| ATTEST: | | |
| Clerk, Special Master | | |