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# PUBLIC HEARING BOARD OF HOUSING QUALITY APPEALS CITY HALL McCLOSKEY CONFERENCE ROOM 135 In Person / Zoom Virtual Meeting SEPTEMBER 19, 2023 4:00 P.M.

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- V. PUBLIC COMMENT
- VI. ADJOURNMENT

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# Board of Housing Quality Appeals Staff Report: Petition for Extension of Time

Meeting Date:	September 19, 2023
Petition Type:	Request for an extension of time to complete repairs
Petition Number:	23-TV-57
Address:	100 N. Bryan Ave.
Petitioner:	Lynne Chang
Inspector:	Rob Council
Staff Report:	06/13/23 - Conducted cycle inspection 06/16/23 - Mailed Report 08/07/23 - Received Appeal and Owner scheduled reinspection for non BHQA Items
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During a cycle inspection of the above property, violations of the Residential Rental Unit and Lodging Establishment Program were found, including damaged door frames, windows not functioning as intended, and exterior structural damage in need of repair.

Petitioner is seeking an extension of time to complete the necessary repairs.

Staff recommendation:	Grant an extension of time.		
Conditions:	Complete all repairs and schedule for re-inspection no later than the deadline stated below, or this case will be turned over to the City of Bloomington Legal Department for further action including the possibility of fines.		
Compliance Deadline:	December 29, 2023		
Attachments:	Cycle Report; BHQA Application		



Application For Appeal To The Board of Housing Quality Appeals P.O. Box 100 Bloomington, IN 47402 812-349-3420 hand@bloomington.in.gov

Property Address: 100 N Bryan Ave, Bloomington, IN 47408

Address: 4665 E Inverness Wo	oods Rd
City: Bloomington	State: Indiana V Zip Code: 47401
Phone Number: 81232006	559 E-mail Address: Lchang@homefinder.org
Owner's Name: Cedarwood	Properties LLC - Lynne Chang, Sole Member
Address: 4665 E Inverness Wo	

The following conditions must be found in each case in order for the Board to consider the request:

- 1. That the exception is consistent with the intent and purpose of the housing code and promotes public health, safety, and general welfare.
- 2. That the value of the area about the property to which the exception is to apply will not be adversely affected.

#### Identify the variance type that you are requesting from the following drop down menu:

Variance Type: An extension of time to complete repairs. (Petition Type: TV)

Reminder:

A \$20.00 filing fee must be submitted with the Appeal Application or the application will not be considered to be complete! A completed application has to be submitted prior to the meeting application deadline in order to be placed on that months agenda!

(Will be assigned by BHQA)	
Petition Number: 23-7V-57	
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In the space provided below please write a brief narrative regarding your request. Be specific as to what you are requesting, the reason(s) or justification(s) for your request, the amount of time needed to bring the property into compliance, as well as any modifications and/or alterations you are suggesting. The following information must be included dependent upon the type of variance you are requesting:

A. An extension of time to complete repairs. (Petition type: TV)

Specify the items that need the extension of time to complete.

2. Explain why the extension is needed.

3. Specify the time requested.

B. A modification or exception to the Housing Property Maintenance Code. (Petition type: V)

1. Specify the code reference number you are appealing.

2. Detail why you are requesting the variance.

3. Specify the modifications and or alterations you are suggesting.

C. Relief from an administration decision. (Petition type: AA)

1. Specify the decision being appealed and the relief you are seeking.

D. Rescind a variance. (Petition type: RV)

1. Detail the existing variance.

2. Specify the reason the variance is no longer needed.

The inspection of this house took place on June 13. After waiting a month and not receiving the inspection report, I emailed the inspector, Rob Council. On July 18, he responded and told me that the report had been mailed on June 16, but I never received it. It seems to have been lost in the mail. So finally on July 18, he emailed me a copy of the inspection report containing the required repairs.

In the last 2 weeks since July 18, I have been scrambling to try to get the smaller repairs done, and estimates lined up for the bigger items. It has been extremely difficult as we are in the middle of rental turnover season. As a small property owner, I do not have my own employees and must rely on outside contractors. Even the ones I normally use are completely booked and cannot fit substantial new projects into their schedules for weeks.

am requesting an extension until November 30, 2023 on the folowing items:

FAMILY ROOM/DINING ROOM: To address the 2 issues, we will be replacing the entire atrium door set. This requires lead time to order and receive the doors, then scheduling labor.

EAST BEDROOM: The window is old and cannot be properly repaired. We will be replacing the window, which again requires lead time to order and receive the window, then scheduling labor.

EXTERIOR: Repair rot at window frames SW, NW, NE corners. At the NE corner, our assessment revealed that the rot is more extensive than just one window frame. That lower framing of entire corner used to be below a deck, and now that the deck is gone, we can see extensive wood damage. We plan to re-build that entire corner, framing up new walls and replacing the path doors. The NE corner is a major project that will take several months to plan, acquire materials, schedule and complete. We will do the SW and NW window frames at the same time (these are just window sills) using the same contractor.

Signature (Required):

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Name (Print): Lynne Chang, Sole Member, Cedarwood Properties LLC

Date:

Important information regarding this application format:

1. This form is designed to be filled out electronically, printed, then returned/submitted manually (e.g. postal mail).

2. This document may be saved on your computer for future use, however, any data that you have entered will not be saved.



# RECEIPT No. 1369

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Received Date: August 07, 2023 Received From: Lynne Chang Property Located at: 100 N Bryan AVE Amount Received: \$20 BHQA Application Fee : \$20 Balance Due: \$0 Paid by: Credit Card Units/Buildings: 1/1

# Approved by the State Board of Accounts, 2004.

# Thank you for your payment



Date Mailed: 6/16/2023

<u>Representative, Applicant</u> Chang, Lynne L. 4665 E, Inverness Woods Rd. Bloomington IN 47401 <u>Owner</u> Cedarwood Properties, Llc 4665 E. Inverness Woods Rd. Bloomington IN 47401

Re: 100 N Bryan AVE

Please find the enclosed Rental Inspection Report which contains pertinent information about the Cycle Inspection that was recently conducted at the above referenced property. The inspector has listed all noted violations and recommendations on the enclosed Rental Inspection Report. You have sixty (60) days from the date of this letter to correct the violations listed on the report.

Once violations have been corrected, it is your responsibility to call the Housing and Neighborhood Development office within this 60 day window but no later than 8/15/2023 to schedule a re-inspection. You have the right to appeal any violation of Bloomington Municipal Code Title 16 noted on the rental inspection report to the Board of Housing Quality Appeals.

This report is issued in accordance with BMC 16.10.020 and 16.10.040 of the Residential Rental Unit and Lodging Establishment Inspection Program. Residential Rental Occupancy Permits will not be issued until all interior and exterior violations have been corrected, and all fees have been paid. Bloomington Municipal Code requires that all violations of all Titles of the BMC must be in compliance before a permit will be issued. Please be advised that non-compliance by the deadlines listed in this letter may limit the permit period to a maximum of three (3) years.

If the owner's or agent's contact information has changed since your last inspection, please submit a new registration form to the HAND Department. The registration must be signed by the owner of the property, not the agent. All rental forms and documents can be found at https://bloomington.in.gov/hand. If you do not have access to the internet, you may contact HAND at 812-349-3420 and forms will be provided.

If you have any questions regarding the permit process, please call weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., at (812) 349-3420.

Sincerely,

Housing & Neighborhood Development



#### CYCLE INSPECTION REPORT

<u>Owner(s)</u> Cedarwood Properties, LLC 4655 E. Inverness Woods Rd. Bloomington, IN 47401

Prop. Location: 100 N Bryan AVE Number of Units/Structures: 1/1 Units/Bedrooms/Max # of Occupants: Bld 1: 1/3/3

Date Inspected: 06/13/2023 Primary Heat Source: Property Zoning: R4 Number of Stories: 2 Inspector: Rob Council Foundation Type: Crawl Space Attic Access: No Accessory Structure: None

Monroe County Assessor's records indicate this structure was built in 1945. There are no minimum requirements for emergency egress at the time of construction.

#### EXTERIOR

Living Room (18-1 x 13-4):

Properly ground the electrical receptacle. If the receptacle is on an ungrounded system, it is acceptable to install a 2-pole, ungrounded receptacle, or a GFCI receptacle. If a GFCI receptacle is installed, mark receptacle with the wording "no equipment ground". BMC16.04.020(a)(5); 2009 IEC Article 406.3(B)Grounding & 2009 IEC Article 406.3 (D)Replacements (North wall under window.)

Second Floor Bedroom (12-11 x 11-1): Reattach hanging ceiling trim. BMC 16.04.060(a)

Existing Egress Window Measurements:
Height: 40 inches
Width: 41 inches
Sill Height: 36 inches
Openable Area: 11.38 sq. ft.
Note: These measurements are for reference only. There is no violation of the emergency egress requirements.

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Agent Chang, Lynne L. 4665 E. Inverness Woods Rd. Bloomington, IN 47401 Kitchen (17-3 x 8-7): No violations noted.

Laundry Closet: No violations noted.

Bathroom/ Furnace Closet: Repair the sink drain to function as intended (drains very slowly). BMC 16.04.060(c)

Secure toilet to its mountings. BMC 16.04.060(c)

<u>Family Room/ Dining Room (17-6 x 13-4):</u> Repair the entry door to be weather tight. No gaps shall be visible around the edges. BMC 16.04.060(a)

Properly install a door sweep on the bottom of the entrance door to reduce air/water infiltration as completely as possible. BMC 16.04.060(a)

Hallway: No violations noted.

East Bedroom (10-5 x 9-6):

Every window shall be capable of being easily opened and held in position by its own hardware. BMC 16.04.060(b) (East window)

Caulk window frame to seal gaps. BMC 16.04.060(a)

Existing Egress Window Measurements: Height: 42 inches Width: 34 inches Sill Height: 34 inches Openable Area: 9.91 sq. ft.

# Note: These measurements are for reference only. There is no violation of the emergency egress requirements.

West Bedroom (13-8 x 9-8): (Same windows) No violations noted.

Hall Bathroom: No violations noted.

Storage Area: Reattach missing condensate line. BMC 16.04.060(c)

#### **EXTERIOR**

Secure loose conduit at front ac unit. BMC 16.04.050(c)

Secure junction box at front ac. BMC 16.04.050(c)

Repair rot at window frame Southwest, Northwest, and Northeast corners of structure. BMC 16.04.050(a)

Remount disconnect at rear ac. BMC 16.04.050(c)

#### **OTHER REQUIREMENTS**

## Furnace Inspection Documentation:

Thoroughly clean and service the furnace, inspect and test shut off valves for proper operation. Documentation from a professional HVAC contractor for this service is acceptable and encouraged. Servicing shall include a test for carbon monoxide. Acceptable levels of carbon monoxide are as follows:

Desired level:0 parts per million (ppm)Acceptable level in a living space:9 ppmMaximum concentration for flue products:50 ppmBMC 16.01.060(f), BMC 16.04.060(c), BMC 16.04.060(b)

When issued, a copy of the new Rental Occupancy Permit shall be posted as required by BMC 16.03.030(d): All rental units shall be required to have a current occupancy permit displayed in an accessible location inside the unit. The permit shall contain the name of the owner and the agent, the occupant load of the unit, the number of bedrooms, the expiration date of the permit, and any variances that have been granted for the property. BMC 16.03.030(c)

Thank you for your cooperation in the Residential Rental Occupancy Permit Program.

This is the end of this report.



City of Bloomington H.A.N.D.

# Board of Housing Quality Appeals Staff Report: Petition for Relief from an Administrative Decision

Meeting Date:	September 19, 2023
Petition Type:	Relief from an administrative decision
Variance Request:	Relief from the loss of a 5-year permit length.
Petition Number:	23-AA-58
Address:	611 E 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street
Petitioner:	Pleasants Rentals
Staff Report:	March 14, 2023- The Rental Occupancy Permit for this property expired. March 16, 2023- HAND sent 1 <sup>st</sup> Notice to schedule Cycle inspection. March 22, 2023- Owner scheduled the Cycle Inspection for May 31, 2023. April 4, 2023- Cycle Inspection Report sent. June 6, 2023- Owner scheduled re-inspection for July 25, 2023. July 25, 2023- Re-inspection completed, all items complied. August 18, 2023- Owner paid inspection fee. August 18, 2023 – Received BHQA Application for Appeal

The pervious permit was expired when the petitioner called to schedule the inspection. HAND has routinely sent notification prior to expiration of all permits. This is not a requirement of Title 16. During the transition to the new software program, those advance notices have not always been sent. The petitioner believes that he is due a 5 year permit.

Staff recommendation: Deny the relief from administrative decision.

Conditions: The 3 year permit will stay in effect.

Compliance Deadline: none

Attachments: Application for Appeal

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To The Board of Housing Quality	Appeals .
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Bloomington, IN 47 812-349-3420	
hand@bloomington.in	1.gov
Property Address: 611 EAST ZND Street	
Petitioner's Name: Russell Pleasants	<u>ر</u>
Address: 720 MOCKINGBIRD PLACE	
city: DAV is State: CA Zip Code: 95612	2
Phone Number: 925-254-420 GEmail Address: Pleasantsra	a ool. COM
Property Owner's Name: Russell Pleasants	· · ·
Address: 720 MOCKINGBIRD PLACE	
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with this application before the property can be placed on the meeting agenda. Petition Number $23 - A$	Υ . Λ . C2

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Please provide details regarding your request below; you may attach any exhibits or additional comments as you deem necessary and pertinent to your request. Be specific as to what you are requesting, the reason or justification for your request; the amount of time needed to bring the property into compliance, and any modifications and/or alterations you are suggesting.

OCUMEN DATE -ee Pleasents ussell B Signature (required): Pleasant ussell Name (please print): You may attend the meeting. If you attend, please note that all petitioners presenting a matter to the Board

shall be limited to no more than five minutes to present their case and arguments. Additional time can be granted if deemed appropriate by the Board. Please note that if your property is listed on the consent agenda it is more likely than not that your property will not be individually discussed during the Board's meeting.

#### Application for Appeal: Comments

#### RE: 611 East 2<sup>nd</sup> Street Occupancy Permit Term-(5 vs 3 year Term)

#### Relief from an administrative decision (Petition type AA)

I would like reconsideration of the Occupancy permit term for this house which recently completed an successful inspection process to renew the occupancy permit. I have been the owner of this house for 15 years and have been through this inspection process several times receiving 5 year permit terms. This property has been maintained to the highest standards and the feedback we have received from inspectors has reflected that each time our house is evaluated. I live in California and direct through my agent here what is to be accomplished and when to proceed. This last review had a few noted issues which were resolved. One of which was the exterior stone foundation stone and missing mortar in certain places which we addressed. We have always welcomed the city as a third set of eyes in looking for ways to improve the property. Having said this, we took a broader view on this last issue and did a complete refurbishing of all mortar joints around the entire footprint of the house which was a much larger project than the noted concern. This resulted in a request for an extension so we could complete this project successfully before having HAND come back and conduct the final re-inspection. Through this entire cycle I was never informed in any of the communications received from HAND that I had forfeited my 5 year renewal , and thus being issued a 3 year in its place.

After arriving in Bloomington, it was explained to me in person by HAND when I came in to get the permit and pay the fees that we did NOT schedule the inspection, starting the process, before the expiration of the old permit on March 14<sup>th</sup>. With my four houses, in the past I would get a notice that the house was up for inspection and that I needed to call HAND and schedule that inspection. HAND acknowledged to me that was the case but their process had changed and they were no longer sending curtesy notices, and their process was currently moving to a new management application.

15 years ago, when I got involved in this process and not being familiar with it, I would call to make sure I got these inspections done to keep my permits in a active status. At that time they would tell me that I would be notified and should schedule at that point which I have done successfully t with all my houses receiving 5 year terms. I was left with the impression as long as I was actively pursuing the renewal after the HAND notice the actual expiration date was not critical to determine compliance in terms of the objective of the HAND inspection protocol.

In this case I received what I would have called the first notice which was sent by HAND on March 16<sup>th</sup> to me in California. I probably received 3 days later and we called to schedule the inspection on 3/22/23. Inspection was scheduled for 3/31/23. I received the inspectors report dated 4/3/23 in California by US Mail several days later. We then proceeded to take corrective action. As you can see, what I would have assumed was the first notice was received 5 or so days after the expiration date. We schedule right away on 3/22/23 or 8 days after the expiration date. I got the actual inspection report On April 6<sup>th</sup> in California, approximately 3 weeks after the expiration date. I believe knowing what I understood the process to be, based on my previous experience ,that we acted in good faith in a reasonable timeframe. If I knew the process had changed I would obviously had made sure to call independently before March 14<sup>th</sup>. My three other houses have seen very similar cycle times like this one where the existing permit expiration date had passed before the re-inspection was completed. A similar timeline was realized here.

In closing, our house is in excellent condition, remodeled inside and out. It has always been my understanding the shorter term is a result of a HAND concern on how the property is being maintained or managed over time. 611 East 2<sup>nd</sup> Street has had 5 year terms when under my ownership and supervision. This specific exception due to mis -understanding on my part does not tie back to the safety and soundness of the property and the wellbeing of the IU students living in the house.

Have said this, I would appreciate your consideration this one time to reinstate the 5 year term on this current permit. Going forward, I can assure the Board I will manage to the current process which is to independently call to schedule before the expiration date of the current permits. Managing our houses to a high standard has been our primary goal and I feel the inspections done and how we respond reflect that. With this in mind I would ask for your re-consideration of this administrative decision. Thank you.

Russell Pleasants 925-254-4206 <u>Pleasantsr@aol.com</u> Darusrentals.com



Complied:	7/25/2023
Inspected:	3/31/2023
Expires:	7/25/2026

611 E 2nd ST <u>Owner, Applicant</u> JWAIDEH/PLEASANTS RENTALS, LLC 720 MOCKINGBIRD PLACE DAVIS CA 95616

Representative LOWERS, ROBERT 1119 W. MAIN STREET ELLETTSVILLE IN 47429

Inspector: Rob Council

The permit certifies compliance with the provision of Title 16 of the Bloomington Municipal Code, "Bloomington Residential Rental Unit and Lodging Establishment Inspection Program", and does not represent compliance with any other Title of the Bloomington Municipal Code or other relevant statutes or ordinances, particularly in regards to laws which regulate the zoning of this property. No change of use shall be made in this location without the prior approval of the applicable departments.

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Structure Identifier	<u>Units</u>	Bedrooms per Unit	Max Occupant Load per Unit
1	1	4	5
	1	4	

A copy of the permit must be displayed on the inside of the main entrance of the rental units A copy of this permit and the rental file are available for the public to view during regular business hours at the Housing and Neighborhood Development office.

Each residential rental unit shall be scheduled to receive a cycle inspection at least sixty days prior to the expiration of its permit. Don't forget to call HAND before this time. (16,03,040)



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City Of Bloomington Housing and Neighborhood Development RENTAL INSPECTION INFORMATION

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Jwaideh/Pleasants Rentals, LLC 720 Mockingbird Place Davis, CA 95616

RE: 611 E 2nd ST

Please find the enclosed Rental Inspection Report which contains pertinent information about the Cycle Inspection that was recently conducted at the above referenced property. The inspector has listed all noted violations and recommendations on the enclosed Rental Inspection Report. You have sixty (60) days from the date of this letter to correct the violations listed on the report.

Once violations have been corrected, it is your responsibility to call the Housing and Neighborhood Development office within this 60 day window but no later than **JUN 0 3 2023** o schedule a re-inspection. You have the right to appeal any violation of Bloomington Municipal Code Title 16 noted on the rental inspection report to the Board of Housing Quality Appeals.

This report is issued in accordance with BMC 16.10.020 and 16.10.040 of the Residential Rental Unit and Lodging Establishment Inspection Program. Residential Rental Occupancy Permits will not be issued until all interior and exterior violations have been corrected, and all fees have been paid. Bloomington Municipal Code requires that all violations of all Titles of the BMC must be in compliance before a permit will be issued. Please be advised that non-compliance by the deadlines listed in this letter may limit the permit period to a maximum of three (3) years.

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If you have any questions regarding the permit process, please call weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., at (812) 349-3420.

Sincerely, Housing & Neighborhood Development Encl:Inspection Report, Xc:Lowers, Robert: 1119 W. Main Street, Ellettsville, IN 47429

401 N Morton St Bloomington, IN 47404 Fax (812) 349-3582 City Hall

Rental Inspection (812) 349-3420 Neighborhood Division (812) 349-3421 Honsing Division (812) 349-3401

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# City Of Bloomington Housing and Neighborhood Development

# CYCLE INSPECTION REPORT

Owner(s) Jwaideh/Pleasants Rentals, LLC 720 Mockingbird Place Davis, CA 95616

<u>Agent</u> Lowers, Robert 1119 W. Main Street Ellettsville, IN 47429

Prop. Location: 611 E 2nd ST Number of Units/Structures: 1/1 Units/Bedrooms/Max # of Occupants: Bld 1: 1/4/5

Date Inspected: 03/31/2023 Primary Heat Source: Gas Property Zoning: RH Number of Stories: 1 Inspector: Rob Council Foundation Type: Basement Attic Access: No Accessory Structure: None

Monroe County Assessor's records indicate this structure was built in 1914. There were no requirements for emergency egress at the time of construction.

# INTERIOR

Living Room (14x18): No violations noted.

Kitchen (9x7): No violations noted.

<u>½ Bath:</u>

Properly install or replace the aerator on the sink faucet so that it functions as intended.
 BMC 16.04.060(c)

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Bathroom:

C Secure loose shower faucet. BMC 16.04.060(c)

Basement:

- C Eliminate all unused openings in the electric service panel by installing approved rigid knockout blanks. BMC 16.04.060(b)
- \* Proper TPR valve discharge tube needs to be installed on water heater. BMC 16.04,060(c)

Temperature/pressure relief (TPR) valve discharge tubes:

- shall not be reduced in size from the valve outlet
- shall be rigid galvanized, rigid copper, or any CPVC pipe
- shall not have a threaded discharge end
- drain by gravity
- shall have a minimum 1" air gap where discharging into a sanitary drain, or an approved air break
- shall extend to within 6" of floor. BMC 16.04.060(c)

#### <u>SW Bedroom (12x14):</u>

C The smoke detector in this room appears to be more than ten years old and the manufacturer will not guarantee it to provide adequate protection. Install a new smoke detector in an approved location. If wall mounted, it shall be located between 6 and 12 inches from the ceiling. If ceiling mounted, it shall be located at least 4 inches from the wall. IC 22-11-18-3.5

**Existing Egress:** 

Height: 26 inches Width: 46 inches Sill Height: 24 inches Openable Area:sq. ft.

Note: These measurements are for reference only. There is no violation of the emergency egress requirements.

<u>SE Bedroom (12x10):</u> No violations noted.

#### **Existing Egress:**

Height: 22 inches Width: 27 inches Sill Height: 24 inches Openable Area: 4.12 sq. ft.

Note: These measurements are for reference only. There is no violation of the emergency egress requirements.

#### West Central Bedroom (11x11):

The smoke detector in this room appears to be more than ten years old and the manufacturer will not guarantee it C. to provide adequate protection. Install a new smoke detector in an approved location. If wall mounted, it shall be located between 6 and 12 inches from the ceiling. If ceiling mounted, it shall be located at least 4 inches from the wall, IC 22-11-18-3.5

> **Existing Egress:** Height: 22 inches Width: 30 inches Sill Height: 24 inches Openable Area: 4.58 sq. ft.

> > Note: These measurements are for reference only. There is no violation of the emergency egress requirements.

NW Bedroom (9x10): C No violations noted.

#### **Existing Egress:**

Height: 29 inches Width: 30 inches Sill Height: 46 inches Openable Area: 6.04 sq. ft.

Note: These measurements are for reference only. There is no violation of the emergency egress requirements.

#### EXTERIOR

Properly tuck point all missing or defective mortar joints. BMC 16.04.050(a)

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# **OTHER REQUIREMENTS:**

### Furnace Inspection Documentation:

Thoroughly clean and service the furnace, inspect and test shut off valves for proper operation. Documentation from a professional HVAC contractor for this service is acceptable and encouraged. Servicing shall include a test for carbon monoxide. Acceptable levels of carbon monoxide are as follows:

Desired level:0 parts per million (ppm)Acceptable level in a living space:9 ppmMaximum concentration for flue products:50 ppmBMC 16.01.060(f), BMC 16.04.060(c), BMC 16.04.060(b)

#### **Inventory Damage List:**

The owner or his agent shall contact the tenant and arrange a joint inspection of the premises to occur within ten days of the tenant's occupancy of the rental unit. The owner or his agent and the tenant shall at that time jointly complete an inventory and damage list, and this shall be signed by all parties to the tenancy agreement. Duplicate copies of the inventory and damage list shall be retained by all parties. A completed copy of the Inventory & Damage List must he provided to the office or reviewed with the inspector within 60 days of the date of the inspection or a \$25.00 fine will be levied. BMC 16.03.050(e) and BMC 16.10.030(b)

## Occupancy Affidavit

Provide a completed copy of the Occupancy Affidavit for this Registered Residential Rental property to the inspector for review. BMC 16.03.025

\*Beginning January 1, 2022, Bloomington Municipal Code requires owners of Registered Rental properties to present a completed Occupancy Affidavit for any structures with 4 (four) or fewer units as part of the rental documents. The Ordinance does not require a copy of the Occupancy Affidavit to be kept by the HAND Department, only reviewed.

\*\*Beginning July 1, 2022, a completed copy of the Occupancy Affidavit must be reviewed by the inspector within 60 days of this mailing of the Cycle Report or a \$25.00 fine will be levied. BMC 16.03.025

When issued, a copy of the new Rental Occupancy Permit shall be posted as required by BMC 16.03.030(d): All rental units shall be required to have a current occupancy permit displayed in an accessible location inside the unit. The permit shall contain the name of the owner and the agent, the occupant load of the unit, the number of bedrooms, the expiration date of the permit, and any variances that have been granted for the property. BMC 16.03.030(c)

Thank you for your cooperation in the Residential Rental Occupancy Permit Program.

# This is the end of this report.