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BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS FILE NO. 22-115

TO: Board of Fire Commissioners

FROM: Kristin M. Crowley, Fire Chief

SUBJECT: PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION FOR THE 2021

NON-COMPLIANCE FEE APPEALS

FOR FINAL ACTION:	Approved Denied	Approved w/Corrections Received & Filed	Withdrawn Other

#### **SUMMARY**

The Fire Department enforces the Fire Code through the inspection process. Properties or businesses found not in compliance with the Fire Code during the initial inspection, a notice of non-compliance is issued indicating the violations found during the inspection.

A follow-up inspection is conducted and if the nuisance has not been abated, then a second notice is issued. At this point, the property owner is subjected to a non-compliance fee. Each property/business owner is given an opportunity to challenge the imposed non-compliance fee by completing a questionnaire and submitting it to the Fire Department.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Board:

- 1. Approve the Hearing Officers "Proposed Decision and Recommendations." (Attachment 1)
- 2. Direct the Fire Department to mail the notification letter, "Granted" (Attachment 2) or "Denied" (Attachment 3), to the property/business owner regarding the Board of Fire Commissioners findings, conclusion and proposed assessment.
- 3. Direct the Fire Department to complete all accounting transactions.
- 4. Direct the Department to forward the unpaid Non-compliance Inspection Fee to the Los Angeles County Tax Collector for placement on the Los Angeles County 2023 Property Tax rolls.

#### FISCAL IMPACT

The Non-compliance Assessment Fee of \$668.00 is assessed once a property owner fails to comply by their scheduled due date or re-inspection. For the 2021 Brush Clearance Season, 717 appeal requests were received from property owners electing to appeal their assessment, 42 appeals were granted.

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The total amount of Non-compliance Assessment Fees revenue is \$450,900.00.

### **DISCUSSION**

This year the Fire Department received 717 completed questionnaires from property owners. The Board of Fire Commissioners designees have reviewed the questionnaires and have prepared the "Proposed Decision and Recommendation." The Board of Fire Commissioners has the authority to modify or rescind the fees, or impose and require the owner to pay the fee. In regards to the non-compliance fee appeals, the Board of Fire Commissioners' determination is final.

### **CONCLUSION**

Upon approval of this report by the Board of Fire Commissioners, the 2021 Non-compliance Inspection Fee Appeals will be completed. Any unpaid invoices can be forwarded to the Los Angeles County Tax Collector for placement on the 2023 Property Tax rolls.

Board report was prepared by Bryan R. Nassour, Captain I, Brush Clearance Unit.

#### Attachments:

Attachment 1: Proposed Decision and Recommendation

Attachment 2: Notification Letter - "Granted" Attachment 3: Notification Letter - "Denied"

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5570016007	TORREYSON HOLDINGS LLC	FS 97	664
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5575004019	ISRAEL LEVY	FS 27	666
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5582011004	BERNARDY TIMOTHY J JR	FS 82	683
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5583010003	BEHNAM,BLAKE AND HALEY TRS BEHNAM FAMILY TRUST	FS 82	687
5583017013	ALEKSICH,ZORAN AND DANIELA	FS 82	688
5585007021	HALLINAN,EDA G	FS 82	689
5585023011	GOLDSTEIN, DAVID TR GOLDSTEIN TRUST	FS 82	690
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5587021025	SHEA,MARINA TR MARINA SHEA TRUST	FS 82	697
5587022008	ST ANDREWS PLACE LLC	FS 82	698
5587028002	KINKEN SAMUEL AND SUMMERTON EMMELINE	FS 82	699
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5588009021	KANTARJIAN,HARRY AND MARY TRS KANTARJIAN TRUST AND KANTARJIAN,T T KANTARJIAN TRUST	FS 35	702
5588032024	BARSEGHIAN,HARRY AND ALVARD TRS BARSEGHIAN FAMILY TRUST AND BARSEGHIAN,A TR YERANIK TRUST	FS 35	703
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RICHARD MARIN	FS 56	709
BARRETO EMIDGIA C	FS 42	710
MORIN,ARMAND C AND SANDRA L	FS 42	711
MORODAK MEAS	FS 55	712
COHEN,ADAM J CO TR CODDINGTON COHEN TRUST	FS 42	713
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VILLARREAL,JOHN G AND BERGNER,JANET D	FS 55	716
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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: MARKHOVSKY FELIX (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: 14630 SPRINGER CT

SARATOGA CA 95070

SITUS ADDRESS: 8412 STARKLAND AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2005020001 / INVOICE NO: BN220000010

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they removed the hazards from their property after receiving the initial and second notices of noncompliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: CHASSMAN, LEONARD F CO TR CHASSMAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 23750 NADIR ST

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 23750 NADIR ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2005021006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000013

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated the hazards were removed after each inspection notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: FRANKLIN, KENNETH AND JULIET

MAILING ADDRESS: 8774 AZUL CIRCLE

WEST HILLS CA 91304 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 8774 AZUL CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017004052 / INVOICE NO: BN220000019

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they weren't initially aware that a palm tree was their responsibility and that once they did know, they had it removed.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: ASHRAF S GHOBRIAL
MAILING ADDRESS: 18166 CHARDON CIR
ENCINO CA 91316

LINGING CA 9131

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017016042 / INVOICE NO: BN220000023

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed that property was cleared.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: DOWDS,GORDON W TR GDOWDS TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 6605 COLLINGSWORTH ST

LAS VEGAS NV 89131

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017017035 / INVOICE NO: BN220000024

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: DOCHET CAREY, JACQUELINE P TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 8679 VALLEY FLORES DRIVE

WEST HILLS CA 91307 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L NE OF 8684 North VALLEY FLORES DR

WEST HILLS CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017018032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000028

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that this parcel passed compliance with two other adjoining parcels.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: WHITING,ANTONY R

MAILING ADDRESS: 08650 LIMEROCK TRL

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 8650 LIMEROCK TRL

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017018044 / INVOICE NO: BN220000030

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they received no notices regarding noncompliance and feels there may be some discrepency with his property line.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 08:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: HAJAHALE RICHARD R

MAILING ADDRESS: 8479 VALLEY FLORES DR

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 8479 VALLEY FLORES DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017022038 / INVOICE NO: BN220000033

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the hazard is a protected tree that they tried to save and then applied for a permit to remove in August, which the city approved in September. Appellant stated the permit was delayed by COVID.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. The first inpsection was in May and Appellant had adequate time to get a permit and remove the hazard by the second inspection.

Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: VOOSOOGHI,DAVID CO TR VOOSOOGHI AND GHAZNAVI TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5925 NEVADA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 23916 1/2 LOS ROSAS ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017025055 / INVOICE NO: BN220000037

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance. However, the record shows that the Notices were mailed and were not returned.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant confirms that clearance was not completed until 5/10/2022. This was after the Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued on 7/29/2021. Therefore, the assessment is proper.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: BILL BIETA

MAILING ADDRESS: 7729 GRAYSTONE DR

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 7729 GRAYSTONE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017027018 / INVOICE NO: BN220000039

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and upon getting a second notice, they hired a contractor to remove all hazards but had issues with their neighbor which impeded progress. Appellant also states the assessment is a financial hardship.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 9, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: HOLAK, JOHN T AND LAURA D TRS HOLAK FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 24574 STONEGATE DR

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 24574 STONEGATE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017030027 / INVOICE NO: BN220000042

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received any notices regarding brush clearance after they moved to the property in 2020.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Records show that Appellant contacted LAFD regarding the second notice, showing they did receive notice and the first notice was mailed to the same address as the second notice received. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: CHARLOTTE L LOOY

MAILING ADDRESS: 24566 OVERLAND DR

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 24566 OVERLAND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017030032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000043

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice and that their mother died in May 2021 and they inherited the house in December 2021 and had the hazards cleared.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: GREENBERG MORRIS

MAILING ADDRESS: 24574 OVERLAND DR

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 24574 OVERLAND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017030033 / INVOICE NO: BN220000044

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and upon receiving a second notice, they immediately hired a contractor to remove all hazards.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: MC GOWAN, ARTHUR JR AND YOLANDE

MAILING ADDRESS: 24632 STAGG ST

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 24632 STAGG ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017032004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000045

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance due to issues with mail delivery but immediately hired a contractor to remove hazards upon receipt of second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: ECHOLS, MARK CO TR MARK AND LIORA ECHOLS TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7511 PENOBSCOT DR

WEST HILLS CA 91304 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7511 PENOBSCOT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017032027 / INVOICE NO: BN220000047

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they never received their initial notice of noncompliance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. No return mail was received. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: WU,XIAOZHOU AND YANG,PEIJING

MAILING ADDRESS: 24601 OVERLAND DR

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 24601 OVERLAND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2017032029 / INVOICE NO: BN220000048

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: SAHYOUNI,ELIAS G AND SONIA S

MAILING ADDRESS: 23730 JUSTICE ST

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 23730 JUSTICE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2020010049 / INVOICE NO: BN220000051

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were making repairs and did not have hazards. Appellant also states the LAFD inspector wasn't wearing a mask when they visited as seen per video and was looking over their gate without permission.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: LEE JA HYUNG AND SHIN Y AND JANE I

MAILING ADDRESS: 24014 STAGG ST

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 24009 STAGG ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2020027014 / INVOICE NO: BN220000053

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they addressed the hazards in their first notice and that the second notice was in regards to a neighbor's tree that they ultimately trimmed.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: MANDELL, JONATHAN AND KAREN

MAILING ADDRESS: 24042 INGOMAR ST

CANOGA PARK CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 24042 INGOMAR ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2020027035 / INVOICE NO: BN220000056

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellants states they have a large property and it took them great effort and expense to clear it after receiving their notices. Appellant alerted LAFD staff that they would not be making the deadlines and says they were told not to worry about it.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: NEWHOUSE, JONI S AND PETER R TRS JONI AND PETER NEWHOUSE

**TRUST** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 23925 STRATHERN ST

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 23925 STRATHERN ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2020030029 / INVOICE NO: BN220000058

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have always cleared their brush and the noncompliance notice was for an overhanging tree that they have never been told to clear before.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: KATZMAN,ELLEN TR ELLEN KATZMAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 24108 DEQUINCY CT

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 24108 DEQUINCY CT

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2020031028 / INVOICE NO: BN220000060

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they sent a copy of the receipt for their brush clearance to LAFD.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: ALHAJ, DANI

MAILING ADDRESS: 21926 VENTURA BLVD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 7217 BERNADINE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2027011016** / INVOICE NO: BN220000062

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant did not state a reason for their appeal.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: October 14, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: HERMAN SADELI

MAILING ADDRESS: 23647 SANDALWOOD ST

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 23647 SANDALWOOD ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2027015023 / INVOICE NO: BN220000064

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush as required and that some of the brush was on their neighbor's property.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: FRAZIER HAROLD E AND FARRIS DENISE

MAILING ADDRESS: 23648 DEL CERRO CIR

CANOGA PARK CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 23648 DEL CERRO CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2027016013 / INVOICE NO: BN220000067

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant did not own property at time notices were sent.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

The issue regarding ownership of the property and the assessment was an issue for escrow.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: GREGORY A JONES

MAILING ADDRESS: 23741 DEL CERRO CIR

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 23741 DEL CERRO CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2027016020 / INVOICE NO: BN220000068

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they keep their brush cleared but their neighbor's tree hangs over their property and they won't trim it even though they've spoken to them.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: LEE, DANIEL AND SPEARS, KELLY

MAILING ADDRESS: 7558 POMELO DRIVE

WEST HILLS CA 91304 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7558 POMELO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2027016031 / INVOICE NO: BN220000070

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states a divorce and covide delayed clearance but they later hired someone to clear it after the second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: SHPALL, MARK H AND TAMMY A TRS SHPALL FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 23775 HARWICH PL

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 23775 HARWICH PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2027021009 / INVOICE NO: BN220000073

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush and to address their notice of noncompliance they later removed the cuttings.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 09:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: TRAN, TOMMY AND PHAM, TUYEN

MAILING ADDRESS: 7375 POMELO DRIVE

WEST HILLS CA 91307 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7375 POMELO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2027022022 / INVOICE NO: BN220000075

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant asserts they tried to comply with the removal requirements and claims financial hardship and seeks relief from the reinspection fees.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 106

NAME: XU,H NORMAN CO TR XU AND PEI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7629 ASHTON CT

WEST HILLS CA 91304

SITUS ADDRESS: 7629 ASHTON CT

LOS ANGELES CA 91304

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2027040006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000076

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were seriously injured while clearing their property which delayed full clearance until they could hire someone to finish the job.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: DJALAL KASSAII

MAILING ADDRESS: 7130 ATHELING WAY

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7130 ATHELING WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028018008 / INVOICE NO: BN220000078

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and claim financial hardship and can't afford the assessment.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: SCOTT AND BETH NEWMAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 23348 Balmoral LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91307 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 23348 BALMORAL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2028020022** / INVOICE NO: BN220000002

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant asserts they purchased the property in April 2021 and the inspection notices went to the prior owners.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: LALLY, JASON

MAILING ADDRESS: 07106 HELMSDALE RD

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7106 HELMSDALE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028022008 / INVOICE NO: BN220000084

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice and complained to LAFD upon receiving a second notice. After the second notice, they hired a contactor to remove the hazards and feels the assessment is unfair.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: MACINTYRE, JEFF S AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 7020 ERICA CIR

WEST HILLS CA 91307 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7020 ERICA CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028022030 / INVOICE NO: BN220000085

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: ANOOSHEH,FERA

MAILING ADDRESS: 7136 FOREST HILLS ROAD

WEST HILLS CA 91307 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7136 FOREST HILLS RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028023023 / INVOICE NO: BN220000087

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice of noncompliance and immediately hired a contractor to remove all hazards after getting the second notice.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: SERGEY AND EPSHTEYN

MAILING ADDRESS: 10061 RIVERSIDE DR UNIT 541

TOLUCA LAKE CA 91602 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7131 HELMSDALE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028024009 / INVOICE NO: BN220000091

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice of noncompliance and hired a contractor to remove all hazards, some of which they say were dumped on their property by a neighbor.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 08:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: CHRISS JIMMY AND SHERROD JANICE M

MAILING ADDRESS: 7035 HELMSDALE RD

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7035 HELMSDALE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2028024019** / INVOICE NO: BN220000092

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they had cancer surgery last year and funds were tight. Furthermore, they weren't aware of the brush clearance requirements and after receiving several quotes, they went with their own gardener.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below. Financial hardship is not a legal basis to dismiss the assessment.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 9, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: JANE W COHEN

MAILING ADDRESS: 7018 DARNOCH WAY

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7018 DARNOCH WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028024040 / INVOICE NO: BN220000094

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the situation was mitigated at great personal expense.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: CALDARA, EDWARD M AND KEEY B

MAILING ADDRESS: 7149 DARNOCH WAY

WEST HILLS CA 91307 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7149 DARNOCH WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028025003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000096

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive their notices by mail and feel the LAFD has the wrong address for them. Further, they had the hazards cleared once they were aware of the noncompliance issues.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: WAGNER, DEBRA R

MAILING ADDRESS: 24054 HIGHLANDER RD

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24054 HIGHLANDER RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028028020 / INVOICE NO: BN220000099

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and states that if they had, they would have taken care of things before receiving a second notice of noncompliance.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. The second notice went to the same address as the first notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: KAO, ARCHIE D AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 24107 HIGHLANDER RD

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24107 HIGHLANDER RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2028030010** / INVOICE NO: BN220000100

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 09:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: BARBARA M PIPER

MAILING ADDRESS: 24112 HIGHLANDER RD

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24112 HIGHLANDER RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2028035003** / INVOICE NO: BN220000102

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they are elderly and not tech savvy. The removal of a hazard was delayed by the tree removal service they hired. Financial hardship is claimed.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: MR & MRS HANSON

MAILING ADDRESS: 7123 POMELO DR

WEST HILLS CA 91307 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7123 POMELO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028041009 / INVOICE NO: BN220000106

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice and if they had, they would have addressed their brush clearance before getting a second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. The first notice went to the same address that the second notice was sent to, which was received by Appellant. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: SHUBEN ALLAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 7144 ROCK RIDGE TER

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7144 ROCK RIDGE TER

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028041020 / INVOICE NO: BN220000107

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they take brush clearance very seriously and immediately started clearing the hazards after receiving a notice of noncompliance. It took them awhile to find the right contractor to do the work but it was eventually completed.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: YEDIDIA,AARON AND YAKIRA TRS YEDIDIA FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7148 ROCKRIDGE TER

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7148 ROCKRIDGE TER

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028041021 / INVOICE NO: BN220000108

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their hazards after the first notice but the contractor got COVID and it took some time to get another and then Appellant got COVID and they have lost significant income due to COVID.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: GORDON, DORIS TR DORIS GORDON TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7054 MIDDLESBURY RIDGE CIR

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7054 MIDDLESBURY RIDGE CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028042008 / INVOICE NO: BN220000109

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are elderly and were only able to hire a contractor after the second notice of noncompliance. Appellant claims financial hardship.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: FEINGOLD, JOSEPH AND ESTHER TRS FEINGOLD FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7120 POMELO DR

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7120 POMELO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028042021 / INVOICE NO: BN220000111

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are on a fixed income and had to take out a loan to remove the hazards and the loan took time to process.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: DENG, LIYING CO TR LEI DENG FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 6940 NEWGATE RD

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 6940 NEWGATE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028044012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000114

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they did not receive a first notice of inspection. Once they were aware by the second notice, they worked to clear the hazard. Appellant states they were unemployed due to COVID.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: TEETER, MICHAEL AND DEBORAH

MAILING ADDRESS: 7053 MIDDLESBURY RIDGE CIR

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7053 MIDDLESBURY RIDGE CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2028046009** / INVOICE NO: BN220000120

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no first notice but immediately hired a contractor to remove all hazards after receiving a second notice. Appellant states the LAFD may have confused a neighbor's tree as being on their property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: MAY MIRANDA E

MAILING ADDRESS: 7034 MIDDLESBURY RIDGE CIR

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 7034 MIDDLESBURY RIDGE CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2028047005 / INVOICE NO: BN220000122

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: SHEIKHVAND,BIJAN AND HAIDEH

MAILING ADDRESS: 24554 GARDENSTONE LN

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24554 GARDENSTONE LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2031006070** / INVOICE NO: BN220000127

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they removed the dead palm fronds from the trees in front of their house in December 2021.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: LAMPERT, JEFFREY AND KELLY L

MAILING ADDRESS: 24543 HEAVENLY CT

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24543 HEAVENLY CT

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2031014021 / INVOICE NO: BN220000129

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the area in noncompliance is maintained by their homeowner's association.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: RENA A KAUFMAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 24539 HEAVENLY CT

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24539 HEAVENLY CT

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2031014022 / INVOICE NO: BN220000130

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the responsibile party for hazard clearance should be their HOA, which is assessing the situation.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: GABAY,ZIV

MAILING ADDRESS: 6444 ANTIGUA PL

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 6444 ANTIGUA PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032005018 / INVOICE NO: BN220000134

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they sold the house in November 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: SABOORY, ABDUL A

MAILING ADDRESS: 06214 ELLENVIEW AVE

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 6214 ELLENVIEW AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032008003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000137

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 10:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: SHMULIK PELER

MAILING ADDRESS: 16830 VENTURA BLVD 500

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 24654 EILAT ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032022022 / INVOICE NO: BN220000141

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they rent the property and coordinate the brush clearance on behalf of the owner. Appellant states they hired three different contractors at different times to clear the brush.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: REBIBO FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 6469 VALLEY CIRCLE TER

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 6469 VALLEY CIRCLE TER

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032024026 / INVOICE NO: BN220000144

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they sent in their check and it was cashed.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: NOORI JALAL AND ABBASSI FARZANEH

MAILING ADDRESS: 24400 GILMORE ST

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24400 GILMORE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032025046 / INVOICE NO: BN220000147

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have health issues that delayed removal of the hazards and ask for relief from the assessment.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 10:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: NAMI,BEN B AND LORRAINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 24840 EILAT ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 24840 EILAT ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032026035 / INVOICE NO: BN220000148

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice of noncompliance and cleared the property within 10 days of receiving the second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: BASS,GERALD AND CANDICE E TRS BASS FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 06114 PASEO LA VISTA

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 6114 PASEO LA VISTA

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032030043 / INVOICE NO: BN220000150

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they did not receive a first notice and that they paid their original fee which they are trying to clear up with a collection agency.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: ADEL, AHMAD CO TR ADEL TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 24793 WOODED VISTA

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24793 WOODED VISTA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032031003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000151

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property is maintained by a gardener weekly and disputes that their plants are fire hazards.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

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Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: MOHAMMED D SAWEZ

MAILING ADDRESS: 24796 GILMORE ST

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: 24796 GILMORE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91307

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2032032001 / INVOICE NO: BN220000153

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor to clear the brush after the first notice of noncompliance.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: TONEF, VIOREL

MAILING ADDRESS: 5044 CARTWRIGHT AVENUE

NORTH HOLLYWOOD CA 91601 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 24433 HATTERAS ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2046002004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000156

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says that he did not received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

The Department asks to waive the \$668 Administrative Fee herein in light of the fees sustained on Appellant's 'in person' Appeal Hearing.

However, the record does show that the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. First and Second Notices of Noncompliance were issued. On September 28, 2021, the Appellant's property was Red Posted with a Notice to Abate Nuisance and Fire Hazard.

The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The property ultimately proceeded to contractor clearance on November 3, 2021. Recently, Appellant's 'in person' Appeal was denied and fees were charged. In light of this, the Department asks to waive the administrative fees herein.

HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: MADADI, HOSSEIN A CO TR MADADI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 24486 PARK GRANADA

CALABASAS CA 91302

SITUS ADDRESS: 5945 FAIRHAVEN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2046004034** / INVOICE NO: BN220000160

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed it was in the pandemic.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: FARIAS, EVELIA S

MAILING ADDRESS: 05801 VALLEY CIRCLE BLVD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367

SITUS ADDRESS: 5801 VALLEY CIRCLE BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2046005010** / INVOICE NO: BN220000162

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the property in December 2021 and the clearance is ongoing as it is too costly to hire someone to do it.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: SHLOMO LAZAROVITS

MAILING ADDRESS: 5705 EL CANON AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5705 EL CANON AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2046006018** / INVOICE NO: BN220000163

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they do not have brush on their property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: LEVI, YOSEF AND NOGA

MAILING ADDRESS: 24045 HATTERAS ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367

SITUS ADDRESS: 24045 HATTERAS ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2046006034 / INVOICE NO: BN220000165

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed that there was no first notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: PHILBROOK BRIAN G & CECILIA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 24108 PHILIPRIMM ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 24108 PHILIPRIMM ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2046012005** / INVOICE NO: BN220000167

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they seem to clear their brush to early and it grows back but they completed their clearance in April 2021.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: KOCHEKSARAI,ALI Y TR YAZDANI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 28838 EAGLETON STREET

AGURA HILLS CA 91301 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 5550 PATTILAR AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2046014019 / INVOICE NO: BN220000170

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they regularly keep up with the brush clearance on their property which is sometimes confused with their neighbor's property and ask for a reevaluation.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: YESSAIAN, ARA CO TR YESSAYAN FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 22287 MULHOLLAND HWY UNIT 564

CALABASAS CA 91302

SITUS ADDRESS: 5618 WILHELMINA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2046015010 / INVOICE NO: BN220000171

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the property and did not understand what more needed to be done after receiving their notices of noncompliance until they contacted LAFD and then cleared the hazards after.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: HIROTA LAURENCE & WENDY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 24130 MARIANO ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 24130 MARIANO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2047016028 / INVOICE NO: BN220000175

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they received no notices and hired a contractor who completed the brush clearance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: April 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: JAKSO, CHARLES AND ELIZABETH

MAILING ADDRESS: 23930 MARIANO ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 23930 MARIANO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2047020006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000178

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they attempted to contact LAFD inspectors after their first notice but the inspector was on vacation. They eventually talked to LAFD and were told to trim a tree but later told it was another tree they had to trim.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: D AND M INVESTMENTS

MAILING ADDRESS: 22408 S SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

CHATSWORTH CA 91311

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2074010043 / INVOICE NO: BN220000182

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that clearance was delayed because one of the hazards was a protected tree and it took time to find the right contractor to trim it.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: D AND M INVESTMENTS

MAILING ADDRESS: 22408 S SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

CHATSWORTH CA 91311

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2074010044 / INVOICE NO: BN220000183

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that clearance was delayed due to a protected tree straddling two properties they own and they feel they should only be assessed for one property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 13:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: PARVIZ HAKIMI

MAILING ADDRESS: 23071 MULHOLLAND DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 23071 MULHOLLAND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2074038010 / INVOICE NO: BN220000184

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a tree trimming service as soon as their insurance contacted them and that the hazards were removed.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: April 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: ZAGHI,KOORISH TR ZAGHI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3873 WINFORD DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 23020 GERSHWIN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2074042031 / INVOICE NO: BN220000185

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: MAURER BRETT AND MICHELLE

MAILING ADDRESS: 22934 GERSHWIN DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 22934 GERSHWIN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2074043014 / INVOICE NO: BN220000186

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed there should be no fine.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: MOTAMEDINIA, AMIR M CO TR MOTAMEDINIA FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4605 DUNMAN AVE

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4605 DUNMAN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2074043039 / INVOICE NO: BN220000187

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says that the Fire Inspector is wrong about the property lines and that the brush violations are on the neighbor's property.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Notices of Noncompliance were issued in May and August of 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photos of the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, to wit, untrimmed tree branches, dead tree branches and dry brush 8 to 12 inches high.

Appellant says that the Fire Inspector is wrong about the property lines and that the brush violations are on the neighbor's property. However, satellite images, Assessor's parcel information, and measurement data show that the Fire Inspector correctly located the brush violations within Appellant's property. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: NOSRAT FARZIN (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: 22711 MACFARLANE DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 22711 MACFARLANE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2075013016 / INVOICE NO: BN220000199

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush both before and after the first notice and never received a second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: DORRANI, FARHAD TR FARHAD DORRANI TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 21200 OXNARD ST PMB 263

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 22528 MACFARLANE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2075025042 / INVOICE NO: BN220000205

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the first notice was sent to their address with the previous owner's name on it and threw it away. Appellant states that they did not receive mail as they usually do.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SMITH, PHILIP R CO TR SMITH FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 23 LAKE HELIX DR

**LA MESA CA 91941** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 22232 CASS AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2075035024 / INVOICE NO: BN220000210

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property was transferred and the assessment should have gone to the previous owner.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: FREUDENRICH JASON D AND PRICHARD KRISTIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 22620 CAVALIER ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 22620 CAVALIER ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2076001041 / INVOICE NO: BN220000218

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their property hazards after each notice of noncompliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: WEST ALDEN & RACHEL FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4768 EXCELENTE DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4768 EXCELENTE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2076008029 / INVOICE NO: BN220000224

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice, however, they had the property cleared in September after the second notice.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 13:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 105

NAME: YAO,HENGGANG AND GONG,MI

MAILING ADDRESS: 5824 EDMUND AVENUE

LA CRESCENTA CA 91214 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4819 REGALO RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2076009006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000228

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they contracted with a gardener to the remove the hazards, including those they were unaware of until after the second notice of noncompliance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: CHOPRA, INDER J CO TR CHOPRA FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 23656 PARK SEVILLA

CALABASAS CA 91302

SITUS ADDRESS: 22561 QUINTA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2076009039 / INVOICE NO: BN220000232

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not get a first notice but got a second notice and that they got seriously hurt and could not drive to make sure their gardener did everything.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MOHAMMED A ABEDI

MAILING ADDRESS: 4520 BLACKFRIAR RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4520 BLACKFRIAR RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2076012034 / INVOICE NO: BN220000236

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive any notices and tried contacting LAFD regarding their clearance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ANATOLY TALDYKIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 7211 CLYBOURN AVE

SUN VALLEY CA 91352 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2076016024 / INVOICE NO: BN220000238

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant did not state a reason for their appeal.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: GOLDMAN DIANE LIVING TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 22312 ALGUNAS RD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 22312 ALGUNAS RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2076018011 / INVOICE NO: BN220000239

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant unsure what brush to clear.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: December 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MELLICK, SEAN M AND ELIZABETH A

MAILING ADDRESS: 3718 CALLE JAZMIN

CALABASAS CA 91302 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 22144 AVENUE MORELOS

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2076022035 / INVOICE NO: BN220000243

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they have regularly complied but got no notices this year due to a past change in address. They later complied with the hazard removal and talked to LAFD.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: October 14, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ISRAEL OHANIAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 22544 FLAMINGO ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 22544 FLAMINGO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2078013004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000249

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no first notice but cleared their property in August 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: HASHEMI,REZA

MAILING ADDRESS: 00000 PO BOX 570670

TARZANA CA 91357

SITUS ADDRESS: 20411 OXNARD ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2149010018 / INVOICE NO: BN220000251

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that additional details were asked of LAFD but none were provided and that they cleared their brush as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: PIERCE INVESTMENT LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 4622 WHITE OAK PL

ENCINO CA 91316 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 20542 AETNA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2149010051 / INVOICE NO: BN220000254

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant did not get the first notice and thinks it may have been stolen as other mail in the neighborhood has been stolen. Appellant stated they immediately cleared the property after the second notice and claim financial hardship.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: CONLSON, MARION J TR MARION COLSTON TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 20861 COLLINS ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 20861 COLLINS ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2149015012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000261

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have called the LAFD several times to correct the spelling of their name on their billing forms.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SEVILLA FERNANDO

MAILING ADDRESS: 20526 OXNARD ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367

SITUS ADDRESS: 20526 OXNARD ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151001020 / INVOICE NO: BN220000262

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not own the property on the dates that the first and second notices were sent and provided escrow documents showing a closing sale date of September 2021.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided evidence that they did not own the property at the time LAFD notices were sent and therefore were not afforded due process. It is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: EMRANI, MAHDAD CO TR EMRANI AND EMRANI HAYMOF TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 20424 OXNARD ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367

SITUS ADDRESS: 20424 OXNARD ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151001028 / INVOICE NO: BN220000263

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they suffered many hardships in 2021 and that the notices did not properly describe what the problems were that they were supposed to address until they contacted LAFD.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ARAKELOVA NUSHIK AND PAVEL AND SOGOMONOV YURIY

MAILING ADDRESS: 5700 LARAMIE AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5700 LARAMIE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151004014 / INVOICE NO: BN220000267

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive any notices. They stated the property was purchased in 2020 but not occupied until 2022 and they cleared the property then.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: FINK TRACY A

MAILING ADDRESS: 5844 LARAMIE AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5844 LARAMIE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151005006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000268

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their property both before and after receiving notices of noncompliance and will maintain them going forward.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SARA G KEMP

MAILING ADDRESS: 5850 LARAMIE AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5850 LARAMIE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151005007 / INVOICE NO: BN220000269

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their mother owned the property and died in April 2022 and they just discovered the notices and have since hired a gardener to take care of things.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: YONATAN RABIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 12400 VENTURA BLVD 1129

STUDIO CITY CA 91604

SITUS ADDRESS: 5812 COMANCHE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151008052 / INVOICE NO: BN220000276

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the first notice was sent to a neighbor, that Appellant had the address changed, that they experienced deaths in the family due to COVID, that they had the property cleared, and they ask for understanding.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: DE CHIARA, MATTEO AND MIELE, MARIAPAOLA

MAILING ADDRESS: 5816 COMANCHE AVE

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367

SITUS ADDRESS: 5816 COMANCHE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2151008053** / INVOICE NO: BN220000277

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed property cleared timely.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: RIZZO,PETER AND RUSH,KAREN E

MAILING ADDRESS: 05611 COMANCHE AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5611 COMANCHE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151010015 / INVOICE NO: BN220000283

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had the brush cleared and tried to contact LAFD upon receipt of noncompliance notices but were unable to connect due to COVID.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: HAFTMAN FLORIAN AND GRANVILLE CAROL

MAILING ADDRESS: 5736 MCDONIE AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5736 MCDONIE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151011034 / INVOICE NO: BN220000286

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved into their house in June 2021 and did not receive a first notice and had their property cleared on the second notice and that the photos are of their neighbor's property.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. The address matches the APN and notices were resent to the new owners as shown in LAFD records. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: YOUNG MAX L AND JESSICA

MAILING ADDRESS: 20217 CLARK ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20217 CLARK ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151012078 / INVOICE NO: BN220000288

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared all hazards themself before the first inspection and objects to what they perceive as the arbitrary nature of the inspection, particulary with regards to any coverage of leaves on the ground.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: DOLATABADY, KAVEH AND ZAHRA

MAILING ADDRESS: 05652 OSO AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5652 OSO AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151013069 / INVOICE NO: BN220000292

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared the hazards as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: HERZ,EBERHARD AND JOLANTA M TRS M AND G TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5636 KEOKUK AVE

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 5636 KEOKUK AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151013077 / INVOICE NO: BN220000294

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were confused when they received notices of noncompliance as they had cleared their brush and thought the notice was in regards to their neighbor's yard. Appellant eventually contacted LAFD and found out what the remaining hazard was and had it cleared.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 12:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SHAHROKH AND MINOO A ARJANG

MAILING ADDRESS: 20566 CALIFA STREET

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 20566 CALIFA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151016045 / INVOICE NO: BN220000297

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant unsure of what area to clear for brush clearance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: VAJI EBRAHIMI

MAILING ADDRESS: 6640 WYNNE AVE

RESEDA CA 91335

SITUS ADDRESS: 20432 TIARA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151017016 / INVOICE NO: BN220000298

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they did all work as required.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: POLUS AHARON MAAYAN AND AHARON SHAULY

MAILING ADDRESS: 5660 COLLINS PL

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367

SITUS ADDRESS: 5660 COLLINS PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151020029 / INVOICE NO: BN220000300

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have lived at their house for 12 years and always clear their brush but they received no notices last year and believe their mail was stolen.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 14:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: AZARKMAN AMI E AND ASHLEY E

MAILING ADDRESS: 5684 COLLINS PL

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5684 COLLINS PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151020031 / INVOICE NO: BN220000301

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared the brush several times to stay in compliance and that they experienced financial hardship due to the pandemic.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: October 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ARSHADI REZA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5706 WALLIS LN

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5706 WALLIS LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151020053 / INVOICE NO: BN220000303

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property is a rental and their tenants were not cooperating and stopped paying rent and only recently moved out whereupon Appellant found mail regarding brush clearance.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: HILLEL, ELI AND ELANA TRS ELI AND ELANA HILLEL TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 20731 COLLINS ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20731 COLLINS ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151021018 / INVOICE NO: BN220000304

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: YACOBY OREL

MAILING ADDRESS: 3721 CALLE JOAQUIN

CALABASAS CA 91302 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 20723 COLLINS ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151021020 / INVOICE NO: BN220000305

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: VARGA JENNIFER R AND ALFRED III

MAILING ADDRESS: 20607 MARTHA ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20607 MARTHA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151021032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000307

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that after receiving a first notice of noncompliance they hired a contractor to clear their brush and discussed it with LAFD, whereupon they learned their property extended beyond a fence they thought was their boundary.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: BRIAN NEJAD

MAILING ADDRESS: 20445 MIRANDA ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20445 MIRANDA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151023002 / INVOICE NO: BN220000309

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices. Appellant states they cleared the brush after hiring a contractor, which was delayed due to financial constraints due to COVID.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: BARSAMIAN CHRISTOPHER G

MAILING ADDRESS: 20448 MIRANDA ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20448 MIRANDA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151025029 / INVOICE NO: BN220000315

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: NEDASHKOVSKAYA,ZHANNA V

MAILING ADDRESS: 00884 PALM AVE APT 203

WEST HOLLYWOOD CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: 20357 CLARK ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151028026 / INVOICE NO: BN220000322

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed there was no notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: AVEDISSIAN, ROBERT AND HEATHER

MAILING ADDRESS: 20715 CLARENDON ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20715 CLARENDON ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151032058 / INVOICE NO: BN220000325

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to remove the hazards after receiving a first and second notice of noncompliance and that the second round of clearance was delayed by COVID.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SHAMSA KAY AND SHIRZAI HAMID

MAILING ADDRESS: 20700 BURBANK BLVD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20700 BURBANK BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151033061 / INVOICE NO: BN220000326

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they paid a contractor to clear their brush after receiving their first notice and that they didn't receive a second notice.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: DANESH PANAHI,BIJAN D AND NOSRAT Y

MAILING ADDRESS: 20751 BERDON ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367

SITUS ADDRESS: 20751 BERDON ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151033075 / INVOICE NO: BN220000327

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they received no notices but hired a contractor to clear the hazards.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: CHAVEZ, JOSE AND BERTHA

MAILING ADDRESS: 20771 DOLOROSA ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20771 DOLOROSA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151033080 / INVOICE NO: BN220000328

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired someone to clear the property hazards and that they are financially unable to pay the fee.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: KLIOUKINA, TATIANA

MAILING ADDRESS: 20738 BERDON ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20738 BERDON ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151033086 / INVOICE NO: BN220000329

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their gardener clears their brush hazards twice a year.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: April 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ROBEN SAEIDIAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 20630 MARTHA ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20630 MARTHA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151034045 / INVOICE NO: BN220000330

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property was cleared and cleared as soon as they were notified. Appellant states they received no notifications.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SHOKOOHY, NILOOFAR TR NILOO TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4224 TOSCA RD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 20808 MARTHA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151034057 / INVOICE NO: BN220000331

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant unaware of requirement for brush clearance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: WALCH, GRAYLON L JR

MAILING ADDRESS: 20866 CLARK ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20866 CLARK ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151037040 / INVOICE NO: BN220000335

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed property cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SALAZAR, JOSE

MAILING ADDRESS: 20800 CLARK ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367

SITUS ADDRESS: 20800 CLARK ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151037050 / INVOICE NO: BN220000336

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor and cleared the property after each notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SAUL, EUNICE A

MAILING ADDRESS: 20726 CLARK ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20726 CLARK ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151038033 / INVOICE NO: BN220000337

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received notices and immediately had their property cleared once they received an invoice from LAFD.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: RANJBAR BAHMAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 20142 CLARK ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20142 CLARK ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91367

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2151039031 / INVOICE NO: BN220000339

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they are new owners of the property and that they cleared it as soon as possible and that they didn't receive any notices regarding brush clearance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: MESSIAN, DAVID AND JILA N

MAILING ADDRESS: 05308 PENFIELD AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5308 PENFIELD AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2164004017 / INVOICE NO: BN220000345

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice but cleared the brush as required and that they tried to contact LAFD and use the website but neither worked.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 14:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: AKHAVAN,BAHRAM AND JANET TRS BARAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5501 MELVIN AVE

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 5501 MELVIN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2164015013 / INVOICE NO: BN220000347

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they had the brush cleared several times and feels they were in compliance and that the assessment is unjustified.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 3, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: YASPAN, ROBERT AND DIANE

MAILING ADDRESS: 21700 OXNARD ST STE 1750

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 19567 REDWING ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2164015016 / INVOICE NO: BN220000348

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says he did not get the first Notice of Noncompliance but admits receiving the second Notice of Noncompliance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department sent were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving the second Notice of Noncompliance.

Appellant argues, by using the Department's billing statement as proof, that the Department had the wrong address. However, Appellant is referring to the 'situs' address which is the location of the noncompliant property. The Department correctly had Appellant's Oxnard Street address in the 'mailing address' portion of the billing statement.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard, to wit, specifically identified untrimmed palms trees with multiple dry, dead palm fronds. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violation. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: APKARIAN, AVEDIS AND LUSIK

MAILING ADDRESS: 19536 COLLIER ST

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19536 COLLIER ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2164022020** / INVOICE NO: BN220000352

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellants state they are disabled with a limited income and their daughter hired a contractor to remove the brush as required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: VOLMERANGE, ALBA TR ALBA VOLMERANGE TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 20209 ALLENTOWN DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20209 ALLENTOWN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2166002023 / INVOICE NO: BN220000353

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush clearance of the trees and palm fronds was performed by their contractor on July 12, 2021. This was before the second Notice of Noncompliance. The Inspector who issued the second Notice of Noncompliance took photos showing that some of the dead palm fronds and dry dead tree branches still needed to be cleared.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving the first Notice of Noncompliance.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The inspector specifically identified untrimmed palms trees with multiple dry, dead palm fronds and other dry tree branches. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violation. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: VALAFAR, ELNAZ AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 20058 VENTURA BLVD UNIT 139

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 5312 WINNETKA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2166005006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000354

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that several family members contracted COVID during the summer of 2021 and so they waited to contract for brush removal until they tested negative. Further, Appellant states they received no notices until the inspection notice whereupon they had the property cleared in November 2021.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: MATIAN, FARIBORZ AND YASHAR, AIDA

MAILING ADDRESS: 5200 QUAKERTOWN AVE

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 5200 QUAKERTOWN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2166008004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000357

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush clearance was performed in July 2021 after the first Notice of Noncompliance in June 2021. The second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in August 2021 because brush clearance was not complete. Appellant says the second Notice of Noncompliance was not received.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving the first Notice of Noncompliance.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The second Notice of Noncompliance in August 2021 was issued because, while some brush clearance was performed, particularly on the ground, there were still trees with multiple dry, dead branches and tree limbs near the Appellant's roof and untrimmed bushes. The Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: WILKENS, KAREN A CO TR WILKENS TAYLOR FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 20142 ALLENTOWN DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 20142 ALLENTOWN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2166009013 / INVOICE NO: BN220000359

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush clearance is performed every year. Appellant was surprised that the property did not pass the first inspection. Appellant could not figure out what needed to be done. Appellant contacted the Department on August 19, 2021, after the second inspection. Appellant told the Department that the tree clearance would occur within two weeks. The Appellant had a contractor trim the trees and remove the palm fronds on September 1, 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving both Notices of Noncompliance.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard, to wit, the property had trees with overgrown branches and palm trees with dry, dead palm fronds that needed trimming. The Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices of Noncompliance. However, full clearance was not achieved until after both Notices of Noncompliance had been issued.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: Kamyar MAROUNI

MAILING ADDRESS: 6862 Hayvenhurst Ave

Van Nuys CA 91406 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 20401 VENTURA BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2166033012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000367

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they never received any noncompliance notices due to mail theft in their neighborhood.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: WILDENBERG, AVI AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 04940 DEL MORENO DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4940 DEL MORENO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2166038035 / INVOICE NO: BN220000374

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: GHIAM NEEMATOLLAH & MAHNAZ TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 20252 LORENZANA DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 20252 LORENZANA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2166040001 / INVOICE NO: BN220000375

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received notices unitl they got an invoice, whereupon they immediately hired someone to clear their property.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: RAYENI MOJGAN S

MAILING ADDRESS: 4914 ALHAMA DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4914 ALHAMA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2167012028 / INVOICE NO: BN220000379

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they did not own the property until August 2021 and received no notices. Nevertheless, they cleared the propoerty after August as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommneded that the appeal be granted. Records show that notices were sent to the previous owner and not the owner who was assessed the penalties after they purchased the property.

HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 15:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: WALDMAN, DANIEL A TR DANIEL A WALDMAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4920 NOFRAL RD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4920 NOFRAL RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2167012036 / INVOICE NO: BN220000380

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant purchased property April 2021

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

The issue regarding ownership of the property and the assessment was an issue for escrow.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: KARIMIAN, MOSTAFA

MAILING ADDRESS: 04940 NOFRAL RD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4926 NOFRAL ROAD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2167012039 / INVOICE NO: BN220000381

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they gave up an easement 20 years ago and states that the property is not his responsibility.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MILLOY, DUNCAN AND GWENDOLYN MILLOY

MAILING ADDRESS: 4986 MARMOL DRIVE

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4986 MARMOL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2167014036 / INVOICE NO: BN220000382

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says first and second Notices of Noncompliance were not received in June and August 2021. Appellant says she later 'found the Notice' and asked her gardener to clear the brush. Instead, the City's contractor cleared the brush. Appellant objects to the contractor's clearance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. The Evidence Code provides that a letter properly mailed is presumed to have been received.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector found, on both inspections, overhanging tree limbs above Appellant's rooftop and a jungle of numerous tree limbs and vines encasing their garage. The Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices. The clearance was never performed. The City's contractor ultimately cleared the brush. Appellant objects that the contractor's clearance was too extensive. Clearance must be performed to comply with the fire code. The contractor performed clearance six months after the first failed inspection and two month's after the date that Appellant claims she 'found the Notice'. Appellant is likely referring to the red posted Notice to Abate Public Nuisance and Fire Hazard which was posted on Appellant's front door. That is an urgent notice which informs the homeowner that clearance by contractor will follow if clearance is not performed promptly. Appellant did not promptly comply. All things considered, there is no credible reason to believe Appellant's denial of receiving the Notices of Noncompliance.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: HANCE, BRYAN S AND LINNEA P

MAILING ADDRESS: 05106 ALHAMA DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 5106 ALHAMA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2167018033 / INVOICE NO: BN220000389

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor after each notice to clear their hazards but the notices were not specific as to what they needed to do.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: TONY SHIRLOO

MAILING ADDRESS: 3571 PANSY DRIVE

CALABASAS CA 91302 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L@ 5271 North MARMOL DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91346** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2167019001 / INVOICE NO: BN220000390

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they purchased the property on 9/23/21 and did not receive any prior notices regarding brush clearance.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. While Appellant states they purchased the property in September 2021, no evidence was provided to support the assertion. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: RAMADAN, JEFFERY R AND JANE E TRS RAMADAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 21002 AVENUE SAN LUIS

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 21002 AVENUE SAN LUIS

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2167020022 / INVOICE NO: BN220000392

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims that none of the Notice of Noncompliance were received in June and August 2021. Appellant says that the whole family was hit by COVID and could not perform brush clearance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. The Evidence Code provides that a letter properly mailed is presumed to have been received. The Notices of Noncompliance were mailed to Appellant's residence which is the same property that failed the inspections.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector found, on both inspections, large amounts of untrimmed overgrowth and dry, dead brush and tree limbs, plus additional dead material on the ground. The Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices. The clearance was performed in October 2021, two month's after the second Notice of Noncompliance.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: JJ FIVE LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 4622 LARKWOOD AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5109 MARMOL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2167020038 / INVOICE NO: BN220000393

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the notices were sent to their sister's address and they don't know why and asked for an extension.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 15:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: KOSHET, YAIR TR Y K PROPERTY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4738 EXCELENTE DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 5226 MEDINA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168003032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000400

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they contracted COVID last year which delayed clearance of their property. Afterwards, they attempted to contact LAFD to see exactly what needed to be done but received no response, further delaying action. Additionally, Appellant states they are elderly and experiencing financial hardship.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: WEST HILLS HOLDINGS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 06520 PLATT AVE PMB 551

WEST HILLS CA 91307

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168005007 / INVOICE NO: BN220000404

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellants says their contractor cleared brush in April 2021 before the first Notice of Noncompliance in May 2021. Appellant claims the first and second Notices of Noncompliance in May and August 2021 were not recceived.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. The Evidence Code provides that a letter properly mailed is presumed to have been received.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in May and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector found that the Appellant performed some brush clearance. However, the Inspector's photos show dead brush from clearance, which was strewn in piles, not bagged, and not carried away by their contractor. Moreover, in addition to the ground debris, the were several large bushes and trees that had dead and live branches that reached all the way to the ground and were in great need of trimming. The Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices. Compliance was ultimately achieved, but it was after the first and second Notices of Noncompliance.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SCHUMACHER ISAAC

MAILING ADDRESS: 9615 CANOGA AVE

**CHATSWORTH CA 91311** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5018 MEDINA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168009021 / INVOICE NO: BN220000411

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant admits receiving the first Notice of Noncompliance in June 2021 and the second Notice of Noncompliance in August 2021. Appellant says he has never been cited before and has maintained his property. However, Appellant says he did not know that brush included trees. Appellant completed the tree trimming in December 2021 once he realized that was required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving the Notices.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector's photos show untrimmed tree limbs close to the ground and close to the residence and stairs. The photographs depict the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices and specifically identified that it was Appellant's trees and tree limbs back in June 2021 and August 2021. Compliance was ultimately achieved in December 2021, but it was after the first and second Notices of Noncompliance had already been issued.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: CLAMPITT, TAMIKO TR TAMIKO CLAMPITT TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5100 TENDILLA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5119 BAZA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168012059 / INVOICE NO: BN220000412

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant's neighbor wrote the appeal on their behalf as the Appellants who are a 90 yr old woman and her blind daughter. Appellant's daughter made contact with LAFD to clarify what needed to be done. The neighbor feels the hazard was a petty few boards on a tree.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: June 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: CAMPOS RYAN AND CHRISTINA

MAILING ADDRESS: 21801 SAN MIGUEL ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 21801 SAN MIGUEL ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168014031 / INVOICE NO: BN220000417

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed property cleared timely.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: AZARPOUR BABAK

MAILING ADDRESS: 5135 CALATRANA DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5135 CALATRANA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168015047 / INVOICE NO: BN220000418

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in June 2021 and received no notices until February 2022. Appellant states that they renovated the property from June 2021 to when they moved in and had the property cleared. No proof of purchase was provided.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: KAZANJIAN VICKEN AND CAROLINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 5278 ELVIRA RD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 5278 ELVIRA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168019057 / INVOICE NO: BN220000422

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in August 2021 and that their escrow is working to hold the previous owners responsible.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. LAFD records show a new owner recording date in January 2021 and no evidence of an August 2021 purchase was provided by Appellant. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: COHEN,STEVEN J

MAILING ADDRESS: 05288 ELVIRA RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5288 ELVIRA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168019058 / INVOICE NO: BN220000423

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had COVID before the brush clearance due date which delayed clearance but also that minimal clearance was necessary and that they have been unemployed since 2019.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: HAMZELOU ARYA B AND OYNICK ELIZABETH M

MAILING ADDRESS: 5265 BAZA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5265 BAZA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168020047 / INVOICE NO: BN220000424

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed there was no notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: BRODERICK, BRIAN J

MAILING ADDRESS: 05254 BAZA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5254 BAZA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168021051 / INVOICE NO: BN220000426

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush was cleared in May 2021. However, the Appellant failed inspections and received Notices of Noncompliance in June 2021 and August 2021. Appellant admits he did not understand everything that had to be done and believed that full compliance was achieved after removing a bushy hedge that was growing between the residence and carport, touching both.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving the Notices.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector's photos show a bushy hedge that was growing between the residence and carport, touching both. Appellant trimmed this after the first inspection but did not trim a tree behind the home arching above the roof and other trees with limbs within 5 feet of the ground and other dead, dry limbs and debris. The photographs depict the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices, identifying all the issues. Compliance was ultimately achieved in October 2021, but it was after the first and second Notices of Noncompliance had already been issued.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: KAUFMAN OF RICHARDSON 2007 TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5352 ELVIRA RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5352 ELVIRA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168025034 / INVOICE NO: BN220000428

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the notices were sent to a wrong address in Van Nuys and that they hired a contractor to clear their property.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. The first notice was addressed to Appellant's address on their check, however, LAFD records show a forwarding address in Van Nuys for another notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: DAVIS, DON G CO TR DAVIS PARSONS TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 504 LION ST

**OJAI CA 93023** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5336 ELVIRA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2168025060 / INVOICE NO: BN220000430

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: CLARK, KYLE A AND BROOKE M

MAILING ADDRESS: 05118 CERRILLOS DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 5118 CERRILLOS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2169024029 / INVOICE NO: BN220000438

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims the photos show the neighbor's property and adds that the neighbor has gotten into trouble before regarding brush clearance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Grant the Appeal: It is recommended that the Appeal be Granted and the Assessment reversed.

Appellant's property is located at 5118 Cerrillos Drive. The Inspector's photo at the purported rear of Appellant's property shows uncleared brush. Based on Appellant's claim that the Inspector's photo is not of their property, a satellite view was used to take a closer look from above. In the Inspector's photo there is a large tree above the uncleared brush. Appellant has no large trees behind the fence of their property. Instead, the neighbor at 5114 Cerrillos Drive has a large tree behind the fence of their property. It is clear that the offending brush is not on Appellant's property. As a last-ditch effort to verify the GPS value shown in the inspection photo dated 6/26/2021 at 10:13am, the GPS coordinates were run. The value in the photo has a GPS value of 34°09'39"N, 118°36'43"W. That comes back to 5019 Llano Drive which is a street below Cerrillos Drive. On the August inspection, the GPS value of that photo came back as 5021 Llano Drive. Therefore, it is unlikely that any photos depict Appellant's property and the photos of both inspections contain the same tree. The Appeal should be granted and the Assessment reversed.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: BLAKIN, RONNIE A AND EISENHART, BROOKE H

MAILING ADDRESS: 5015 LLANO DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 5015 LLANO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2170001046 / INVOICE NO: BN220000441

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their property prior to the deadline and don't understand why they received noncompliance notices despite contacting LAFD.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SHEMESH, TIRAN AND ROZALIN TRS TIRAN AND ROZALIN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5005 LLANO DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 5005 LLANO DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2170001055 / INVOICE NO: BN220000442

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant has a gardener that performs brush clearance. However, Appellant failed inspections in May 2021 and August 2021.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in May and September 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector's photos show spots of untrimmed bushes and tall dry grasses between 12 to 18 inches. The photographs depict the hazardous conditions. The photos do show that some brush clearance was taking place but the photos also show there are pockets of high grasses and stands of untrimmed bushes and some young, unkept trees. The Appellant has a residence of architectural interest of formed concrete that provides space for pockets of brush that appear hard to reach. Nevertheless, all brush must be cleared to reach full compliance. The Inspector described the work that was needed to be done in the Notices, identifying all the issues. Appellant did not complete brush clearance before the second Notice of Noncompliance was issued and this triggered the current assessment.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: STORE MASTER FUNDING XIX LLC LESSOR EVOLVE GWTH

INITIATIVES LLC LSEE

MAILING ADDRESS: 8377 East Hartford DR STE 100

Scottsdale Az 85255 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4810 AZUCENA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2170002044 / INVOICE NO: BN220000444

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believe property was cleared sufficiently and timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SIMON, JEFFREY TR EDS TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 05874 ROLLING RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4880 LLANO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2170005019 / INVOICE NO: BN220000448

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush was completed by their gardener in March 2021. However, Appellant received Notices of Noncompliance in June 2021 and August 2021. Appellant agrees that the trees needed to be trimmed but does not categorize tree limbs as brush. Appellant claims the second Notice of Noncompliance was not received.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant denies that the second Notice of Noncompliance was received. However, the Appellant provides no reason why the second Notice would not have been received by Appellant. The Evidence Code provides that letters properly mailed are presumed to have been received.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector's photos show untrimmed bushes and trees, some touching the residence. The photographs depict the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices, identifying all the issues. Brush clearance includes trees, tree limbs, bushes, and dead and dry branches on the tree or on the ground. It is not solely grasses and tumble weeds. Since Appellant did not fully complete brush clearance before the second Notice of Noncompliance was issued, the assessment for that Notice is due.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: BUSH, ALEXANDER AND GOLOD, OKSANA

MAILING ADDRESS: 22103 AVENUE MORELOS

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 22103 AVENUE MORELOS

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2170015060** / INVOICE NO: BN220000452

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the photos taken by LAFD were taken from far away and there was a higher clearance between the roof and trees than what appears in the pictures.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 9, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: HUG, EMIL J CO TR HUG FAMILY TRUST AND BRECEDA, BRANDON

MAILING ADDRESS: 21689 YUCATAN AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 21689 YUCATAN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171001009 / INVOICE NO: BN220000454

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had a contractor clear their brush after the first notice and were surprised to get a second notice of noncompliance.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: LOVATO STEPHEN L AND RICHARD E

MAILING ADDRESS: 21651 YUCATAN AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 21651 YUCATAN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171002005 / INVOICE NO: BN220000455

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have kept their property clear for 20 years but clearance has now been complicated by their neighbor who put up a gate that inhibits entry. Further, it was very costly and so they are leaving California.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: October 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ETP PROPERTIES LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 21633 YUCATAN AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 21633 YUCATAN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171002010 / INVOICE NO: BN220000456

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellants states the property has been under construction and that they received no notices until their contractor delivered their mail.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: April 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: DOWNEY, KEITH G TR DOWNEY FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 04757 CANOGA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4757 CANOGA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171004006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000459

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant writes in his Appeal that brush clearance was performed on June, 15 2021. However, Appellant failed the first inspection a little over one week later on June 24, 2021. The Department then issued the first Notice of Noncompliance. A second violation occurred thereafter and the Department issued the second Notice of Noncompliance in August 2021. Appellant claims to have not received the second Notice of Noncompliance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving the first Notice. The Evidence Code provides that a letter duly mailed is presumed to have been received. Appellant provides no reason nor evidence why mail could not or did not reach Appeallant.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector's photos show tall grasses and dry debris in different locations of Appellant's property. The photographs depict the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices, identifying all the issues. Compliance was ultimately achieved in October 2021, but it was after the first and second Notices of Noncompliance had already been issued.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MALKHASIAN,LOUSINE AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 21521 ARCOS DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 21521 ARCOS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171005019 / INVOICE NO: BN220000461

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were unable to maintain their property due to their mother passing due to COVID and their own issues with COVID and being on an oxygen machine.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SAADAT,FARIBA

MAILING ADDRESS: 00240 N CRESCENT DR APT 204

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171008004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000466

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appelant believed property was cleared timely.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: GEMENY, KRISTEN F TR JOANNE L FOLEY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4870 ALATAR DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4870 ALATAR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171008020 / INVOICE NO: BN220000467

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had the brush cleared as soon as their mother, the property owner, came home from long stays in the hospital.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 15:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: HOSSEINZADEH, MARZIEH AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 17627 KITTRIDGE ST

LAKE BALBOA CA 91406

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L S of 4631 ENSENADA DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171010001 / INVOICE NO: BN220000469

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they do not have access to their land as several sides are bordered by other private property and they would have to sue to gain access.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MATTHEW SAFAPOUR

MAILING ADDRESS: 4916 MEDINA ROAD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171013055 / INVOICE NO: BN220000475

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims the second Notice of Noncompliance was not received. Appellant says regular brush clearance is always performed. The first Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June 2021 and the second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in July 2021. The property had trees and shrubs that need trimming and tall, dry grasses in some areas. Appellant contends the tall grasses and shrubs were not on his property.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving the first Notice. The Evidence Code provides that a letter duly mailed is presumed to have been received. Appellant provides no reason nor evidence why mail did not reach Appeallant.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector's photos show tall grasses, dry debris, and untrimmed bushes and trees in different locations of Appellant's property. The photographs depict the hazardous conditions.

The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices, identifying all the issues. However, Appellant objects to the requirement of performing brush clearance between Appellant's fence and the curb. The Inspector described this legal requirement explaining that a homeowner must perform brush clearance all the way to the curb even if it is outside their property line. Appellant did not clear all the brush as required.

Appellant did not complete brush clearance and was issued the second Notice of Noncompliance. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SAFAPOUR, MATTHEW

MAILING ADDRESS: 04916 MEDINA RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4916 MEDINA RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171013057 / INVOICE NO: BN220000476

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush clearance was performed on June 27, 2021. However, Appellant was not in compliance. Appellant was issued Notices of Noncompliance in June and July 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the appeal should be denied and the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because none of the notices the Department mailed were returned undeliverable. Appellant admits receiving the first Notice. The Evidence Code provides that a letter duly mailed is presumed to have been received. Appellant provides no reason nor evidence why mail could not or did not reach Appellant.

Regarding Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued in June and July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector's photos show tall grasses, dry debris, overgrown vines, untrimmed trees and bushes, as well as, dead, dry brush in different locations of Appellant's property. The photographs depict the hazardous conditions. The Inspector described the work that needed to be done in the Notices, identifying all the issues and specifying the overgrown bougainvillea and dry dead palm fronds as targets for brush clearance. Appellant did not comply prior to the second Notice of Noncompliance. Therefore the second assessment was issued.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: JDAQUINO CORPORATION

MAILING ADDRESS: 07662 WINNETKA AVE

WINNETKA CA 91306

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171014096 / INVOICE NO: BN220000479

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that urban forestry told them not to touch anything and to get a permit before trimming their oak tree.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Evidence was not submitted showing an issue with urban forestry. To the contrary, an message submitted by Appellant stated that work was not initially done due to COVID. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: GOLDENSON, DENNIS AND VANESSA TRS GOLDENSON FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 21859 YBARRA RD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 21859 YBARRA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2171019062 / INVOICE NO: BN220000483

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they thought they cleared their property but then received a notice of noncompliance regarding their palm trees and then had them trimmed and was later told by LAFD they were in compliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: KENNETH R LYNN

MAILING ADDRESS: 4700 CANOGA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4700 CANOGA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172004003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000486

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they contracted to have the hazards removed as required and provided a receipt.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: PERERA, AFW L AND ET S

MAILING ADDRESS: 4435 SALTILLO ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4435 SALTILLO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172008031 / INVOICE NO: BN220000488

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they experienced financial difficulties due to COVID and that clearance was delayed due to COVID restrictions but they eventually had the hazards cleared at a high cost.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: BETANCE LARRY J (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 6428

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91365** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4621 WOLFE WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172013017 / INVOICE NO: BN220000495

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their property twice and tried contacting LAFD to clarify any further issues.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: DURAN, MARTY A

MAILING ADDRESS: 2323 STOKES CYN

CALABASAS CA 91302 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172015057 / INVOICE NO: BN220000501

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims that the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were not received. Appellant's mail had been returned 'Undeliverable' back to the Department.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Grant the Appeal: It is recommended that the Appeal should be Granted and the Assessment reversed.

Appellant did not receive the first and second Notices of Noncompliance. Appellant's mail had been returned back to the Deparment marked 'Undeliverable'. When the Deparment provided Notice of Noncompliance to the correct address, Appellate cleared all the brush before the Inspector returned less than one month later. The Inspector found compliance and filed a notation that the property had been "Cleared by Owner". The Appeal should be Granted and the Assessment reversed.

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 15:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: JOHNSON, ANNELIESE M TR ANNELIESE M JOHNSON TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4300 ALHAMA DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L S. of 4300 ALHAMA DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91346** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172016056 / INVOICE NO: BN220000509

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant purchased the property in May 2021 and noncompliance notices went to the previous owner. Appellant provided evidence of new property ownership.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

The evidence shows that the LAFD notices and posting were done in the name of the previous owners, therefore Appellants were not afforded due process in this case and the assessment is recommended to be dismissed and the appeal granted.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: RICHARD C HILL

MAILING ADDRESS: 16045 LEADWILL STREET

VAN NUYS CA 91406 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4252 North ALHAMA DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91346** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172016057 / INVOICE NO: BN220000510

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received any noncompliance notices because they went to an old address.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ROBINSON, RYAN TR INTRINSIC PROPERTIES TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4333 MORRO DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4333 MORRO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172017068 / INVOICE NO: BN220000514

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated their support for brush clearance and noted that they were behind in their clearance due to COVID.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: RICE, RICK CO TR RICE AND GALBRAIT TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4249 ELZEVIR RD

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172018048 / INVOICE NO: BN220000516

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not remember getting a first notice of noncompliance and stated they cleared some tree bark after getting a second notice in just a few days.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: TEBYANI MEHRAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 269 S BEVERLY DR PMB 282

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90212** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172023053 / INVOICE NO: BN220000529

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they are a new owner, having purchased the property in June 2021. Notices went to the previous property owner. Appellant provided escrow documents showing the property ownership change.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the appeal be granted and the assessment be dismissed. Appellant provided evidence of a change in property ownership and that LAFD notices were sent to the previous owner but not to them as the new owners, therefore they were not afforded due process.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: NAKATA,KOUJI AND MARY TRS NAKATA FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4135 ALHAMA DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4135 ALHAMA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172026056 / INVOICE NO: BN220000536

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they thought they had cleared their brush in May but got a notice of noncompliance and didn't know why. They contacted the LAFD for clarification and removed the remaining hazards.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MCDOWELL, RICHARD AND DEBORAH TRS R T AND D D MCDOWELL

**TRUST** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 0 PO BOX 1101

MOUNT SHASTA CA 96067

SITUS ADDRESS: 4099 TRINIDAD RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172028013 / INVOICE NO: BN220000538

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have cleared this property and nine adjacent properties for many years without a notice for noncompliance. Appellant states he is elderly and on a fixed income.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 08:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MULLEM, MARGARET

MAILING ADDRESS: 04314 CANOGA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4314 CANOGA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172029065 / INVOICE NO: BN220000539

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared the brush on their property and that any issues of noncompliance are with adjacent properties.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: October 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: DOVARRO LYNNETTE

MAILING ADDRESS: 4236 CANOGA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4236 CANOGA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172030077 / INVOICE NO: BN220000541

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the work was done and would like to see pictures from LAFD.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: SCHEINER, JONATHAN AND CAMPBELL PATRICIA

MAILING ADDRESS: 04184 ROSARIO RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4184 ROSARIO RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172031052 / INVOICE NO: BN220000544

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared all hazards after receiving a first and second notice of violation and weren't initially aware of the whole area they were responsible for.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: KRONISH, MAUREEN M TR MAUREEN M KRONISH TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4180 ROSARIO RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4180 ROSARIO RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2172031053 / INVOICE NO: BN220000545

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved into assisted living and don't recall getting any notices. Appellant states that the property is up for sale.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: WONG, DAVID P AND CHI, DAPHNE

MAILING ADDRESS: 4435 DA VINCI AVE

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4435 DA VINCI AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2173004004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000556

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they got their second notice late and had trouble getting someone to clear the property due to COVID but they did it as soon as they could and made multiple attempts to contact LAFD.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ROSAS,ROBERT

MAILING ADDRESS: 21312 MULHOLLAND DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 21312 MULHOLLAND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2173018002 / INVOICE NO: BN220000557

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive notices and that they paid to have their hazards cleared.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MARGARITA GORDIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 20160 PHAETON DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 20160 PHAETON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2174026013 / INVOICE NO: BN220000561

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear the brush twice at great expense and that they are since temporarily disabled and experiencing financial hardship.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: MILLINGTON, MANUELA R TR MANUELA R MILLINGTON TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 19246 CASA PL

TARZANA CA 91356 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 19246 CASA PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175002019 / INVOICE NO: BN220000565

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the noncompliance notices went to an old address that they no longer use.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: GILERMAN, OLEG AND ERINA

MAILING ADDRESS: 19641 ROSITA ST

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19641 ROSITA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175013007 / INVOICE NO: BN220000569

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states it took time to find a contractor who would do the work because some of the hazards were next to a power pole but they eventually hired someone who cleared the property.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SHATZKIN, MORTON AND BRENDA TRS M L AND B E SHATZKIN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4749 NOMAD DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4749 NOMAD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175018036 / INVOICE NO: BN220000573

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they didn't receive a first notice and asked for clarification from LAFD as to the hazars after receiving a second notice and then promptly had them addressed.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: DELRAHIM FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4837 WINNETKA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4837 WINNETKA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175027042 / INVOICE NO: BN220000579

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property owners are in their 90's, bedridden, and don't recall receiving any notices.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: TAFAZOLI FARANAK S MAILING ADDRESS: 4857 WINNETKA AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4857 WINNETKA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175027046 / INVOICE NO: BN220000580

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they purchased the house and closed in October 2021 and provided documents showing the purchase. Appellant states they did not receive the first or second notices and that those went to the previous owner.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided sufficient evidence to show they purchased their property after noncompliance notices were sent out and so they were not afforded due process to address their brush. For these reasons it is recommended that the appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 08:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: ARASH REYHANI

MAILING ADDRESS: 5039 CALVIN AVE

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 5039 CALVIN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175033017 / INVOICE NO: BN220000581

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property belongs to his elderly parents who didn't know what needed to be done, so they hired a contractor to remove the brush and are now in compliance. Appellant also cites financial hardship.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 3, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: ZARSKY, MICHAEL A CECILLE M TRS ZARSKY FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4718 NOMAD DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4718 NOMAD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175039012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000582

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they feel the assessment is unfair as they assumed the inspector had an issue with a certain palm tree but not another so they were unclear as to what the problem was.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: MOJAB KAMAL

MAILING ADDRESS: 4600 NOMAD DR

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4600 NOMAD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175039019 / INVOICE NO: BN220000585

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have no hazards.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: DRUCKER, MARK B AND STACY M TRS MARK AND STACY DRUCKER

**TRUST** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 4548 WINNETKA AVE

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4548 WINNETKA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2175039024 / INVOICE NO: BN220000586

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated that they cleared the hazards after receiving the first notice and again after talking to the LAFD and that all hazards are now clear.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 09:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: GASPAR, STEVE AND EMILY TRS GASPER FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5026 DONNA AVE

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 5026 DONNA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2176009008 / INVOICE NO: BN220000592

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they cleared the hazards after receiving the first notice and did further clearance after talking with LAFD and that the property is now clear of hazards.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: WHITEHEAD, MICHAEL D

MAILING ADDRESS: 18732 EDLEEN DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 18732 EDLEEN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2176023023 / INVOICE NO: BN220000593

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that a delay was caused by confusion by the LAFD over what the property lines were and what hazards needed to be abated.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: ROBERT T SHMAEFF

MAILING ADDRESS: 18741 EDLEEN DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 18741 EDLEEN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2176026020 / INVOICE NO: BN220000595

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their hazards and submitted a receipt.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: Maurice ABIKZER

MAILING ADDRESS: 15233 Ventura BI #425

Sherman Oaks CA 91403 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4817 BREWSTER DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2176028014 / INVOICE NO: BN220000596

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their hazards in November 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: EGHBALI OF FIROUZBAKHT TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 19146 GAYLE PL

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19146 GAYLE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2177001006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000599

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a tree service in June 2021 and had everything cleared and there's nothing but dust left.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: ROBERTS, ANNA

MAILING ADDRESS: 19121 GAYLE PL

TARZANA CA 91356 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 19121 GAYLE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2177001014 / INVOICE NO: BN220000600

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their hazards after receiving their first notice of noncompliance.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: BOROVSKY, VICTORIA

MAILING ADDRESS: 04395 LA BARCA DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 4395 LA BARCA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2177004009 / INVOICE NO: BN220000602

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their clearance efforts were delayed becaue they wouldn't let anyone on their property due to COVID.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: PARHAM P PARHAMI

MAILING ADDRESS: 19835 GREENBRIAR DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19835 GREENBRIAR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2178004032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000611

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: KATHY KRASS

MAILING ADDRESS: 4551 CONCHITA WAY

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 4551 CONCHITA WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2178028002 / INVOICE NO: BN220000615

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cut down the tree on their property and the other trees in question either belonged to the city or straddled their neighbor's yard so that they were both responsible.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: MAHMOOD YADEGARI

MAILING ADDRESS: 19629 VALDEZ DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19629 VALDEZ DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2178028012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000616

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received any notices and that their house burned down in August 21 and they have not been back since.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. The initial inspection and notice was sent in June, before the fire. The second inspection was late August and notice was sent thereafter and would have been forwarded with all other mail. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: NADER ZADEH

MAILING ADDRESS: 4537 ELLENITA AVE

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 4537 ELLENITA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2178031004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000618

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant submitted a receipt from the contractor they hired to remove their brush as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 09:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SAYANI,KATRINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 19400 SHENANGO DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19400 SHENANGO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2180008008 / INVOICE NO: BN220000621

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were visiting in New York and got COVID last year, delaying their ability to clear the property. Furthermore, Appellant states that they only had a few dead leaves and the real hazards are uphill from them and the city's property.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: YASHA,SINA

MAILING ADDRESS: 04234 ELLENITA AVE

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 4234 ELLENITA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2180010010** / INVOICE NO: BN220000623

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and that they cleared everything as required.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: DUMBETON VOROTOVA FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 19650 GREENBRIAR DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19650 GREENBRIAR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2180010015 / INVOICE NO: BN220000625

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property was cleared by the end of the year at great expense and that they can't afford another fine.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SHOHMELIAN FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 19548 ANADALE DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19548 ANADALE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2180012006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000627

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the photos showing noncompliance are photos of their neighbor's property and that their property was in compliance.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SAHABI, FARAMARZ CO TR NMS FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 19560 ANADALE DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19560 ANADALE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2180012007 / INVOICE NO: BN220000628

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their brush after each notice and completed the work as required.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SHADROO,KIDRA AND DERASHAN,DOREH

MAILING ADDRESS: 19612 ANADALE DR

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19612 ANADALE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2180013002 / INVOICE NO: BN220000629

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their hazards after the first notice and then additional items were added after and they then cleared those hazards as well. Appellant feels they shouldn't be penalized for what the first inspector missed.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Clearance is an ongoing responsibility and a reinspection can bring up additional issues not found in the first due to the passage of time. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 10:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: DAVID HARPAZ

MAILING ADDRESS: 15720 VENTURA BLVD 322

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 19574 BRAEWOOD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2180016014 / INVOICE NO: BN220000630

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property is a rental property and that the brush was cleared as soon as the owner was aware of the hazards.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SION AND ELANA TRS SASONNESS,

MAILING ADDRESS: 3831 COLDSTREAM TER

TARZANA CA 91356 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3831 COLDSTREAM TER

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2180018012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000633

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their landscaper did the work and they only have green trees on their property.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SILVERSTEIN, SEYMOUR AND GAIL

MAILING ADDRESS: 19854 BARBERRY LN

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 19854 BARBERRY LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2180021005 / INVOICE NO: BN220000636

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were surprised when they got an additional bill as they had cleared their property after clarifying the additional work that needed to be done with LAFD.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 83

NAME: SALAME, ROBIN TR ROBIN SALAME FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 17721 ALONZO PLACE

LOS ANGELES CA 91316 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 17721 ALONZO PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2182025021 / INVOICE NO: BN220000639

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush by October and additional hazards named were their neighbor's property and not theirs.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SANATI, ARDESHIR CO TR SANATI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4400 GABLE DR

ENCINO CA 91316

SITUS ADDRESS: 4400 GABLE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2184013002 / INVOICE NO: BN220000643

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed no notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: SANDRA BROOMANDAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 4610 LINDLEY AVE

**ENCINO CA 91316** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4610 LINDLEY AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2184017014 / INVOICE NO: BN220000645

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they regularly clear brush but last year they rented their property and the tenant failed to tell the Appellant that notices had been sent to the property. Once Appellant learned of the notices, they had the property cleared. Appellant states it needs to be easier to change the owner's address to get notices.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: October 14, 2022 12:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: KRIKUNOV, KONSTANTIN CO TR KRIKUNOV FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4548 GRIMES PL

**ENCINO CA 91316** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4548 GRIMES PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2184024032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000646

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice but cleared their brush as usual in June 2021 and that much of the brush was on their neighbor's property.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: October 14, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: GEORGE J DANIAL

MAILING ADDRESS: 4621 RUBIO AVE

ENCINO CA 91436

SITUS ADDRESS: 17917 MEDLEY DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2184036002 / INVOICE NO: BN220000650

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received both notices and worked to clear their brush and worked with LAFD to clarify what needed to be done.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 8, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: YADIDI, PAYAM D CO TR

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 261098

ENCINO CA 91426 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4116 ALONZO AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2184039001 / INVOICE NO: BN220000654

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their brush as required and then a tree died before the second notice and they had it removed.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: IRAJ GHARAKHANI

MAILING ADDRESS: 3745 ALONZO AVE

**ENCINO CA 91316** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 3745 ALONZO AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2184049007 / INVOICE NO: BN220000660

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states there are no longer any hazards on the property and that they removed the one dead tree the LAFD flagged.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 93

NAME: LOUISE KALISCH

MAILING ADDRESS: 4046 HILTON HEAD WAY

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 4046 HILTON HEAD WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 91356

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2184052003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000661

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were in the hospital and couldn't answer and also states that the brush was cleared in time.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: TANSIN, JOE

MAILING ADDRESS: 4341 CANOGA DR

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4341 CANOGA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2190002014 / INVOICE NO: BN220000666

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the pandemic caused them financial distress and they couldn't afford to trim their trees but did so after getting an extension from speaking to LAFD.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: BURANASAKORN ANAN (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: 4862 GALENDO ST

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4311 PAMPAS RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2190005013 / INVOICE NO: BN220000667

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their property after the notice of noncompliance and that they have paid all fines and that certain areas do not belong to them.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: ZARANDI, NEGIN AND AMIR

MAILING ADDRESS: 4401 SAN BLAS AVE

WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364

SITUS ADDRESS: 4401 SAN BLAS AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2190005015 / INVOICE NO: BN220000669

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they always clear their brush on time and were surprised to see they failed their first inspection and stated that the notice did not provide specific reasons why, making it difficult to discern what hazards remained. They cleared their brush again to the best of their ability and still had the same thing happen and feel it was unfair when specifics weren't provided.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: BENYAMINY, YEHEZKEL

MAILING ADDRESS: 04371 PAMPAS RD

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91364** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4371 PAMPAS RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2190007026** / INVOICE NO: BN220000672

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor who cleared their brush.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 84

NAME: MOODY LEE G AND CLARKE SEAN S

MAILING ADDRESS: 2715 EDWIN PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: 4510 SAN TAELA CT

LOS ANGELES CA 91364

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2190015032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000691

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property and moved in December 2021 and therefore received no notices and assume they were sent to the previous owner.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

LAFD records still list the former owner as the addressee for notices, which means that the County Assessor's owner information had not been updated. Based on these facts, it si recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: AVIHU JUDAH

MAILING ADDRESS: 4132 WITZEL DR

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91423

SITUS ADDRESS: 4132 WITZEL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91423

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2272007005 / INVOICE NO: BN220000694

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states it was unclear what hazards still needed to be cleared after the first notice and that they had COVID and hired a contractor to clear the brush which they did.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: RAFFI TORUNYAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 14000 VALLEY VISTA BLVD

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91423

SITUS ADDRESS: 14000 VALLEY VISTA BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91423

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2272008003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000695

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to remove all hazards after the first notice of noncompliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 99

NAME: ROBJAM DEVELOPMENTS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 12225 FALKIRK LANE

LOS ANGELES CA 90049 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LOT North 3676 N KNOBHILL DRIVE

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91423

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2274014024 / INVOICE NO: BN220000706

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no noncompliance notices and hired a contractor to clear the brush.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 12:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 99

NAME: CHRISTOPHER R ABARE

MAILING ADDRESS: 17547 RUSHING DR

**GRANADA HILLS CA 91344** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4000 OAKFIELD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91423

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2274017012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000708

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have owned the property for 28 years and have always maintained it.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: SASOONES, EMANUEL AND MAHNAZ TR E AND M SASOONES TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 00115 N OAKHURST DR

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2274019027 / INVOICE NO: BN220000713

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they completed their clearance in April 2022 and they apologized for not registering earlier. Appellant states their property borders the Santa Moncia Mountain Conservancy and feels that LAFD may confuse their property for Appellant's.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: ROBERT M AND ISABELLE FOX, TRS

MAILING ADDRESS: 12490 W FIELDING CIRCLE APT 211

PLAYA VISTA CA 90094 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3929 STANSBURY AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91423

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2274028019 / INVOICE NO: BN220000722

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they regularly clear the property and have never had any issues and that they received no notices.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: TOPPI, WILLIAM J

MAILING ADDRESS: 14750 ROUND VALLEY DR

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LOT 14740 West Round Valley Road

Sherman oaks Ca 91423

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2275011006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000724

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices of noncompliance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 99

NAME: 14527 MULHOLLAND DRIVE LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 9200 W SUNSET BLVD PH 22

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2275028008 / INVOICE NO: BN220000732

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received notices.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Records show that Appellant contacted LAFD and confirmed the legal address and that there was also a supplemental address on file with the County Assessor and LAFD advised that they have to send to the legal address. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: DADSETAN, MOHAMMAD R AND KIOUMEHR, FARIDEH

MAILING ADDRESS: 14576 VALLEY VISTA BLVD

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 14576 VALLEY VISTA BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2276036044 / INVOICE NO: BN220000745

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received their initial noncompliance notice and that they cleared their hazards.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 10:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: LETTERIE,KATHLEEN

MAILING ADDRESS: 04152 SAUGUS AVE

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2277004013 / INVOICE NO: BN220000747

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their property passed inspection. Appellant owns the adjacent property which is the subject of this appeal but feels there must be some confusion regarding the notices of noncompliance as they hired a contractor to clear the property and feels it was cleared as required.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: ELNEKAVEH, ALEXANDER TR ALEXANDER ELNEKAVEH TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3911 CODY RD

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 3911 CODY RD

LOS ANGELES 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2277015004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000754

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that they cleared their property as required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: OU,PAI HENG

MAILING ADDRESS: 3900 PACHECO DR

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2278001003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000757

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they always maintain their property and had several trees removed last year.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: MEHDIZADEH, MEHRAN AND MARVIZI, JANET

MAILING ADDRESS: 3524 SCADLOCK LN

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 3524 SCADLOCK LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2279020013 / INVOICE NO: BN220000765

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their brush removal was delayed due to COVID and that they never received a second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: BARZIVAND JACOB

MAILING ADDRESS: 5074 CALVIN AVE

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 3358 SCADLOCK LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2279022005 / INVOICE NO: BN220000766

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they purchased the property in July 2021 but did not take full possession of it until January 2022. Appellant states they received no notices of noncompliance but cleared the property in November 2021.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: GRAHAM, ELIOT P CO TR GRAHAM AND CELOWANCHIK TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3807 SCADLOCK LN

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 3807 SCADLOCK LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2279032019 / INVOICE NO: BN220000767

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claim it was not their property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: CHI DORA

MAILING ADDRESS: 17 ADELANTE

**IRVINE CA 92614** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 15435 MOONRIDGE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2279032034 / INVOICE NO: BN220000768

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in October 2021 and never received any notices that went to the previous owner. Appellant provided a dated grant deed in support.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the appeal be granted. Appellant provided evidence that they purchased the property after the initial notices were sent to the previous owner and LAFD records show returned mail from those initial notices which did not afford Appellant due process.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: MOADEL, MOOSA AND JANDARK N TRS MOADEL FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3727 ROYAL WOODS DR

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 3727 ROYAL WOODS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2280007021 / INVOICE NO: BN220000772

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the notices was to remove a birch tree and that a contractor was hired to remove the hazards.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: ABRAHAMI, DORON AND DALIA TRS DORON AND DALIA ABRAHAMI

**TRUST** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 15870 ROYAL HAVEN PL

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 15870 ROYAL HAVEN PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2280022061 / INVOICE NO: BN220000776

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated the hazard area in question was on the other side of a 6 ft wall, was a small area, and they can't afford the assessment.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: Edward and Katherine Ahn

MAILING ADDRESS: 15360 Del Gado Dr

Sherman Oaks CA 91403 United States

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2281007012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000777

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have three lots and their gardener injured themselves which delayed clearance.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: DONOVAN, CHRISTOPHER P AND ALLISON R

MAILING ADDRESS: 03847 SCADLOCK LN

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 3847 SCADLOCK LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2281017007 / INVOICE NO: BN220000781

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the brush before the due date and the noncompliance notice was regarding a palm tree on their neighbor's property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

LAFD records confirm the palm tree in question was not the responsibility of the Appellant and Appellant had cleared their brush as required. Therefore it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: BAUMANN, ASHLEY

MAILING ADDRESS: 15421 DEERHORN RD

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 15421 DEERHORN RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91403

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2281019010 / INVOICE NO: BN220000784

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices. Appellant states that their weekly gardener cleared the brush but due to COVID they could not get another gardener to come and check the work.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: SABA, WILLIAM K TR SABA FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 15611 MEADOWGATE RD

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 15611 MEADOWGATE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2285003048 / INVOICE NO: BN220000786

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believe in compliance at time of inspection.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: DONALD D DELGER

MAILING ADDRESS: 15630 HIGH KNOLL RD

ENCINO CA 91436

SITUS ADDRESS: 15630 HIGH KNOLL RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2285007025 / INVOICE NO: BN220000787

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their father owns the property and has dementia and they called Appellant after receiving their second notice, whereupon Appellant hired a contractor to remove the hazards.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: ARBABI, HOMEYRA M TR HLA FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 15021 VENTURA BLVD UNIT 807

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: 15656 HIGH KNOLL RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2285008032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000793

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the LAFD has the wrong property lines and the hazards in question are on her neighbor's property, saying the owner has written LAFD to verify.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: PEGADIOTES, STELIOS TR OAKS TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 15958 HIGH KNOLL RD

ENCINO CA 91436

SITUS ADDRESS: 15958 HIGH KNOLL RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2285011011 / INVOICE NO: BN220000795

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice and that they had been experiencing mail theft at the time. Appellant states they cleared their brush after receiving their second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: April 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 88

NAME: GOLDSMITH, BRIAN CO TR GOLDSMITH FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 16070 WOODVALE RD

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 16056 WOODVALE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2285011022 / INVOICE NO: BN220000797

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the job was too big for them to do on their own and they hired contractors to complete the work but dates got pushed back due to COVID. Appellant states they tried contacting LAFD about it.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: SHAWN ARAGHI

MAILING ADDRESS: 16325 ROYAL HILLS DR

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 16325 ROYAL HILLS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2286011025 / INVOICE NO: BN220000801

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive any notices and that they hired a contractor who removed all hazards.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: HAMEDISANGSARI, HAMID CO TR HAMEDISANGSARI HAMEDI TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 11964 BRENTWOOD GROVE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 16980 ESCALON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2287001039 / INVOICE NO: BN220000806

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the inspector came before their brush clearance contractor, who then completed the work required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: ROTH HARRIS AND CATHERINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 16930 ENCINO HILLS DR

ENCINO CA 91436

SITUS ADDRESS: 16930 ENCINO HILLS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2287005053 / INVOICE NO: BN220000808

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice and that it was lost or mailed to the wrong address and upon the second notice they cleared their hazards as required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: JOEY PARSI

MAILING ADDRESS: 16760 ENCINO HILLS DR

ENCINO CA 91436

SITUS ADDRESS: 16760 ENCINO HILLS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2287007041 / INVOICE NO: BN220000810

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they've never had a problem maintaining their brush and that they received no notices of noncompliance, saying that there has been lots of mail theft in their area.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 12:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: ALGINET36 LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 25580 PRADO DE AMARILLO D

CALABASAS CA 91302 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3436 ALGINET DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2287012066 / INVOICE NO: BN220000814

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: April 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: KELISHADI, HAMID CO TR KELISHADI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 25580 PRADO DE AMARILLO

CALABASAS CA 91302

SITUS ADDRESS: 3446 ALGINET DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2287012067 / INVOICE NO: BN220000815

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: 3821 23 GREEN VISTA LLC C/O ROBERT MOBASSERI ESQ

MAILING ADDRESS: 1055 W 7TH ST STE 2140

LOS ANGELES CA 90017

SITUS ADDRESS: 3821 North GREEN VISTA DR

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2287015053 / INVOICE NO: BN220000818

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed that he was unaware brush clearance not done.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: 3821 23 GREEN VISTA LLC C/O ROBERT MOBASSERI ESQ

MAILING ADDRESS: 1055 W 7TH ST STE 2140

LOS ANGELES CA 90017

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2287015054 / INVOICE NO: BN220000819

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed brush clearance was done but unaware that the work was not done.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: JALIL RASHTI

MAILING ADDRESS: 16856 ENCINO HILLS DR

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 16856 ENCINO HILLS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2287016045 / INVOICE NO: BN220000820

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive any notices and paid to have all their hazards removed.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 83

NAME: TORABI, SHAHRZAD TR TORABI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4540 BALBOA AVE

**ENCINO CA 91316** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4540 BALBOA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2289016044 / INVOICE NO: BN220000826

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had hired contractors who were doing the work and LAFD must have visited at the same time without telling them and they seek a repeal of the fees.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 83

NAME: DOHENY ESTATE HOMES LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 7463 VARNA STREET

N HOLLYWOOD CA 91605 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4405 ESTRONDO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2289030003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000829

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant provided receipts showing they paid a contractor to clear their hazards.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 83

NAME: Sofia O. & Alexis GEVORGIAN

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 260770

**ENCINO CA 91426 UNITED STATES** 

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L @ 16835 West Adlon Road

Los Angeles CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2291010032 / INVOICE NO: BN220000830

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant did not state a reason for their appeal other than stating that the property was cleared of hazards.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 83

NAME: GRAHAM J MOUW

MAILING ADDRESS: 4263 MOONCREST PL

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4263 MOONCREST PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2292002012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000836

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to remove all brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: CORNE ERIC AND AIMEE F

MAILING ADDRESS: 16962 COTTER PL

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 16962 COTTER PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2292009006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000837

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they bought their property in 2019 and that this was a learning process for them and they had all hazards removed.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: PEYKAR, EDWARD AND SHAHRZAD TRS E AND S PEYKAR TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 17065 ENCINO VERDE PL

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 17065 ENCINO VERDE PL

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2292010030 / INVOICE NO: BN220000840

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared 5 acres after their first notice of noncompliance and talked to LAFD to clarify what needed to be cleared after their second notice. Appellant states that LAFD staff told them there would be no penalities.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 13:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 83

NAME: HELLER, MARK S TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 25580 PRADO DE ORO

CALABASAS CA 91302 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 4510 CHARMION LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91316

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2292016008 / INVOICE NO: BN220000842

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated that they cleared the hazards in October 2021 after the initial notice of noncompliance and that they tried to contact the LAFD thereafter to confirm it was done correctly but received no response.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: LIEBERMAN, ALEXANDER CSTDN R LIEBERMAN MINOR EST OF AND

LIEBERMAN, M TR LIEBERMAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 10966 HILLHAVEN AVE

TUJUNGA CA 91042

SITUS ADDRESS: 3811 DIAMANTE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2293002012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000845

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and paid a contractor to remove all hazards as required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: ANNA STOYAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 3841 DIAMANTE PL

ENCINO CA 91436

SITUS ADDRESS: 3841 DIAMANTE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2293002015 / INVOICE NO: BN220000848

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their brush.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: VADIM J MIRONER

MAILING ADDRESS: 12140 SUMMIT CT

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210 USA** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 3636 DELLVALE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2293007019 / INVOICE NO: BN220000854

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their property of hazards in June 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: STERN, GLENN H AND AUDREY F

MAILING ADDRESS: 16657 CALNEVA DR

**ENCINO CA 91436** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 16657 CALNEVA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2293008016 / INVOICE NO: BN220000855

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that trees were removed and trimmed and LAFD cleared their property from noncompliance list.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

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HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: KINEMAN, CLARA P TR KINEMAN FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3401 RED ROSE DR

ENCINO CA 91436 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3401 RED ROSE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91436

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2293012010 / INVOICE NO: BN220000859

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property owner is elderly and the property is managed by their son who is out of state. Their gardener worked to clear the property which was in compliance in November 2021. Clearance was done after deadlines due to issue with post office.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: AJDARI,MEHRDAD

MAILING ADDRESS: 25348 FITZGERALD AVE

STEVENSON RANCH CA 91381

SITUS ADDRESS: 12428 LAUREL TERRACE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91604

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2376002015 / INVOICE NO: BN220000863

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the hazards were on a small portion of their lot that they later couldn't access due to contstruction and provided photos.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: TAKVORYAN INVESTMENTS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 6714 ALLOTT AVE

VAN NUYS CA 91401

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2376006009 / INVOICE NO: BN220000866

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they contacted LAFD saying they cleared their property in July and were told they wouldn't know if it was rechecked and they thought the matter was resolved.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

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#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: TAKVORYAN INVESTMENTS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 6714 ALLOTT AVE

VAN NUYS CA 91401

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2376006010 / INVOICE NO: BN220000867

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were told all they had to do was turn in their receipt showing they paid for brush clearance, which they did.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 14:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: JERDE CHRISTOPHER J AND BLACKBURN CHI YOUNG M

MAILING ADDRESS: 11783 LAURELCREST DR

STUDIO CITY CA 91604

SITUS ADDRESS: 11783 LAURELCREST DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91604

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2377002035 / INVOICE NO: BN220000869

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated that they did not receive the first notice of noncompliance and that they split the hazard clearance across two time periods because they could not afford to do everything at once.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: WEIJDEN, JEROEN V

MAILING ADDRESS: 11920 LAUREL HILLS RD

STUDIO CITY CA 91604

SITUS ADDRESS: 11920 LAUREL HILLS RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91604

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2377022005 / INVOICE NO: BN220000874

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they always clear their property and tried to contact LAFD several times after getting their first notice of noncompliance. They don't recall getting a second but say they cleared their hazards once they understood what they were.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 86

NAME: SUKHOTSKIY ALEKSANDR

MAILING ADDRESS: 11343 BRILL DR

STUDIO CITY CA 91604

SITUS ADDRESS: 11343 BRILL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91604

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2378019021 / INVOICE NO: BN220000876

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and thereafter tried to contact the LAFD regarding what hazards needed abatement but did not hear back.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 86

NAME: MALCOLM, CAROLYN R TR 3506 BERRY TRUST C/O CRM MGMT

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 778

NEW YORK NY 10013

SITUS ADDRESS: 3506 BERRY DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91604

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2378028024 / INVOICE NO: BN220000878

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed no notice and property sold April 2022.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

The issue regarding ownership of the property and the assessment was an issue for escrow.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: BARKEV AND SONIA MESERLIAN, TRS

MAILING ADDRESS: 707 BROADWAY STE 415

LOS ANGELES CA 90014 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L S of 3971 FREDONIA DR

STUDIO CITY CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2380002020 / INVOICE NO: BN220000881

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance, otherwise they would have cleared their property before the second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: BOLADIAN VICKY

MAILING ADDRESS: 3952 COLDWATER CANYON AVE

STUDIO CITY CA 91604

SITUS ADDRESS: 3952 COLDWATER CANYON AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91604

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2384008036 / INVOICE NO: BN220000906

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their brush clearance was completed in October 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: SHBEYR, HABIB AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 01221 BRUNSWICK AVE

**SOUTH PASADENA CA 91030** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2384015004 / INVOICE NO: BN220000907

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property was cleared twice, the second time after they discovered their neighbors had dumped tree trimmings on the property. They don't know why they're being fined.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 108

NAME: FAHIMIAN, SORAYA TR SORAYA FAHIMIAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 26181 RED CORRAL RD

LAGUNA HILLS CA 92653

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2384019075 / INVOICE NO: BN220000908

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their property was cleared and is maintained by a tree service who uses their property to store equipment and they don't understand how they failed to maintain their property.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 108

NAME: FAHIMIAN, SORAYA TR SORAYA FAHIMIAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 26181 RED CORRAL RD

LAGUNA BEACH CA 92653

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2384019076 / INVOICE NO: BN220000909

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property was cleared by a tree service that uses the property to store equipment so they don't understand how they failed the inspection.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 78

NAME: TAYLOR, RODERICK L AND KRISTA L

MAILING ADDRESS: 13233 STONERIDGE PL

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91423

SITUS ADDRESS: 13233 STONERIDGE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91423

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2385007017 / INVOICE NO: BN220000914

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were out of town taking care of their mother and didn't receive any notices and didn't know there was a problem.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 13:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 108

NAME: OBEROI, INDERJEET S AND KAWALJIT K

MAILING ADDRESS: 1702 S BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90024 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L North of 3625 Coldwater Canyon

Studio City Ca 91604

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2385019005 / INVOICE NO: BN220000916

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they did not receive the noncompliance notices as they changed their address. Further, Appellants states that they cleared their property of hazards before the due date.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 108

NAME: OBEROI, INDERJEET S AND KAWALJIT K

MAILING ADDRESS: 1702 S BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90024 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L North of 3625 Coldwater Canyon

Studio City Ca 91604

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2385019006 / INVOICE NO: BN220000917

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they did not receive their noncompliance notices due to a change in their address. Further, Appellants states that they cleared their property of hazards before the due date.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 77

NAME: CHOULDJIAN, SARKIS ET AL OHANES, RAFI

MAILING ADDRESS: 9532 LA TUNA CANYON RD

SUN VALLEY CA 91352

SITUS ADDRESS: 9532 LA TUNA CANYON RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91352

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2401037005 / INVOICE NO: BN220000932

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they needed forestry approval to remove or trim a protected fallen oak and that it took some time and wasn't done before getting the second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Forestry approval was given before the first inspection was made. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 77

NAME: GREG D GRIGORIAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 5765 SUMMIT CREST DR

LA CANADA CA 91011

SITUS ADDRESS: 9616 LA TUNA CANYON RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91352

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2401038013** / INVOICE NO: BN220000933

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their property was cleared by September 2022 and that they were going through a divorce and lost business due to COVID and they are experiencing financial hardship.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 15:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: STEVEN E FISHMAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 20 N RAYMOND AVE 250

PASADENA CA 91103

SITUS ADDRESS: 3635 CAHUENGA BLVD W

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2425005044 / INVOICE NO: BN220000941

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they removed two dead trees after the initial notice of noncompliance and did not receive a second notice.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: LAHR RANDALL AND MORRISON DAVID

MAILING ADDRESS: 3737 FREDONIA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 3737 FREDONIA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2425006012 / INVOICE NO: BN220000942

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant pays for regular brush clearance and says he should have passed his brush clearance inspections. He also stated the hardship of his tenants not paying rent. Appellant was violated for brush removal on 5/18/2021 with a second notice on 7/16/2021 specifying "trees". Photos show numerous tree limbs nearly touching the ground.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant confirms that clearance was not completed until 8/3/2021. This was after the Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued on 7/16/2021. Therefore, the assessment is proper.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: COTTON BRIAN AND PAULE AARON

MAILING ADDRESS: 3845 BROADLAWN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 3845 BROADLAWN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2425009007 / INVOICE NO: BN220000947

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to do the work but that they have been out of state off and on to help their mother who has alzhiemer's and getting the work done proved difficult.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: CALTABIANO THOMAS AND WANG GRACE

MAILING ADDRESS: 3562 MULTIVIEW DRIVE

ENCINO CA 91316 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3562 MULTIVIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2425016021 / INVOICE NO: BN220000959

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant paid for brush clearance on 6/22/21 and says he should have passed his brush clearance inspections. However, Appellant had already received a Notice of Noncompliance violation on 5/19/2021. He received his Second Notice of Noncompliance on 7/19/2021. Photos show numerous tree limbs nearly touching the ground and dry dead tree material and dead branches on the ground or touching it. Appellant also claims some areas may not be on his property.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant confirms that clearance was not performed until 6/22/2021 after the Notice of Noncompliance was issued on 5/19/2021. The central violation was that tree limbs were too low to the ground, and dead tree limbs and bush debris were piled on the ground. It appears that the Appellant believes only tall grasses qualify as brush. Brush includes tree limbs hanging down towards the ground, dead tree limbs, tree debris and bush debris on the ground, in addition to, various grasses greater than three inches. Dead trees, limbs, bushes and their debris have far more energy to fuel fires than brush.

The failure to clear these debris within code represents a great fire danger. Moreover, Appellant allowed this condition to continue through the Red Post Notice to Abate Nuisance and Contractor Clearance. After inspecting the property boundaries, the violation has been assessed to the correct Assessor's Parcel Number. The assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: SOLDINGER, MARK TR MARK SOLDINGER TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3201 OAKLEY DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 3201 OAKLEY DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2425017009 / INVOICE NO: BN220000962

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant disputes the zimas boundaries of their property and states that they previously talked to LAFD about this and saying that the disputed property is not their responsibility.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: PATHAN, ASSADULLAH A

MAILING ADDRESS: 742 ROSEMONT AVE

PASADENA CA 91103

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2427001003 / INVOICE NO: BN220000974

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states there is no access to the property and that the surrounding property owners treat it as their own and dump their brush on it. Appellant also claims a disability, that they are a veteran and have financial constraints.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: ASHKAN, SARVINE CO TR S ASHKAN AND R BRENNAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7557 MULHOLLAND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2427005026 / INVOICE NO: BN220000977

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a service that cleared the lots and feels that LAFD may be confusing surrounding lots with theirs and that they aren't responsible for the surrounding lots.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: REUVENI, YAIR AND ALDEMA TRS

MAILING ADDRESS: 4718 CEDROS AVE

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2427008047 / INVOICE NO: BN220000987

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated that property owner -(head of household) father died, suffered stage 4 cancer for over a year.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

The total assessment is reduced to \$0.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: HALIMI, OFER TR OFER HALIMI TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 6940 PACIFIC VIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 6940 PACIFIC VIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2428027007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001011

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive any notices but have been out of the country and may have missed them. Appellant states their gardener clears brush on a regular basis and that the assessment is an imposition on them given COVID.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: PEIKIN WOODLAND, PAUL M

MAILING ADDRESS: 6915 VISO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 6915 VISO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2428028006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001014

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were a victim of mail theft and didn't receive their noncompliance notices and that after clarifying the work to be done with LAFD, they completed the work.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 15:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: SAADEH, DAVID TR DAVID SAADEH TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 6916 VISO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 6916 VISO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2428028016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001017

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared the fire hazards as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: CHO, SANG S AND ANNE A

MAILING ADDRESS: 3264 PEARL LN

OCEANSIDE CA 92056 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2429004046 / INVOICE NO: BN220001030

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices because they moved to San Diego.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: BLACK, CLAUDIA L

MAILING ADDRESS: 3100 ELLINGTON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 3100 ELLINGTON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2429005021 / INVOICE NO: BN220001031

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were out of the country and upon their return they found the notices and spoke to their gardener who regulary maintains the property. Appellant states it wasn't clear what was being required and tried contacting LAFD to no avail. Appellant also claims financial hardship.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: ZVIK, NICKI

MAILING ADDRESS: 8510 BALBOA BLVD STE 220

NORTHRIDGE CA 91325 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 7113 WOODROW WILSON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2429016035 / INVOICE NO: BN220001035

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims that a squatter prevented him from performing brush clearance because the state did not allow Appellant to evict the squatter from the property. Appellant presents no evidence for his claims. In addition, there is no evidence that the Appellant contacted the courts, the fire department, or a private contractor perform or enable brush clearance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant confirms that clearance was not performed but claims that presence of a squatter prevented brush clearance. There is no evidence that the presence of a squatter prevented brush clearance. For instance, Appellant could have hired a gardener or contractor to clear the brush. And, if the hired party was denied access, their statement would be some proof. In addition, the police or fire department could have been contacted to assist in gaining access or at least provide a letter for a court's injunction or order that the trespasser be removed. Instead, Appellant allowed the property to go to clearance, which the City had to pay for to protect the citizens of the community from fire danger. There are numerous photographs documenting the fire danger. The property was posted with a Notice to Abate Nuisance and Fire Hazard. The assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: DRISKA MANN VAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 3141 OAKCREST DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 3141 OAKCREST DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2429018011 / INVOICE NO: BN220001038

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant admits there was no effort to perform brush clearance because of Appellant's husband's death, Appellant's age, lack of money and inability to hire someone to perform brush clearance.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

In addition to all of the notices and failed inspections, the property was physically posted with the red posted Notice to Abate Fire Hazard and Nuisance. Each of the Notices and the red posting contained the Inspector's email and phone number and address where he could be reached. There is no record of the Appellant reaching out to contact the Inspector nor the Department.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant claims hardship but provides no proof other than Appellant's claims. If the Appellant had reached out, perhaps a schedule of compliance could have been agreed upon. Instead of managing the danger, the Appellant risked their home and the homes of others in the community. In view of the lack of any effort to contact the Inspector or perhaps getting someone to perform clearance, and the lack of effort to plan compliance, it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be denied and the assessment be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: KIM,SAM

MAILING ADDRESS: 00639 STANFORD RD

**BURBANK CA 91504** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 10568 WHEATLAND AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91040

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2528031002 / INVOICE NO: BN220001044

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear the brush as required and did so several times.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: HARUTYUNYAN MARTIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 10600 LEDEEN DR

SYLMAR CA 91342

SITUS ADDRESS: 10600 LEDEEN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91342

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2529017029 / INVOICE NO: BN220001049

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant purchased the property after the initial notice was sent to the previous owner and a second notice wasn't received either, however, Appellant did get the property cleared.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided evidence that they closed escrow after the initial notice was sent to the prior property owner, thus the new owner did not have due process. For these reasons, it is recommended that the appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 13:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 77

NAME: DCT PEORIA STREET LLC LESSOR

MAILING ADDRESS: 1800 WAZEE ST

DENVER CO 80202 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 11300 PEORIA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91352

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2538011002** / INVOICE NO: BN220001057

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the photos taken by LAFD are not their property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 77

NAME: MARSOT, VANESSA

MAILING ADDRESS: 10030 MCBROOM ST

SUNLAND CA 91040

SITUS ADDRESS: 10416 CLYBOURN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91040

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2542008004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001059

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant submitted several emails saying they were out of the country and received no notices and their tenants attempted to contact LAFD as did they and couldn't get a response to know what to do and that they were being penalized for their neighbor's property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$952.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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Total assessment due is \$952.00

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 77

NAME: PETROSSIAN, VAHIK AND ZINA

MAILING ADDRESS: 01645 SANTA MARIA AVE

**GLENDALE CA 91208** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2542028004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001061

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have a contractor onsite who regularly clears the brush each April and they ask that the fees be waived.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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NAME: PETROSSIAN, VAHIK AND ZINA

MAILING ADDRESS: 01645 SANTA MARIA AVE

**GLENDALE CA 91208** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2542028007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001062

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have a contractor on the property who tries to keep it cleared year round and they did the work in April and are not sure what they missed.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: KARAPETIAN GRANT AND YENOKYAN AIDA

MAILING ADDRESS: 10333 LA CANADA WAY

SUNLAND CA 91040

SITUS ADDRESS: 10333 LA CANADA WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 91040

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2543002001** / INVOICE NO: BN220001063

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that after their second notice they clarified with LAFD what work was left to do and they then completed it.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 13, 2022 13:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 77

NAME: RE NOTES INSTRUMENTS AND INVESTMENTS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 8484 WILSHIRE BLVD STE 515

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90211 USA** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2544016008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001070

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant wants to appeal for the stated reason, "This is highway robbery." It appears that Appellant is contesting the amount of administrative fees and contractor costs. Appellant provided no evidence in the case and did not appear at the Appeal Hearing.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as

legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Notices of Noncompliance were issued in June, August, and October 2021 because of the fire hazard. The property was later Red Posted with a Notice to Abate Nuisance and Fire Hazard.

The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

The Appellant did not appear at the Appeal and presented no written evidence by mail. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: July 13, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 77

NAME: RE NOTES INSTRUMENTS AND INVESTMENTS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 8484 WILSHIRE BLVD STE 515

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90211 USA** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2544016009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001071

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

The Appellant did not appear for the Appeal Hearing. There was a letter mailed that said, "This is highway robbery." It appears that Appellant was protesting the administrative fees and contractor costs. No evidence regarding the case was provided.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of

proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Notices of Noncompliance were issued in June, August, and October 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations.

The Appellant did not appear at the Appeal Hearing and presented no evidence.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 11:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: NAYIRIAN, ARIN K AND NAYIRIAN, NANCY N

MAILING ADDRESS: 9840 SUNLAND BLVD

SHADOW HILLS CA 91040

SITUS ADDRESS: 9840 SUNLAND BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91040

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2545015007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001085

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims extreme financial hardship and that the demand to remove several trees was abrubt and could not be done in time. Further, Appellant states that they've worked hard to remove all other fire hazards from the property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 14, 2022 11:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: NAYIRIAN, ARIN K AND NAYIRIAN, NANCY N

MAILING ADDRESS: 9840 SUNLAND BLVD

SHADOW HILLS CA 91040

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2545015008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001086

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims extreme financial hardship and that they've maintained the property to the extent they could under the circumstances. Further, Appellant states that LAFD's demands were abrupt and could not be done in the timeframe asked.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: KARAKASHIAN,ARAM AND SILVA

MAILING ADDRESS: 01611 GREENBRIAR RD

**GLENDALE CA 91207** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 9618 West Wentworth St

Sunland Ca 91040

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2549012006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001096

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they sought guidance from LAFD as to what to do for their brush clearance as they did not find the notices helpful.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: SHAMIRYAN, VIOLET

MAILING ADDRESS: 09845 FOOTHILL BLVD

SYLMAR CA 91342

SITUS ADDRESS: 9845 FOOTHILL BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91342

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2550010002 / INVOICE NO: BN220001106

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the property as required and did not receive a second notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: MIREYA MONTENEGRO

MAILING ADDRESS: 11256 VICTORY BLVD

NORTH HOLLYWOOD CA 91606 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 9720 FOOTHILL PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91342

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2550013009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001107

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received any notices and that the property had belonged to her mother who died in 2020.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Records show that LAFD advised Appellant that they need to contact the LA Assessor's office to change her address for notices. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: MESTAYER,DONALD JR

MAILING ADDRESS: 10135 FOOTHILL BLVD

LAKE VIEW TERRACE CA 91342

SITUS ADDRESS: 10135 FOOTHILL BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91342

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2550019001 / INVOICE NO: BN220001108

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and cleared the brush by themselves.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 26, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 74

NAME: HOVASAPYAN, TIGRAN AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 07135 SAMOA PL

TUJUNGA CA 91042

SITUS ADDRESS: 7135 SAMOA PL

LOS ANGELES CA 91042

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2553007045 / INVOICE NO: BN220001124

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they tried contacting LAFD several times to clarify what needed to be done and never heard back.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 24

NAME: PETRILLI, JAMES L TR PETRILLI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2501 BAMBOO ST

**NEWPORT BEACH CA 92660** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 10647 SHERMAN GROVE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91040

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2555031005 / INVOICE NO: BN220001127

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant represents current owners who are next of kin of the deceased owners who died in 2020. Appellant states they received no notices and met resistance trying to resolve the clearance issue with LAFD.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 8, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 74

NAME: UNDER SUN PROPERTIES LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 8924 BALCOM AVE

**NORTHRIDGE CA 91325** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2562015029 / INVOICE NO: BN220001137

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received both notices late because the address they were sent to is no longer their business address. Appellant states they tried to contact LAFD to no avail and cleared their property as required.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 74

NAME: RMONI ENTERPRISE LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 109 ARROW HWY

SAN DIMAS CA 91773 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2563037038 / INVOICE NO: BN220001149

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims financial hardship.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 74

NAME: TREBOR INVESTMENTS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 827 E PALM AVE

**BURBANK CA 91501** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 9750 HILLHAVEN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91042

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2563041018 / INVOICE NO: BN220001151

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they purchased the property on July 1, 2021 and did not receive any prior notices.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Appellant's statement that the property was recently purchased was not supported by any documentary evidence. Additionally, a transfer of property does not negate the responsibility of the new property owner to clear the brush. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer.

Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 74

NAME: VARTANY, ARTIN M

MAILING ADDRESS: 09739 HILLHAVEN AVE

TUJUNGA CA 91042

SITUS ADDRESS: 9739 HILLHAVEN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91042

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2563042023** / INVOICE NO: BN220001152

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they didn't trim and oak tree thinking they couldn't until they were told to do so by LAFD. Appellant seeks relief from the penalty.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 74

NAME: MARK AND VICTORIA ROMANO

MAILING ADDRESS: 7073 HIGH CLIFF TRAIL

TUJUNGA CA 91042 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2564020015 / INVOICE NO: BN220001153

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in June 2021 and did not receive any noncompliance notices and cleared the property themselves.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. New owner contact information was added in June 2021 with the second notice being sent to the new owners of record and two inspections took place after the purchase. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 74

NAME: KEVORKIAN, ADEES AND KRIKOR, TALAR

MAILING ADDRESS: 10773 LAS LUNITAS AVE

TUJUNGA CA 91042

SITUS ADDRESS: 9636 TUJUNGA CANYON BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 91042

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2572012007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001170

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that the property is maintained monthly.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 91

NAME: MHC SANTIAGO ESTATES

MAILING ADDRESS: 2 N RIVERSIDE PLZ 800

CHICAGO IL 60606

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2580017010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001179

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they completed their brush clearance in May 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 18

NAME: TD OPPORTUNITY FUND LLC C/O GROBSTIEN TEEPLE LLP

MAILING ADDRESS: 23832 ROCKFIELD BLVD STE 245

LAKE FOREST CA 92630

SITUS ADDRESS: 17900 BULL CANYON RD

LOS ANGELES CA 91344

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2601025030** / INVOICE NO: BN220001192

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have experienced financial distress as a result of a fraudulant wealth manager and seek relief as they try and sell the property.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 18

NAME: HAGOP J NALBANDIAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 17452 TUSCAN DR

**GRANADA HILLS CA 91344** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 17452 TUSCAN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 91344

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2601047013 / INVOICE NO: BN220001201

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush after the first notice of noncompliance and did not receive a second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 22, 2022 15:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 107

NAME: DANIELYAN, NAIRA TR NAIRA DANIELYAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 600 W STOCKER ST UNIT 316

**GLENDALE CA 91202** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 10500 MELVIN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91326

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2708005022** / INVOICE NO: BN220001212

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

The Appellant cites that an insurance inspector gave a favorable report regarding potential fire hazards near the time of the failed LAFD Fire Inspector inspection. Thus, the Appellant argues that this proves the LAFD Fire Inspector was wrong.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant claims the an insurance fire inspector gave a pass for insurance purposes. This evidence is not appropriate because the insurance fire inspector and LAFD Fire Inspector have different goals. The insurance company inspector desires to protect a single house. Whereas the LAFD Fire Inspector issues noncompliance for fire dangers on Appellant's property that pose a threat up to 200 feet away to ANY structure, not just to the Appellant's home. In addition, the LAFD Fire Inspector provided photographs. The photographs show that home improvement and construction was going on at the property. The photos suggest that the home was probably unoccupied while the improvements were going on. There was a temporary three foot flexible netting fence around the property and construction debris and brush including tumbleweed or tumbleweed-like growth had sprung up. The brush and debris appeared to be highly flammable. To the Appellant's credit, after the failed first two failed inspections dated 5/25/2021 and 7/29/2021, the property passed a compliance inspection on 10/1/2021.

However, the assessment is proper because the compliance occurred two months after the two noncompliance's had already been issued.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: LORDEN, KATHLEEN TR KATHLEEN LORDEN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 10837 FARRALONE AVE

**CHATSWORTH CA 91311** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 10837 FARRALONE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2723005024 / INVOICE NO: BN220001234

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and have a gardener that regularly clears the property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: BARABAS,NEIL J

MAILING ADDRESS: 665 COMPARI CT

**RENO NV 85911 USA** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 10639 ANDORA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2723015046 / INVOICE NO: BN220001236

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that a notice was sent to the wrong address as they moved two years ago. Appellant also questions what has made the inspections more stringent and that the notices are vague and that they made a best effort to comply.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 3, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: CASTAGNA ROSE (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: 23323 COLLINS ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 10555 ANDORA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2723015051 / INVOICE NO: BN220001237

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they had to move their mother from the property and help with her at her new residence and that they weren't able to answer the noncompliance notices in time and that COVID was a factor as well. They said they contacted LAFD and that they've since passed inspection.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 3, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: JACOBS, LARRY J AND ROBIN G TRS LARRY AND ROBIN JACOBS

**TRUST** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 9742 CACTUS AVE

CHATSWORTH CA 91311

SITUS ADDRESS: 9742 CACTUS AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2724010016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001241

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor who removed all hazards as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: GRIFFIN, MICHAEL

MAILING ADDRESS: 05902 PENFIELD AVE

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 9812 KENTLAND AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2727003047 / INVOICE NO: BN220001247

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that they let their tenant on an adjacent property use the subject property for horses who stomp the brush clear.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: REZAEI,KOOSHA

MAILING ADDRESS: 05329 TAMPA AVE

TARZANA CA 91356

SITUS ADDRESS: 9737 SHOUP AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2727004017 / INVOICE NO: BN220001248

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property was cleared by their tenant.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: TONAPETYAN,ALANA

MAILING ADDRESS: 22455 NEEDLES ST

CHATSWORTH CA 91311

SITUS ADDRESS: 22455 NEEDLES ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2727004022 / INVOICE NO: BN220001249

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and cleared that they hired a contractor to clear the brush.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: KHANG T NGUYEN

MAILING ADDRESS: 22433 N SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

CHATSWORTH CA 91311

SITUS ADDRESS: 22433 N SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2727022007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001250

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice and were surpised when they got the second notice as they felt they had addressed all hazards.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 11:15 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: TAYLOR, CRAIG V AND DARLENE M

MAILING ADDRESS: 22502 S SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

CHATSWORTH CA 91311

SITUS ADDRESS: 22502 S SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2727022024** / INVOICE NO: BN220001252

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have regularly cleared their lot as required and did so last year but were unaware of a dead tree that needed to be removed as well but did so as soon as they were made aware of it.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 13, 2022 11:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: ALAJAJYAN SARKIS AND REPSEK AND TIGRANUI

MAILING ADDRESS: 22438 S SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

**CHATSWORTH CA 91311** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2727022053 / INVOICE NO: BN220001256

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant did not state a reason for the appeal but submitted photos of a cleared hillside.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: SETHI, JANG B AND GURDEEP K TRS JANG AND GURDEEP SETHI

TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 22550 N SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

CHATSWORTH CA 91311

SITUS ADDRESS: 22550 N SUMMIT RIDGE CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2727022056 / INVOICE NO: BN220001257

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant provided proof he suffered a heart attack a few weeks prior to the issuance of the First Notice of Noncompliance. His recovery was perhaps ongoing when the Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued. However, there is no proof the Department or Inspector were ever contacted regarding Appellant's issues and Appellant did not propose a remedy or ask for a continuance to arrange clearance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Two mailed Notices of Noncompliance were issued. No mail was returned. A red Notice to Abate Fire Hazard and Nuisance was posted on the property. Each of the Notices and the red posting contained the Inspector's email and phone number and address where they could be reached. There is no record of the Appellant reaching out to contact the Department nor the Inspector to make the Department aware of Appellant's situation or to suggest remedies or to request a continuance. That would have allowed the Department and Inspector to monitor progress and create a schedule for compliance. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant had a valid hardship. However, at the very first Notice of Noncompliance, the inspector made it a point to identify that it was the trees and dead tree limbs that were the core of the issues. This is something that a contractor could take care of. A contractor could have trimmed the trees and remove the dead tree limbs and debris. Months later, Appellant still did not hire a contractor to remedy the danger. In the end, the City's Contractor trimmed the trees, cleared the dead tree limbs and other brush materials to make the property safe for the community. Based on the above, it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be denied and that the assessment be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 96

NAME: LEIGH A DATZKER

MAILING ADDRESS: 9415 FOX HILL LN

**CHATSWORTH CA 91311** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 9415 FOX HILL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 91311

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2727022077 / INVOICE NO: BN220001261

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their property is next to a nature preserve and several other expansive and municipal owned properties with brush, including LAFD easements. Appellant states they do their best to clear their property and were not aware that the current fees would be imposed.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: October 12, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 8

NAME: PIANSRI,KRITSAPON

MAILING ADDRESS: 11537 VIKING AVE

**NORTHRIDGE CA 91326** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 11537 VIKING AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 91326

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: **2871005006** / INVOICE NO: BN220001270

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the area in question is not their property but they cleared it anyway.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 8

NAME: TAN, HAN SHUE AND LEE WHEI TRS TAN FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1181 SUNLIGHT CIR

**CONCORD CA 94518** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 18834 DUKAS ST

LOS ANGELES CA 91326

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 2871014009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001272

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to do the work and after getting a notice of noncompliance they had them address a palm tree that was in the notice but question whether the palm tree was on their property or their neighbor.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: MOORE,NED

MAILING ADDRESS: 04912 WOODMAN AVE NO 1

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91423 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4114001015 / INVOICE NO: BN220001281

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they did not get the initial notice, that the property is vacant and hard to access, that they are elderly and live far away, and that they have financial constraints.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: LAVELLE, KAREN AND EDWARD

MAILING ADDRESS: 7719 W 79TH ST

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 7719 W 79TH ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4114005005 / INVOICE NO: BN220001292

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice and hired a gardener after their second notice and they removed all hazards.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: LAZAR, ALAN H AND DEBORAH F TRS LAZAR FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7707 W 82ND ST

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 7707 W 82ND ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4114022008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001295

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they trimmed back their tree after the first notice and have kept in trimmed.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: ADAMSKI, SANDRA L TR SANDRA L ADAMSKI TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 8327 ZITOLA TERRACE

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8327 ZITOLA TER

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115002012 / INVOICE NO: BN220001297

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had the hazard removed but it took longer than expected to get someone to do it at a reasonable price.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: KAO, TAI WU AND SUN YUN TRS TAI WU AND SUN YUN KAO TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 868 3RD ST

MANHATTAN BEACH CA 90266

SITUS ADDRESS: 8221 ZITOLA TER

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115005014 / INVOICE NO: BN220001299

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that there are no hazards on their property and that they are in full compliance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

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HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: PATRICIA TAR

MAILING ADDRESS: 8223 BILLOWVISTA DR

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8223 BILLOWVISTA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115010009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001305

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says he cleared the tree branches touching his chimney on 8/31/2021. Unfortunately, this was after two notices of noncompliance were issued in June and early August of 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, to wit, tree branches were touching the chimney of Appellant's home. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law. Appellant argues that it was a neighbor's tree whose branches touched his chimney. However, the fire hazard was on Appellant's property and Appellant could and later did clear the fire hazard. Since the fire hazard was on Appellant's property, it is Appellant's duty to clear it or require that the neighbor do so in a timely manner.

Appellant confirms that clearance was not completed until 8/31/2021. This was after the First Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June of 2021 and the Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in early August of 2021. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: LANGE, NICOLAS

MAILING ADDRESS: 08204 CALABAR AVE

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8204 CALABAR AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115014006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001306

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their gardener cleared the brush in March 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: ARONIN LIVING TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 8140 CALABAR AVE

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8140 CALABAR AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115014016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001307

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant did not state a reason for the appeal other than the property had been cleared.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: LEWIN,LINDA

MAILING ADDRESS: 08259 TUSCANY AVE

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8259 TUSCANY AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115017012 / INVOICE NO: BN220001310

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had health problems since March 2021 and that COVID and other issues kept them from completing their brush clearance on time.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: ROHRBACHER,KATHERINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 08201 TUSCANY AVE

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8201 TUSCANY AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115017023 / INVOICE NO: BN220001311

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice and contacted LAFD to clarify the second notice after receiving it, whereupon they cleared their hazards.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. The first notice went to the same address as where the second was received. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: LANGE NICOLAS

MAILING ADDRESS: 8180 BILLOWVISTA DR

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8180 BILLOWVISTA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115018010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001312

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had their gardener clear the brush as required and finished in March 2022.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: DENENBERG HAILEY M AND MAGHAMI ALEC J

MAILING ADDRESS: 8152 BILLOWVISTA DR

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8152 BILLOWVISTA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115018011 / INVOICE NO: BN220001313

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear the brush as required by August 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: JUNCOSA, MARK R TR MARK R JUNCOSA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 08125 TUSCANY AVE

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 8125 TUSCANY AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4115019007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001315

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice and once they did receive notice they contacted LAFD to clarify what needed clearance and that some of those things were not on their property and they otherwise cleared their property as required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: PLAYA PROPERTIES 2 LLC AND EITEL DEREK C/O JAY AND JENIE

**EITEL** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 1161 S LA CIENEGA BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90035

SITUS ADDRESS: 380 PERSHING DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4116011009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001316

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they were pregnant and misplaced the initial notice of noncompliance and did not receive a second notice. Further, Appellant states that they cleared all hazards.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: ARCHULETTA MICHAEL J AND AMY A

MAILING ADDRESS: 338 PERSHING DR

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 338 PERSHING DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4116011017 / INVOICE NO: BN220001317

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not recieve a first notice of noncompliance and that the brush was cleared in December 2021 and replaced with drought tolerant plants.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: CC APARTMENTS LLC C/O CHRIS WEERTS

MAILING ADDRESS: 1516 S BUNDY DR STE 304

LOS ANGELES CA 90025

SITUS ADDRESS: 316 PERSHING DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4116011018 / INVOICE NO: BN220001318

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the mail has been unreliable and they did not receive any notices.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: KIRSCHNER, RICHARD H TR RICHARD H KIRCHNER TRUST AN

MAILING ADDRESS: 16566 VIA FLORESTA

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 312 PERSHING DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4116011019 / INVOICE NO: BN220001319

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states it took time to hire contractors due to COVID but the brush was cleared a week or so after the deadline and they claim financial hardship.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 67

NAME: EITEL, ROBERT K AND JAYNEE F TRS EITEL FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 317 FOWLING ST

PLAYA DEL REY CA 90293

SITUS ADDRESS: 317 FOWLING ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90293

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4116011023 / INVOICE NO: BN220001320

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice and got their second notice after the deadline for it and that they haven't had a problem before.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Appellant's address was confimed as correct with Appellant. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: BEVERLY HILLS LAND HOLDINGS LL

MAILING ADDRESS: 800 E PALMETTO PARK RD

**BOCA RATON FL 33432** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 1500 SAN YSIDRO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4355004012 / INVOICE NO: BN220001328

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor and cleared all hazards as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: RESNICK RONALD AND WEENER TINKA

MAILING ADDRESS: 1471 BLUERIDGE DR

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 1471 BLUERIDGE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4355008044 / INVOICE NO: BN220001336

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush was cleared on 4/30/2022. Thus, it appears that Appellant believes the Assessment that is being appealed stems from 2022 when, in fact, the violations and Notices of Noncompliance were issued in June and August of 2021.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant believes the appealed Assessment stems from 2022 stating that Appellant's contractor completed brush clearance on 4/30/2022. In fact, the violations and Notices of Noncompliance were issued in June and August of 2021. It is appellant's duty to clear fire hazards and, it turns out, the Appellant did clear the violation sometime in October of 2021 because the Fire Inspector deemed the property Cleared by Owner on October 17, 2021. The October 2021 date of compliance occurred after Notices of Noncompliance were issued in June and August of 2021. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment.

The Total Assessment has been calculated correctly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: RANDY ZUCKERMAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 3260 COLBY AVENUE

LOS ANGELES CA 90066 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1465 DONHILL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4355015059 / INVOICE NO: BN220001340

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they foreclosed on the property in July 2021 and had to evict the tenants and didn't have access to the property to clear the brush as required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided a trust deed and court filing in support of their appeal, showing they did not have legal access to the property during the inspection period. Based on these facts, it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: RAVAN, NATALIE TR EBI AND NATALIE NIKJOO TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1465 ROBMAR DR

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 1465 ROBMAR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4355015075 / INVOICE NO: BN220001341

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they've tried to contact LAFD numerous times to clarify why they are in noncompliance and what else needed to be done but nobody would return their calls. Appellant states they've always maintained their property and doesn't know what has changed.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: DARNELL & EMILY STROM

MAILING ADDRESS: 9903 ANTHONY PLACE #

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 9903 ANTHONY PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4356004009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001355

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the property as required and didn't know what still needed to be done until they contacted LAFD.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: KIP PROP LLC C/O HOOMAN NISSANI

MAILING ADDRESS: 9935 KIP DR

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 9935 KIP DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4356005016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001356

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did what they were supposed to do and cleared their brush and provided a receipt for the work.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 108

NAME: AZIZI,BEN AND BITA TRS BEN AND BITA AZIZI TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 00315 N ALPINE DR

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 1645 SAN YSIDRO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4356009019 / INVOICE NO: BN220001359

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor to clear the brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 3, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: MIRKIN, CLAUDIA H TR CLAUDIA MIRKIN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 09897 BEVERLY GROVE DR

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 9897 BEVERLY GROVE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4356022010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001368

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states it is a large property and they had to contact LAFD to see photos of what still needed to be cleared and then cleared that as well.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: GREENBERG, IGOR AND MARINA TRS I AND M GREEBERG TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1420 DAVIES DR

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210

SITUS ADDRESS: 1420 DAVIES DR

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210** 

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4357005025 / INVOICE NO: BN220001374

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property was cleared in April 2022.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: ESKRIDGE LAYNE P

MAILING ADDRESS: 10008 NATIONAL BLVD PMB 426

LOS ANGELES CA 90034

SITUS ADDRESS: 10090 CIELO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4357015023 / INVOICE NO: BN220001377

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that the work was completed in 2022.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: WHARTON, GEOFFREY P CO TR NIOT TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 00302 PARKWOOD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 302 PARKWOOD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4358003010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001383

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they instructed their gardener to remove the hazards they were told to remove in their notices.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: TRAN, BRENT H

MAILING ADDRESS: 00595 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 595 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4362025011 / INVOICE NO: BN220001393

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were out of town living at another residence for a period and did not receive their first notice despite asking the US Postal Service to forward their mail. Appellant also states they were emailed their second notice and should have had additional time under COVID rules to clear their property, which was done after giving instructions to their gardener.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: POURMUSSA, MICHEL

MAILING ADDRESS: 00701 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 701 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4362025012 / INVOICE NO: BN220001394

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their gardener regularly removes hazards and they could not see what wasn't done as required and requests to meet with LAFD.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 37

NAME: SADEGHI, SAEED TR SAEED SADEGHI TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 11452 THURSTON CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 11452 THURSTON CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4366010012 / INVOICE NO: BN220001397

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they received noncompliance notices but didn't know what more needed to be done until after contacting LAFD and registering to view their case online. They then had their gardener remove the hazards.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 37

NAME: TAHERI MARK

MAILING ADDRESS: 11455 THURSTON CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 11455 THURSTON CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4366011011 / INVOICE NO: BN220001398

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that they couldn't access the property due to the tenants and that tenants had to be evicted.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: MICHAEL BOSTON

MAILING ADDRESS: 11425 CAMDEN DRIVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90035 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 903 LINDA FLORA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4368023027 / INVOICE NO: BN220001403

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant denies getting any Notices of Noncompliance.

The Appellant is the new owner of the property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: July 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Appeal be Granted and the Assessment be reversed.

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance in 2021. Because the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were mailed to the previous owner, the Appellant's position is credible. However, Appellant's date of acquisition was before the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were sent out. Appellant should have been aware that the property needed brush clearance. The property was later posted with a red posted Notice to Abate Nuisance and Fire Hazard because of the fire hazard on Appellant's property.

Nevertheless, in order to recover the Assessment charged for the Second Notice of Noncompliance, the Notice that is mailed must be mailed to the correct address. Proper mailing is required to enforce the legal presumption that the Notice of Noncompliance was in fact received by the property owner. Therefore, the Appeal should be Granted.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: MAVIS E PRESLER

MAILING ADDRESS: 1387 CASIANO RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 1387 CASIANO RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4368025015 / INVOICE NO: BN220001405

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they spoke to LAFD personnel several times until compliance was achieved.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 37

NAME: DARMIENTO, FRANK R III

MAILING ADDRESS: 01048 IRVINE AVE 369

NEWPORT BEACH CA 92660

SITUS ADDRESS: 1177 LINDA FLORA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4368026019 / INVOICE NO: BN220001406

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor and cleared all hazards before the due date.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: A LIGHT THAT NEVER GOES OUT LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 10648 CAPELLO WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 10648 CAPELLO WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370005009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001419

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in September 2021 and the previous owners did not forward the notices or take care of the clearance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Appellant did not provide proof of ownership change. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: OUJANI,ELHAM TR PEDROM TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 811

BATON ROUGE LA 70821 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 10700 SONOMA WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370006040 / INVOICE NO: BN220001425

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they could not find a contractor prior to the first notice of noncompliance but quickly hired one thereafter and cleared their brush. They feel the inspector mistaked their neighbor's property with their compliant property.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: YASHAR, PAYAM R

MAILING ADDRESS: 1495 STONE CYN ROAD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1495 STONE CANYON RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370008021 / INVOICE NO: BN220001430

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices due to several factors: their contact address has changed, the email address the LAFD had was fraudulant, and that they had mail stolen.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. The reasons given for not receiving notices were the responsibility of the Appellant to address, the LAFD relied on the information previously given to them. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: DEMPSEY MICHAEL D (TE)
MAILING ADDRESS: 1200 STONE CANYON RD

1200 STONE CANYON RD LOS ANGELES CA 90077

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 1200 STONE CANYON RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370018019 / INVOICE NO: BN220001435

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had their trees pruned in August 2021 and have kept them pruned since.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: BLUEJAY INVESTMENT INC

MAILING ADDRESS: 10436 SANTA MONICA BLVD STE 400

LOS ANGELES CA 90025

SITUS ADDRESS: 1237 BEL AIR RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370019042 / INVOICE NO: BN220001437

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they always maintain their property and provided photos and asked that any LAFD personnel could check it out.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: COPA DE ORO REALTY LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 1100 BEL AIR PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 1100 BEL AIR PLACE

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370019063 / INVOICE NO: BN220001438

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they regularly have their gardener remove any brush and were surprised to get noncompliance notices. They tried to clarify what the issue was with LAFD and eventually saw an area they weren't aware of on the LAFD website.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: October 14, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: MASONER, LESLIE A TR KELLY TRUST AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 9190 West OLYMPIC BLVD #127

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90212 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 940 STONE CANYON RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370021016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001440

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their clearance efforts were delayed due to COVID.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: SHUFORD, BRITTEN C II CO TR SHUFORD TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 10570 ROCCA WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 10570 ROCCA WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370021041 / INVOICE NO: BN220001441

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice and were surprised when they received a second notice. Further, Appellant would like to have the following factors considered: that COVID effected their family, that they have young children, and that they usually rely on the first notice to do their brush clearance which they did not receive.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: ORDON, ANDREW P AND ROBYN TRS ORDON FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1260 BEL AIR RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 1260 BEL AIR RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4370029007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001446

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant alleges substantial brush clearance with numerous photographs and two invoices showing brush clearance efforts that costed the Appellant over \$8,800 to comply. Appellant untimately passed inspection after two Notices of Noncompliance were issued.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Reverse the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment be reversed. Appellant showed proof of substantial brush clearance after the first Notice of Noncompliance by providing numerous photographs and an invoice. The photos show aggressive brush clearance by a private contractor costing the Appellant a total of approximately \$7,800 for extensive contractor efforts. The second Notice of Noncompliance depicts either no violation or a minor one in this Hearing Officer's opinion. But, the Appellant still respected the LAFD's position and then paid almost another thousand dollars to correct the second alleged violation. This ultimately resulted in compliance on a huge semi-wilderness type of property. I am impressed with the Appellant's efforts to comply and cannot be certain that the second violation was warranted. The homeowner is credible in his appeal. It is recommended that the assessment be reversed

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: CANYON PROPERTY HOLDINGS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 4427 MELBOURNE AVENUE

LOS ANGELES CA 90027 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371003004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001450

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they purchased the property sight unseen while in Europe and that brush clearance was part of escrow but not performed until they returned and did it themselves.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: SAFAVI, BAHRAM CO TR SAFAVI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 34898

LOS ANGELES CA 90034 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1815 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371004015 / INVOICE NO: BN220001452

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they missed the first emailed notice due to a large number of emails and didn't receive a mailed first notice. Appellant states they had the hazards removed after the second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: PETERS,KELLY J

MAILING ADDRESS: 01717 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 1723 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371006007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001454

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are 81 and had to go to Ohio to take care of his sister when her husband died. Appellant arranged for brush clearance and paid contractors to do it and redo it after the first notice of noncompliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: PETERS,KELLY J

MAILING ADDRESS: 1717 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 1717 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371006008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001455

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant is 81 and had to go to Ohio early in 2021 to take care of his sister after her husband died. Appellant hired a contractor who cleared the brush and rehired them to do it again later.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: TWEITEN, ANN TR SANDAL LANE DECD TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 34503 MORRIS ST

**BEAUMONT CA 92223** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 10515 SANDALL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371011003 / INVOICE NO: BN220001462

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received. And that, when the second Notice of Noncompliance was received in early September, compliance was complete on September 21, 2021.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. Appellant provided her email in May of 2021 and all notices were sent to that email. Appellant admits getting the second Notice of Noncompliance sent to that email address but denies receiving the first Notice of Noncompliance. This is a current and active email because the Appellant wrote that same email down on the appeal paperwork.

Regarding the property, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, to wit, tree branches in close proximity to a roof and arching over it. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant confirms that clearance was not completed until on or about September 21, 2021. This was after the First Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June of 2021 and the Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in early September of 2021. The question is whether the Department did notify the Appellant. The Department's notes show that each notice was emailed to the email that the Appellant provided. There is no notation that any emails were rejected. In fact, the Appellant admits to receiving the second email. There is simply no evidence in the record to suggest the email was not sent.

Regarding the Assessment, each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: SALEHIAN, BAHRAM B CO TR SALEHIAN FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 10500 SANDALL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 10500 SANDALL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371011023 / INVOICE NO: BN220001464

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received a first notice of noncompliance and hired a contractor to clear the hazard as required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: MORIYA, NAOKO AND OSAMU

MAILING ADDRESS: 10510 SANDAL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 10510 SANDAL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371011024 / INVOICE NO: BN220001465

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received. However, according to Department records, it was mailed. Appellant claims that Invoice No. BN220001465 was paid but shows proof of payment for BF220005443 which is the \$33 for the first Notice of Noncompliance. The \$668 owed under Invoice No. BN220001465 is for Appellant's second Notice. No proof was provided by Appellant that the \$668 was paid. Appellant claims brush clearance was completed in April of 2022. However, after two Notices of Noncompliance in June and September of 2021, Appellant's final inspection in October of 2021 shows that the roof debris causing the noncompliance had finally been cleared.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. Although Appellant claims that the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received, the Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. The Appellant may be mistaken regarding not receiving the first Notice of Noncompliance. For instance, the Appellant confused their brush clearance effort and compliance in the Fall of 2021 with their efforts in the Spring of 2022. The Appellant did not notice that the \$33 invoice was a different invoice number than the \$668 invoice number.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, among them were substantial leaf debris on Appellant's roof. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

The record confirms that the Fire Inspector verified that clearance was completed as of 10/15/2021. This was after the First Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June of 2021 and the Second Notice issued in September of 2021. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: SIRBU,ALEXANDRU

MAILING ADDRESS: 11681 BELLAGIO RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 10505 MARS LN

LOS ANGELES 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371012013 / INVOICE NO: BN220001466

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property APN was deleted in 2017 and that they own an adjacent property in the area.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: KAZAKOV,LILIA TR LILIA KAZAKOV TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1433 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 1433 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371015003 / INVOICE NO: BN220001470

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they've alwasy been in compliance and did not receive a first notice of compliance. Upon receiving the second notice they got the brush cleared. Appellant also cites financial hardship due to COVID.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: BIANCHINI GIOVANNI (TE)
MAILING ADDRESS: 4613 SAN ANDREAS AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371020016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001478

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have no access to the property and that past LAFD personnel have let it go without requiring the brush to be cleared.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: BETON LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 807 E 12TH ST 401

LOS ANGELES CA 90021

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371037038 / INVOICE NO: BN220001492

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims the second Notice of Noncompliance was not received. However, according to Department

records, it was mailed. Appellant claims brush clearance was completed in April of 2022. However, the City Contractor performed the brush clearance in January 2022. Two Notices of Noncompliance in June and September of 2021 did not result in Appellant's compliance. Ultimately, the LAFD had to red post a Notice to Abate Fire Hazard and Nuisance. Later, the City Contractor performed clearance in January of 2022.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. Although Appellant claims that the second Notice of Noncompliance was not received, the Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. Moreover, the Appellant admits that the first Notice of Noncompliance was received, so the Department was mailing notice to the correct address. In addition, the Appellant provided no proof to overcome the presumption that the second Notice of Noncompliance was received.

Record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, among them were substantial brush growth on Appellant's property surrounding their buildings and substantial tree growth between parts of Appellant's buildings, some of it touching the buildings. The Inspector photos suggest neglect of regular brush clearance.

The record confirms that the property had to be Cleared by Contractor because Appellant made no effort to perform brush clearance in 2021. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: CLOPOT BEN AND SHAW CHRISTINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 10410 OLETHA LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90077 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1636 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371043014 / INVOICE NO: BN220001496

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were on a 100 day road trip and did not receive the notices but cleared the hazards once they returned.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 71

NAME: EARNHARDT, JAMES E AND JESSICA

MAILING ADDRESS: 01800 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 1800 N BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4371045007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001499

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive their first notice and that they hired a contractor to remove the brush as required.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: BOCHNER, DAN Z TR DAN BOCHNER TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 00000 PO BOX 10809

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90213** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4377002038 / INVOICE NO: BN220001502

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they live in a gated area and so no inspections could have been conducted.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 37

NAME: FRIEDMAN, SIDNEY G TR FRIEDMAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 01331 LINDA FLORA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1331 LINDA FLORA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4377020009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001510

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and the property could not have been inspected since it is under construction and behind a locked gate.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: TABIBIAN, BIALICK CO TR TABIBIAN FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 02055 STRADELLA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 2055 STRADELLA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4377026004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001515

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the property up to 400 ft from their home.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: ROSCOMARE BELAIR PROPERTY LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 233 S BEVERLY GLEN BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90024

SITUS ADDRESS: 2066 ROSCOMARE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4377026013 / INVOICE NO: BN220001518

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their family came down with COVID after the first notice of noncompliance, which delayed their clearance but which they did do.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: STARKES VIOLETTA

MAILING ADDRESS: 311 N ROBERTSON BLVD

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90211** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 2112 ROSCOMARE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4377027006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001519

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were delayed because they were waiting on a demolition permit to tear down the house before cutting down the trees.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: MOFID, MEHRDAD M TR MEHRDAD M MOFID TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2010 STRADELLA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 2010 STRADELLA RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4377032007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001521

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices prior to the notice posted on the property, whereupon they hired a contractor to clear their hazards.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: FAKHIMI ARDALON AND AMITA C/O CA CRIMINAL DEFENSE CENTER

MAILING ADDRESS: 10940 WILSHIRE BLVD STE 1600

LOS ANGELES CA 90024

SITUS ADDRESS: 2369 NALIN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4378002014 / INVOICE NO: BN220001523

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they only received one notice last year and hired a contractor to do extensive brush removal several times and asks that the fine be removed.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: SOA CAPITAL INC

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 33983

GRANADA HILLS CA 91394

SITUS ADDRESS: 2365 NALIN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4378002033 / INVOICE NO: BN220001524

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and that the second notice was addressed to the previous owner. Appellant purchased the property in June 2021 and provided a title transfer document in support.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted. Appellant provided evidence that they purchased the property in June, after the first notice was sent out and that the second notice was addressed to the previous property owner. For these reasons, Appellant was not given due process.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: GIRO PROPERTIES LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 00149 S BARRINGTON AVE STE 724

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L E of 15474 DUOMO VIA PLACE

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4378003004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001525

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they made every effort to comply and attempted to contact LAFD multiple times to confirm they had cleared their property as it was difficult to locate its boundaries.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: GIRO PROPERTIES LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 00149 S BARRINGTON AVE STE 724

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4378011015 / INVOICE NO: BN220001528

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they made every effort to comply and reached out to LAFD to see if they were in compliance as they weren't sure of their property boundaries.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: BEL AIR GROUP

MAILING ADDRESS: 00000 PO BOX 2414

PALOS VERDES PNSLA CA 90274

SITUS ADDRESS: 2337 ROSCOMARE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4378019004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001530

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their brush after the first inspection and that subsequent notices were too vague to determine what else needed to be done and they feel they did what was needed as they have in the past.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 109

NAME: WILCHFORT, IZYDOR AND IRMA TRS WILTCHFORT FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 25623

LOS ANGELES CA 90025

SITUS ADDRESS: 2354 ROSCOMARE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4378021010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001531

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are elderly and did not receive the first notice at their PO Box but got the second one and called the LAFD to clarify what remained to be cleared and could not access the internet to do so.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 99

NAME: 3005 BENEDICT CANYON LLC
MAILING ADDRESS: 03005 BENEDICT CANYON DR

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210

SITUS ADDRESS: 3005 BENEDICT CANYON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4382022011 / INVOICE NO: BN220001542

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they received no notices and couldn't let people on their property due to COVID and cleared the brush themselves.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 99

NAME: SCHIMMEL, JORDAN A

MAILING ADDRESS: 13360 JAVA DR

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210

SITUS ADDRESS: 13360 JAVA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4385004005 / INVOICE NO: BN220001548

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were out of town from mid June to late July 2021 and did not receive the first notice of noncompliance. When seeing it upon their return, they tried to use the LAFD contractor list but numbers were out of date or the job was too small.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 108

NAME: ASMAA M OWENS

MAILING ADDRESS: 1125 E BROADWAY 70

**GLENDALE CA 91205** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 2370 North Gloaming Way

Bel Air Ca 90210

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4388005019 / INVOICE NO: BN220001554

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant did not state a reason for their appeal.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 108

NAME: HANKEY INVESTMENT COMPANY LP C/O EUGENE M LEYDIKER

MAILING ADDRESS: 4751 WILSHIRE BLVD STE 110

LOS ANGELES CA 90010

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4388005027 / INVOICE NO: BN220001555

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant does not recall getting any notices and states that the parcel is landlocked and there is a squatter and dogs.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: SNOW WEST LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 31 OAKMONT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 254 N BRISTOL AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4405019003 / INVOICE NO: BN220001560

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property was under construction starting in April 2021 and that all hazards were removed.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: PALLER, CHERYL TR CHERYL PALLER TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 18348 COASTLINE DR

MALIBU CA 90265

SITUS ADDRESS: 1441 ALLENFORD AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4407008012 / INVOICE NO: BN220001562

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they called LAFD after their first notice to clarify the hazards to be removed and did not get a second inspection due to COVID.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: MCMAHON, HARRY T CO TR MCMAHON TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 00732 HAMPDEN PL

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 732 HAMPDEN PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4412009001 / INVOICE NO: BN220001581

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have no brush on their property and the trees were trimmed in September 2021.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: BURNS RONALD (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: 1131 GALLOWAY ST

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 630 HAVERFORD AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4412013008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001582

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their hazards and provided before and after photos.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: RAMSAY,ANNE

MAILING ADDRESS: 15851 SEABEC CIR

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 15851 SEABEC CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4413020007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001585

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their hazards after each inspection and just want to be cleared.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: ADAMS,TIMOTHY

MAILING ADDRESS: 00559 BIENVENEDA AVE

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 559 BIENVENEDA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4414017010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001588

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they spend much of their time in another state taking care of their mother and missed the notices and are now handling the brush clearance themselves.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: 255 PARR BLVD LLC C/O ECOLOGY CONTROL INDUSTRIES

MAILING ADDRESS: 15707 S MAIN ST

GARDENA CA 90248

SITUS ADDRESS: 16400 W SUNSET BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4414027009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001590

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received any notices of noncompliance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: LAKNER, GEORGE

MAILING ADDRESS: 217 JACKSON AVENUE B1151

FORT MYER VA 22211 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 17603 POSETANO RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4416012007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001597

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were unaware of any issues as the notices were sent to the wrong address and that their home suffered a landslide and they were told not to remove anything thereafter.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: KHADEMI,ALI K CO TR KHADEMI AKBARPOUR FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 544 PASEO MIRAMAR

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 544 PASEO MIRAMAR

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4416019033 / INVOICE NO: BN220001601

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their mail has been unreliable since COVID and that they never received their first notice and they cleared their property soon after their second notice. Further, they are a senior, a cancer patient and have limited means.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 3, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: AGHAKOOCHECK, BAHRAM CO TR A AND D TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 245 AVENIDA MELISENDA

SAN DIMAS CA 91773

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4416021044 / INVOICE NO: BN220001608

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant does not live in Los Angeles and states they contracted to have their brush removed after their first noncompliance notice in June but it was delayed several times due to COVID. Appellant also claims financial hardship.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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NAME: AGHAKOOCHECK, BAHRAM CO TR A AND D TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 245 AVENIDA MELISENDA

SAN DIMAS CA 91773

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4416021045 / INVOICE NO: BN220001609

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

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## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 20, 2021.

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# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: MURTAGH GERARD M

MAILING ADDRESS: 16920 ENCHANTED PL

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 16920 ENCHANTED PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4419001029 / INVOICE NO: BN220001611

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and cleared their palm trees and other palm trees belong to their neighbors.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: MANOUCHEHRI PARVIZ (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: 1119 LACHMAN LN

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1119 LACHMAN LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4419003030 / INVOICE NO: BN220001613

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that they cleared all hazards in April and that they have a gardener regularly removing brush.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: BELL, JAMES S TR DUNDONALD TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2808 COLE AVE

DALLAS TX 75204

SITUS ADDRESS: 16550 CHATTANOOGA PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4419013020 / INVOICE NO: BN220001614

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the brush clearance was delayed due to the care and passing of their father.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: October 14, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: KEYVAN S RAHBAR

MAILING ADDRESS: 16115 ANOKA DR

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 16115 ANOKA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420007026 / INVOICE NO: BN220001618

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they only got a first notice and cut down a tree and were otherwise not sure what else needed clearing. Further, they tried to contact LAFD to no avail.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: MOON, SCOTT AND MYUNG S

MAILING ADDRESS: 01367 LAS CANOAS RD

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1367 LAS CANOAS RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420012034 / INVOICE NO: BN220001619

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they clear brush yearly and weren't aware of the need to clear near a new house. They hired contractors to do the work but it was difficult because of COVID.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: October 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: BUCK, JOHN A

MAILING ADDRESS: 1018 BAMINGTON OAKS PLACE

**ROSWELL GA 30075 USA** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 1373 LAS CANOAS RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420012042 / INVOICE NO: BN220001620

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the rear property boundary is vague. Appellant also provided photographs of substantial clearance efforts made by Appellant's contractor the week of November 15, 2021. But, the second inspection failure and red post Notice to Abate Fire Hazard and Nuisance was posted the week before on November 12, 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: October 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance as set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because notice was properly mailed in the manner legally required. No mail was returned.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued on October 5, 2021 and a second inspection revealed ongoing noncompliance. The inspector red posted the property with a Notice to Abate Fire Hazard and Public Nuisance on November 12, 2021. This was posted on the post containing the Appellant's mailbox at the front of the home. Appellant says Clearance was performed the week of November 15, 2021 but this was after the Notice to Abate was posted on November 12, 2021. Notices were issued because of the fire hazard.

The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, among them were substantial brush growth on Appellant's property. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law. The record confirms that the property had to be Cleared by Contractor despite Appellant's effort to clear brush in 2021. The Clearance by Contractor occurred after the First Notice of Noncompliance was issued in October of 2021 and the Second Notice issued in November of 2021. There is no record that the Appellant contacted the Inspector or Department to clear up any confusion as to Appellant's duties and specifics of compliance. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 15:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: WILKIE, JAMES W AND EDNA M

MAILING ADDRESS: 1242 LACHMAN LN

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1242 LACHMAN LN

LOS ANGELES 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420020026 / INVOICE NO: BN220001624

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their contractor lied to them when they said they had completed brush clearance and claim financial hardship.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Financial hardship is not a consideration. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: TOURTELLOTTE, WARREN CO TR TOURTELLOTTE FAMILY TRUST AND

TOURTELLOTTE, GEORGE M

MAILING ADDRESS: 1140 TELLEM DR

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1140 TELLEM DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420021022 / INVOICE NO: BN220001626

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the assessment is in error, that they paid a fine after the first notice of noncompliance and that they had the property cleared and that it is under construction.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: DIAZ, ALBERTO L AND SABRINA G TRS ALBERTO AND SABRINA DIAZ

TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 16716 CHARMEL LN

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 16716 CHARMEL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420025010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001627

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant performed brush clearance in March 2021. Appellant received violations in June and July 2021. Appellant says that the Notices of Noncompliance did not sufficiently inform them of the work needed to comply.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

The proposed assessment against your property has been confirmed in the amount as set forth in the notice.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Notices of Noncompliance were issued in June and July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took confirmatory photographs which depict the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations.

The Notices sent contain a description of the kinds of brush causing the violations on the property to be cleared. In this case, Appellant was notified to clear grasses to a level no higher than 3 inches and remove all dead branches, trees, and dead debris and other issues stated in the Notices.

For the above reasons, the Appeal is denied and the Assessment is confirmed.

HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: S JACK KESHTKAR

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 1113

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1120 VISTA GRANDE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420025013 / INVOICE NO: BN220001628

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their hazards two times.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 12:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: SHOEIBI MOHAMMAD A AND YASSAMIN F

MAILING ADDRESS: 8500 W SUNSET BLVD # E405

WEST HOLLYWOOD CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: 16832 CHARMEL LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420030010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001630

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims the no Notices of Noncompliance were received. Appellant also claims that their father's illness interfered with compliance.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: October 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because notice was properly mailed in the manner legally required. No mail was returned.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in July of 2021. A second inspection in October of 2021 revealed ongoing noncompliance. The inspector red posted the property with a Notice to Abate Fire Hazard and Public Nuisance in October of 2021. This was posted next to the front door of the residence. Appellant never performed clearance and the City Contractor had to clear the brush in November 2021. Appellant claims that the illness of Appellant's father caused the noncompliance in addition to never receiving any Notice. The Inspector provided photographs dated 10/11/2021 showing the red posted Notice to Abate Fire Hazard and Nuisance placed on Appellant's home. It is clearly visible, posted inches from the front door of the residence.

The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, among them were substantial brush growth on Appellant's property. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law. There is no record that the Appellant contacted the Inspector or Department before the Contractor Clearance to clear up any confusion as to Appellant's duties, compliance, or to request a continuance.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: WILLIAM GARLAND

MAILING ADDRESS: 1428 VIA ANITA

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1428 VIA ANITA

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420038005 / INVOICE NO: BN220001634

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their insurance company made them remove brush near their structure and that they hired a contractor to remove brush throughout their property.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: PALMIERI, VICTOR AND CATHRYN TRS PALMIERI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 01025 CAMINO REAL

REDONDO BEACH CA 90277

SITUS ADDRESS: 1437 VIA ANITA

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420038007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001636

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims that the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received. Appellant also asks for consideration in light of past compliance and the efforts to comply in the present case with the Department's current brush clearance requirements.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were mailed as legally required. No mail was returned.

Although Appellant claims that the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received, the Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. Moreover, the Appellant admits that the second Notice of Noncompliance was received, so the Department was mailing notice to the correct address. In addition, the Appellant provided no proof to overcome the presumption that the first Notice of Noncompliance was received.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, among them were substantial brush growth on Appellant's property. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

The First Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June of 2021 and the Second Notice issued in August of 2021. The brush was not completely cleared until December of 2021, after the first and second Notices of Noncompliance. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: KING,GRAHAM AND VALERIE A

MAILING ADDRESS: 01354 BELLA OCEANA VISTA

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1354 BELLA OCEANA VISTA

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420041004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001639

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says their gardener performed brush clearance between February 2022 and March 2022 removing all dead and dried up material. However, this Appeal relates to first and second Notices of Noncompliance in June 2021 and August 2021. NOTE: The Appellant provided a photo showing that the \$668 assessment for second noncompliance was paid already. This is apparently an appeal of that assessment. However, Appellant did not provide any statement other than the assertion that the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were not received.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

Although Appellant claims that none of the Notices of Noncompliance were received, the Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. In addition, the Appellant provided no proof to suggest a reason why the Department's mailings did not reach him. In fact, the Appellant apparently paid the \$668 invoice for the second Notice of Noncompliance. This shows the Department's mail was reaching Appellant.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard in June 2021 and August 2021, respectively. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

A reinspection in October 2021 shows that the Fire Inspector verified that clearance was completed by the Appellant. This was after the First Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June 2021 and the Second Notice issued in August 2021. Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: MILLER DENNIS A

MAILING ADDRESS: 1338 BELLA OCEANA VISTA

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1338 BELLA OCEANA VISTA

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4420041006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001640

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that LAFD is welcome to visit their property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: THOMAS LASSALLY

MAILING ADDRESS: 1349 MARINETTE RD

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1349 MARINETTE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4422031001 / INVOICE NO: BN220001644

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their hillside and trimmed their trees.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 69

NAME: IONEL MONDOCEA

MAILING ADDRESS: 1223 CAMPBELL ST

**GLENDALE CA 91207** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4422033010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001646

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive any notices and had to deal with several medical issues including COVID last year which delayed clearance. Appellant states they are elderly and on a fixed income.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 15:45 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: SAN FELIPE 1230 LLC C/O WILLIAM T MCGREGOR

MAILING ADDRESS: 9766 WILSHIRE BLVD STE 100

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90212** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4425003050 / INVOICE NO: BN220001649

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the trustee of the trust that owns the property became ill in October 2021 and died in January 2022 and the trust was unaware of any notices received by the trustee.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: NASSERI, IRAJ AND HOMA TRS NASSERI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 13544 D ESTE DR

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 13544 ESTE DR

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4425031006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001653

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received the first notice and instructed their gardener to clear the hazards and assumed they were as Appellant was out of the country for several months. When they returned, and not seeing a second notice, they still thought thinsg were fine but had the gardener do additional work when they understood more needed to be done.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: WEXNER, ADAM TR 1830 OLD ORCHARD TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 136 BEACH RD

**GLENCOE IL 60022** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 1830 OLD ORCHARD RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4426013017 / INVOICE NO: BN220001655

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the brush in August 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: MEHTA, NANCY

MAILING ADDRESS: 27 OAKMONT DRIVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90049 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 27 OAKMONT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4426022018 / INVOICE NO: BN220001656

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims to have received the first Notice of Noncompliance but not the second Notice. Appellant says brush clearance was performed in Oct 2021. The department issued the first Notice of Noncompliance in June 2021 and the second Notice of Noncompliance in July 2021.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. Appellant claims that the first Notice of Noncompliance was received, but not the second Notice. The Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. In addition, the Appellant provided no proof to suggest a reason why the Department's mail allegedly did not reach Appellant.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows that Fire Inspector inspected the property in June 2021 and July 2021 and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violation. The photos show a large property that had tall grasses, untrimmed bushes and somee dead and dry brush. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

The Appellant admits that brush clearance was not performed until October 2021. In addition, it appears that Appellant believes that brush clearance is required only in the areas around their residence. Appellant has a very large property that covers two Assessor's Parcel Numbers. Appellant needs to verify their property lines to ensure brush clearance is completed on all their property.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: MEHTA, ZUBIN AND NANCY

MAILING ADDRESS: 27 OAKMONT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 27 OAKMONT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4426022019 / INVOICE NO: BN220001657

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims admits receiving the first Notice of Noncompliance but not the second Notice. Appellant says

brush clearance was performed in Oct 2021. The department issued the first Notice of Noncompliance in June 2021 and the second Notice in July 2021.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: MITCHELL KUPCHAK

MAILING ADDRESS: 361 FORDYCE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 361 FORDYCE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4429019034 / INVOICE NO: BN220001658

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared the hazards as required after each notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 2, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: VERGE MARK (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: 1400 CALLE DEL JONELLA

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 1400 CALLE DEL JONELLA

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4431016016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001663

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor to clear their brush and after getting the second notice of noncompliance they hired a different contractor to complete the work.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: MOSTAFAVI, AMIR TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 528 PALISADES DR STE 220

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1407 MONTE GRANDE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4431026001 / INVOICE NO: BN220001667

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their homeowners' association was responsible for clearing the brush and confirmed to Appellant that they would do so.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: Loev Family Partnership

MAILING ADDRESS: 6300 WEST LOOP SOUTH STE 280

Bellaire TX 77401 United States

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4431038049 / INVOICE NO: BN220001671

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they foreclosed on the property at the end of June 2021 after the initial inspection at the beginning of June 2021 and that they received no notices to alert them to any issues and that notices likely went to the previous owners.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided documentaion showing the foreclosure and LAFD records show that the mailings went to obsolete addresses. Based on these factors, it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 23

NAME: WERNER, WILLIAM F JR CO TR WERNER FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 453 SURFVIEW DR

PACIFIC PALISADES CA 90272

SITUS ADDRESS: 453 SURFVIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90272

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4443019014 / INVOICE NO: BN220001679

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their gardener regularly removes hazards and that they have never seen LAFD at their property and feel the charges are not fair.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: STRIMOV, ARI CO TR STRIMOV FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 15512 ADAGIO CT

LOS ANGELES CA 90077

SITUS ADDRESS: 13123 GARDEN LAND RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4490016003 / INVOICE NO: BN220001682

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they closed escrow shortly after the first notice was sent and did not receive any notices and was unaware that the property to be cleared was theirs until advised by their title company. Appellant states they contacted LAFD and hired a contractor to clear the brush as required.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided documents showing their close of escrow shortly after the first notice was sent and LAFD records show that both notices went to the previous owner. Based on these factors, it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: CHAMMAS DANIEL B

MAILING ADDRESS: 2269 WESTRIDGE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 2269 WESTRIDGE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4492015004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001689

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says he is the new owner of the property and never received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Grant the Appeal: It is recommended that the Appeal be Granted and the Assessment be reversed.

Appellant says he is the new owner of the property and never received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance. The Department's records show that Appellant was not the property owner at the time the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were issued. The Appellant's mailing address was not on file when the Notices were issued.

The Appeal should be granted and the Assessment reversed.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: MOYER, WILLIAM S AND KILEY K TRS WILLIAM AND KILEY MOYER

**TRUST** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 2538 LA CONDESA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 2538 LA CONDESA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4492019003 / INVOICE NO: BN220001690

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did additional work after the first noncompliance notice and cleared up an issue with LAFD regarding their property lines upon bid day.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: BRENTWOOD COUNTRY ESTATES ASSN

MAILING ADDRESS: 13637 HAWTHORNE BLVD

HAWTHORNE CA 90049 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 2398 N MANDEVILLE CYN RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4493005031 / INVOICE NO: BN220001693

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they needed access through their neighbor's property which was delayed due to construction on their neighbor's property.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: KENTER INVESTMENT LAND LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 01777 WESTRIDGE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4494022036 / INVOICE NO: BN220001700

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a brush contractor to clear the property and that the property is under construction and nobody else has accessed the property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 19

NAME: CRESTWOOD HILLS ASSOCIATION INC

MAILING ADDRESS: 986 HANLEY AVENUE

LOS ANGELES CA 90049 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 4494023039 / INVOICE NO: BN220001701

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their initial clearance was delayed due to COVID and that they were unsure what else needed clearing after their second notice. After talking to LAFD, they waited until the next year to finish their clearance. Further, they thought part of the property needing to be cleared belonged to a neighbor and not them.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: ABOUAF, HENRY AND SONDRA AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 00000 PO BOX 661205

LOS ANGELES CA 90066

SITUS ADDRESS: 4445 DON TOMASO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5027004006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001709

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the fire hazards were cleared in August and that they had talked to LAFD.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: HALL CHRISTOPHER R AND ASIA

MAILING ADDRESS: 4523 DON QUIXOTE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4523 DON QUIXOTE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5027005008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001711

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they asked LAFD for photos of their hazards and weren't provided any and that the website did not show any either.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: LAVERNE N TILLIS

MAILING ADDRESS: 4529 DON QUIXOTE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4529 DON QUIXOTE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5027005009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001712

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice and that they have a locked gate and nobody came to inspect their property as far as they know.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: BEAVER, GISELE S AND JOE R TR BEAVER TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4516 DON QUIXOTE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4516 DON QUIXOTE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5027012008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001714

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: MCGARY, JAMES E AND FAITH F TRS JAMES AND FAITH MCGARY

**TRUST** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 4209 DON JOSE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4209 DON JOSE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5028008008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001717

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant admits to receiving both Notices of Noncompliance.

However, Appellant says the delay in complying was due to financial hardship.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. The Notices contained contact information where the Department and Inspector could be reached. There is no record of Appellant reaching out to arrange a date by which compliance could be completed.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June 2021 and Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued July 2021 both because of the fire hazard. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant claims financial hardship but provides no proof other than Appellant's own claims. If the Appellant had reached out, perhaps a compliance plan could have ensured brush clearance within an agreed upon time frame.

Every failed inspection results in a Notice of Noncompliance. Each Notice of Noncompliance causes an Assessment to be charged. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly. For the above reasons, it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be denied and the assessment be enforced.

HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 15:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: HANNERB4SUCCESS LLC C/O BARRINGTON MALCOLM

MAILING ADDRESS: 256 ROBERTSON BLVD # 7396

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90211** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4201 DON JOSE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5028008009 / INVOICE NO: BN220001718

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have been experiencing financial hardship and did not complete their clearance until 2022.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: KARROUM, GEORGE CO TR GEORGE AND SONIA KARROUM TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4165 MARCASEL AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90066

SITUS ADDRESS: 4283 DON CARLOS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5028009001 / INVOICE NO: BN220001719

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their son paid a contractor to clear all hazards and that they were cleared in May.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: DESSALEGN WOLDEMARIAM

MAILING ADDRESS: 4251 DON CARLOS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4251 DON CARLOS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5028009006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001720

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor to remove all fire hazards and are not clear on what further work needed to be done.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: October 14, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: ROLAND JEFFERSON

MAILING ADDRESS: 4548 DON RODOLFO PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4548 DON RODOLFO PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5028013002 / INVOICE NO: BN220001722

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their brush the day after they got their first notice and didn't get a second notice. Additionally, Appellant states their husband is ill and that slowed down the clearance.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: JARVIS E GATLIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 2124 PASEO DEL MAR

PALOS VERDES ESTATES CA 90274

SITUS ADDRESS: 4551 DON MILAGRO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5028014004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001724

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had their brush cleared after receiving their frist notice but the contractor was delayed due to COVID and that the bottom part of the hill was owned by their neighbor.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: LAWRENCE, JOHN J III

MAILING ADDRESS: 04529 DON DIEGO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4529 DON DIEGO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5028017017 / INVOICE NO: BN220001728

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they regularly maintain the brush on their property but their efforts were delayed last year after they got COVID. Appellant states they cleared the brush after each notice and feels the inspections are subjective.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: ARTER, LEE C TR LEE C ARTER TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5221 EL MIRADOR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 5221 EL MIRADOR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5029023010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001737

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired contractors on several dates to clear all fire hazards.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: AARON J COHEN

MAILING ADDRESS: 5211 VERONICA STREET

LOS ANGELES CA 90008 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 5211 VERONICA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5029024015 / INVOICE NO: BN220001739

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they did not receive their first notice, stating that it was delivered to the wrong address. Appellant states that they contacted LAFD to update where their notices are sent.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. No return mail was received. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: FINKS, DELORES M TR DELORES M FINKS TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5205 EL MIRADOR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 5205 EL MIRADOR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5029029012 / INVOICE NO: BN220001740

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says that the large dead tree that was the focus of the second Notice of Noncompliance is NOT her tree. Appellant provided photos of the large dead tree that matched the one in the Inspector's photos. Appellant's photos show a concrete divider that matches the Assessor's Map of the property line. But for the large dead tree, the property appears otherwise compliant as of the second Notice of Noncompliance.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 27, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Grant the Appeal: it is recommended that the assessment be reversed.

The property that contains the large dead tree has an address of 5122 Veronica Street, Los Angeles, CA 90008. The Appellant's photos show a ground-level concrete divider that is consistent with the property line that divides Appellant's property on 5205 El Mirador with 5122 Veronica Street, as shown on the Assessor's Map. Other GPS maps were consulted for comparison as well. Interestingly, older mapping photos show a luxuriant green, large tree which matches exactly the large dead tree found near the border of 5205 El Mirador and 5122 Veronica Street. But, it is clear that the dead tree in located on 5122 Veronica Street property, not the Appellant's property. The Appeal should be granted.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: BOONE TONY L

MAILING ADDRESS: 5100 VERONICA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 5104 VERONICA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5029029016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001741

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor to clear their brush after their first notice and were surprised to get a second notice, whereupon they contacted LAFD regarding the remaining hazards. Further, Appellant stated a tree at issue was the responsibility of LADWP and provided a notice that LADWP would trim it during regular maintenance scheduling.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: October 12, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: BENJAMIN FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4122 DON DIABLO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4122 DON DIABLO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5031009011 / INVOICE NO: BN220001749

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that after receiving a second notice of noncompliance, they clarified what needed to be done with LAFD and had it cleared.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: SHUMATE, DIEDRA TR DIEDRA SHUMATE TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4234 DON DIABLO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 4234 DON DIABLO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5031009019 / INVOICE NO: BN220001751

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and cleared their property after receiving a second notice.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Records show that the first notice went to the same address as the second notice and no return mail was received. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 94

NAME: JACQUELINE COATS

MAILING ADDRESS: 3938 DON DIABLO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

SITUS ADDRESS: 3938 DON DIABLO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90008

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5031011001 / INVOICE NO: BN220001752

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and have been experiencing financial hardships the last couple of years.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: LANSING, JANICE TR JANICE LANSING TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 12205 CARMEL VISTA RD UNIT 243

SAN DIEGO CA 92130 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3123 JOHNSTON ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90031

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5206015008 / INVOICE NO: BN220001762

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had to return to the U.S. from overseas and then quarantine and then their contractor they hired to clear the brush was only able to do it part way until they got COVID and the clearance was delayed further until they found another contractor to finish the job. Appellant states they also got COVID.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 1

NAME: SIBRIAN CARLOS

MAILING ADDRESS: 308 1/2 N 2ND ST

**MONTEBELLO CA 90640** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5206018013 / INVOICE NO: BN220001765

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were out of the country and did not get the LAFD notices but on their return they hired a contractor who cleared the brush as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 1

NAME: NO STUDIO DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 30605 RUE LANGLOIS

RANCHO PALOS VERDES CA 90275 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5206019007 / INVOICE NO: BN220001768

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed there was insufficient notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: GURROLA,MANUEL R

MAILING ADDRESS: 01022 MUSCATEL AVE

ROSEMEAD CA 91770

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5207030010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001781

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive their first notice but cleared all hazards after the second notice.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. No return mail was received. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: MACIAS, REYNALDO A TR REYNALDO A MACIAS TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3653 GILLIG AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90031

SITUS ADDRESS: 3653 GILLIG AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90031

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5207031024 / INVOICE NO: BN220001783

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that she and her siblings are trying to take care of her 91 year old father's affairs. Appellant states her father received no notices and that when the property was posted she called LAFD for clarification but never heard back.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: AMETHYST HOMES LLC MAILING ADDRESS: 3972 SAN BONITO AVE

LOS ALAMITOS CA 90720

SITUS ADDRESS: 3216 AMETHYST ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5209013033 / INVOICE NO: BN220001817

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a second notice and hired a contractor to clear the brush as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: MARTINEZ ADRIAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 903 REGAL CANYON DR

**WALNUT CA 91789** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 2851 FOREST PARK DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5209017016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001828

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not get a second noncompliance notice but that they cleared their brush and will continue to do so on a regular basis.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 23, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: NUNEZ, CARLA TR BRAVO NUNEZ FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 14523 S CASTLEGATE AVE

EAST RANCHO DOMINGUEZ CA 90221

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5209023004 / INVOICE NO: BN220001842

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not own the property during the inspections so they never had notice of them.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided documents showing they purchased the property in November 2021 which was after the inspection and notice dates, therefore they did not have due process. It is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: NUNEZ, CARLA TR BRAVO NUNEZ FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 14523 S CASTLEGATE AVE

EAST RANCHO DOMINGUEZ CA 90221

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5209023005 / INVOICE NO: BN220001843

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not own the property at the time of the inspections so they received no notices and provided supporting documents.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided documents showing they purchased the property in November 2021 which was after the inspection and notice dates, therefore they did not have due process. It is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: PARKMAN APARTMENTS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 09744 WILSHIRE BLVD UNIT 303

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90212

SITUS ADDRESS: 4127 SUPREME CT

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5209035006 / INVOICE NO: BN220001853

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they contracted to have the brush cleared as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: LORRI AND ESPINOSA

MAILING ADDRESS: 50 COUNTY RD #106

ESPANOLA NM 87532 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3306 N KENNETH DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5213027005 / INVOICE NO: BN220001857

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they lived elsewhere last year due to COVID but had their gardener clear their brush while they were gone.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 15:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: TEKLETSION, TESHOME CO TR TEKLETSION AND AKLILE TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 17722 THORNLAKE AVE

ARTESIA CA 90701

SITUS ADDRESS: 4446 East Otero Dr

El Sereno Ca 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5214010022 / INVOICE NO: BN220001883

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant admits receiving the first Notice of Noncompliance but says that the second Notice of Noncompliance was not received. Appellant says he did not know what was required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. The Notices contained contact information where the Department and Inspector could be reached. There is no record of Appellant reaching out to clarify what needed to be done. In addition, each Notice of Noncompliance specifies the type of violation that is being alleged so that the homeowner can perform the brush clearance required.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in May 2021 and Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued July 2021 both because of the fire hazard. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Every failed inspection results in a Notice of Noncompliance. Each Notice of Noncompliance causes an Assessment to be charged. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly.

For the above reasons, it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be denied and the assessment be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 16

NAME: MIAMAR FUTURE, LLC AND FURNITOPIA LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 13330 CORBY AVENUE

NORWALK CA 90650 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5215029025 / INVOICE NO: BN220001888

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and hired a contractor to clear the brush as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 16

NAME: MACIAS FRANCISCO J

MAILING ADDRESS: 9650 HELENA AVE

**MONTCLAIR CA 91763** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5216015031 / INVOICE NO: BN220001896

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that most of the brush is on a neighboring property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 16

NAME: TORO SPEC LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 5936 NORMANDY DR

CALABASAS CA 91302

SITUS ADDRESS: 2850 CHADWICK CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5217004010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001913

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims no Notices of Noncompliance were received. Appellant says that brush clearance is usually performed but this was delayed because no Notices were received.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: October 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: October 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. Although Appellant claims that no Notices were received, the Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. In addition, the Appellant provided no proof to suggest a reason why the Department's mail did not reach Appellant.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property on October 2, 2021 and October 27, 2021 and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 16

NAME: TONG, MARVIN C TR MARVIN C TONG TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 02661 ROUND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

SITUS ADDRESS: 2661 ROUND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5217014010 / INVOICE NO: BN220001915

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received. Appellant says brush clearance was performed in May 2021 before the first inspection. Appellant believed the brush clearance was sufficient and shows photos. Appellant argues the property line ends where Appellant completed clearance. But, Appellant also argues the vagueness of the property line may mean some brush was missed. Appellant asks for consideration due to the vagueness of the property line and additional clearance after the second Notice that passed inspection.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. Although Appellant claims that the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received, the Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. In addition, the Appellant provided no proof to suggest a reason why the Department's mail did not reach him.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property in June 2021 and August 2021 and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, among them tall, dry brush between 12 to 24 inches in height. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Regarding the vagueness of the property line claimed by Appellant. The Appellant's property line extends more that 120 feet from the street to the rear neighbor's chain link fence. The Appellant's brush clearance effort stopped around 80 feet from the street.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 16

NAME: SESTIAGA, ANDRES AND LILLIAN W

MAILING ADDRESS: 02665 ROUND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

SITUS ADDRESS: 2665 ROUND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5217014011 / INVOICE NO: BN220001916

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims that no Notices of Noncompliance were received. Appellant says brush clearance was performed before the first inspection. Appellant argues the property line ends at the location of Appellant's backyard yucca plants. The yucca plants is where the brush clearance efforts ended. Appellant provided photos.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

Although Appellant claims that no Notices were received, the Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. In addition, the Appellant provided no proof to suggest a reason why the Department's mail did not reach Appellant.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property in June 2021 and August 2021 and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, among them tall, dry brush between 12 to 24 inches in height. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Regarding the true property line, the Appellant's property line extends more that 110 feet from the street to the area of the rear neighbor's chain link fence. The Appellant's brush clearance effort stopped around 70 feet from the street, where the yucca plants are located. A property owner is presumed to know where their property line is and is responsible for all of their property, not just some of it.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 16

NAME: PANOSIAN, CAMELIA

MAILING ADDRESS: 00333 RIVERDALE DR # 17

GLENDALE CA 91204

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5217015013 / INVOICE NO: BN220001917

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear the brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 12

NAME: KIM SEONG B AND CHOUNG S MAILING ADDRESS: 3450 WILSHIRE BLVD STE 1000

LOS ANGELES CA 90010

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5301017026 / INVOICE NO: BN220001933

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in 2020 and were unaware of the brush clearance requirements. Appellant states that he did not receive notifications of noncompliance in 2021.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. LAFD confirmed Appellant's mailing address and no return mail was received. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 12:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: HUEN, TONY S CO TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 3441 STREAMSIDE CIRCLE APT 104

PLEASANTON CA 94588 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5304033027 / INVOICE NO: BN220001950

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved and the LAFD notices went to their old property, but once alerted to the notices by their realtor, Appellant had the fire hazards cleared from the property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: HUEN, TONY S CO TR TONY HUEN AND JINXIA JIA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7841 GALWAY COURT

DUBLIN CA 94568 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5304033028 / INVOICE NO: BN220001951

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved and the LAFD notices went to their old property, but once alerted to the notices by their realtor, Appellant had the fire hazards cleared from the property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: HUEN, TONY S CO TR TONY HUEN AND JINXIA JIA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 7841 GALWAY COURT

DUBLIN CA 94568 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5304033029 / INVOICE NO: BN220001952

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved and the LAFD notices went to their old property, but once alerted to the notices by their realtor, Appellant had the fire hazards cleared from the property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: HUEN, TONY S CO TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 3441 STREAMSIDE CIRCLE APT 104

PLEASANTON CA 94588 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5304033030 / INVOICE NO: BN220001953

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved and the LAFD notices went to their old property, but once alerted to the notices by their realtor, Appellant had the fire hazards cleared from the property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: HUEN, TONY S CO TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 3441 STREAMSIDE CIRCLE APT 104

PLEASANTON CA 94588 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5304033031 / INVOICE NO: BN220001954

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved and the LAFD notices went to their old property, but once alerted to the notices by their realtor, Appellant had the fire hazards cleared from the property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: HUEN, TONY S CO TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 3441 STREAMSIDE CIRCLE APT 104

PLEASANTON CA 94588 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5304033032 / INVOICE NO: BN220001955

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved and the LAFD notices went to their old property, but once alerted to the notices by their realtor, Appellant had the fire hazards cleared from the property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: GALO JOSE D AND LARA ANA L

MAILING ADDRESS: 111 S DILLON ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90057

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5305013021 / INVOICE NO: BN220001958

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they purchased the property in July 2021, after the first inspection and notice was sent out and that no notices were received and provided documents showing the date of their purchase.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided records showing they purchased the property after the initial inspection and notice of noncompliance so that they did not have due process. It is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: MACAPAGAL, CHOCOLATE J

MAILING ADDRESS: 4310 RAYNOL ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

SITUS ADDRESS: 4310 RAYNOL ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5305018016 / INVOICE NO: BN220001962

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant admits the first Notice of Noncompliance was received but claims the second Notice was not. Appellant says brush clearance has been performed every year including 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: October 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

Appellant claims that the first Notice of Noncompliance was received, but not the second Notice. The Evidence Code provides that a properly mailed letter is presumed to have been received. In addition, the Appellant provided no proof to suggest a reason why the Department's mail allegedly did not reach Appellant.

Regarding the facts of Appellant's noncompliance, the Appellant is ignoring the very dry, large dead tree on their property. Each of the Inspector's Notices of Noncompliance identified that dead trees must be removed as part of brush clearance. Each Notice contains contact information if a homeowner is needs help understanding what is required. There is no evidence that the Appellant reached out regarding compliance questions.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property in October 2021 and November 2021 and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance and Second Notice of Noncompliance were issued because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violation, especially the very dry, large dead tree on Appellant's property.

The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment has been calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: ARAKI, JUNICHI AND MISAKO TRS ARAKI FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 605 MAREK DR

MONTEBELLO CA 90640

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5307003013 / INVOICE NO: BN220001993

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor to clear their brush but the contractor cleared areas outside of their property lines, causing them to miss areas inside their property lines which they had surveyed so it didn't happen again.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 47

NAME: RIVERA DANIEL J AND HOOKER EMILY A

MAILING ADDRESS: 4420 RICHARD CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

SITUS ADDRESS: 4420 RICHARD CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90032

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5309011018 / INVOICE NO: BN220002000

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they did not receive the first notice and that they cleared the property within 20 days of the second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the appeal be granted. The record shows Appellant's first notice was returned to LAFD. Appellant was not aware of the first notice as it was apparently sent to the previous owner. For these reasons the assessment should be dismissed and the appeal granted.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: FELY B CRUZ

MAILING ADDRESS: 2279 COVE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

SITUS ADDRESS: 2279 COVE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5422013011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002031

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a second notice of noncompliance and that they had their gardener remove the brush and provided photos.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: June 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 20

NAME: MELLATNAVAZ,REZA

MAILING ADDRESS: 02133 FARGO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

SITUS ADDRESS: 2133 FARGO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5422021014 / INVOICE NO: BN220002035

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have a gardener who regulary removes any hazards.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 20

NAME: WARD, ADAM H CO TR WARD FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 18650 WITHEY RD

**MONTE SERENO CA 95030** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5423017017 / INVOICE NO: BN220002036

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the brush prior to the start of construction on the property in January 2021 and that they did not receive a second notice of noncompliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 20

NAME: JOSE SANCHEZ

MAILING ADDRESS: 1418 ALLESANDRO ST ABC

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

SITUS ADDRESS: 1418 ALLESANDRO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5424028005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002037

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they contacted LAFD to clarify what needed to be done after the first notice and thereafter cleared their hazards.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 20

NAME: GORCO LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 4712 ADMIRALTY WAY # 521

MARINA DEL REY CA 90292

SITUS ADDRESS: 1508 MICHELTORENA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5425002016 / INVOICE NO: BN220002039

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that all work was completed before the first notice and the only remaining item was tree trimming which was delayed due to the difficulty in finding a contractor during COVID and that the work was completed a week after the due date.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 20

NAME: LE TI BEBE LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 2657 LOCKSLEY PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

SITUS ADDRESS: 1316 WESTERLY TER

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5426002027 / INVOICE NO: BN220002040

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a gardener to clear the hazards after each notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 35

NAME: JENSEN MORTEN R

MAILING ADDRESS: 1807 MICHELTORENA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

SITUS ADDRESS: 1807 MICHELTORENA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5429029013 / INVOICE NO: BN220002043

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in November 2021, after the inspections and notices were sent out, and they provided supporting documents.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided documents showing they purchased the property in November 2021 after the inspections and notices were sent to the previous owner, therefore Appellant did not have due process. It is recommended that the Appellant's appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 35

NAME: NATAF, ADRIANA TR ADRIANA NATAF TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1817 MICHELTORENA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

SITUS ADDRESS: 1817 MICHELTORENA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5429029015 / INVOICE NO: BN220002044

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they never received any notices and cleared the brush after seeing the inspection fees and have kept it cleared since.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 16, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 35

NAME: DELROSARIO, MARCO V AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 01838 DELOZ AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

SITUS ADDRESS: 1838 DELOZ AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5433013011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002060

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor to remove the hazards after receiving notices of noncompliance and exchanging emails with LAFD.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 35

NAME: GALLO, CHRISTOPHER

MAILING ADDRESS: 03860 FRANKLIN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90027 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3860 FRANKLIN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5433014011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002063

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they contracted to have their property cleared after each notice and cites financial hardship in having to pay any additional assessments.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 23, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: RUKSENAS, JOHN AND GIEDRAITIS RUKSENAS, TERESA

MAILING ADDRESS: 03824 TRACY ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

SITUS ADDRESS: 3824 TRACY ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5433020009 / INVOICE NO: BN220002073

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice but did receive a second and hired a contractor to clear their hazards.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 25, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: ANA ESTATES LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 573036

TARZANA CA 91357

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LAND 2296 N SILVER RIDGE AVENUE

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5440020015 / INVOICE NO: BN220002093

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the office where the notices were sent was closed due to COVID and that they couldn't find anyone to hire to clear the brush due to COVID and that they slowly cleared it themselves.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: MARKOV ALEXANDRA AND WALL ANGUS

MAILING ADDRESS: 2308 BROADWAY

SANTA MONICA CA 90404

SITUS ADDRESS: 1903 LANDA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5443012003 / INVOICE NO: BN220002100

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the received no notices as they only purchased the property in August 2021 and have since done the clearance

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. No proof of change of ownership was provided. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: JENNINGS, THOMAS D

MAILING ADDRESS: 02350 ALLESANDRO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

SITUS ADDRESS: 2350 ALLESANDRO ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90039

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5443028037 / INVOICE NO: BN220002110

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their clearance was delayed due to COVID but that they completed the work as required.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: CRUZ,ROMEL

MAILING ADDRESS: 9229 SEPULVEDA BLVD UNIT 222

NORTH HILLS CA 91343

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5443034030 / INVOICE NO: BN220002114

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have experienced financial difficulties because of COVID and the loss of their job and that they have been diagnosed with several medical issues.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: BONILLA, LUIS AND ANNA L

MAILING ADDRESS: 07810 RHODES AVE

NORTH HOLLYWOOD CA 91605

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451017001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002115

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received any noncompliance notices.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. No return mail was received. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: MARIA D VENCES

MAILING ADDRESS: 3101 S FAIRVIEW STREET SPC 82

SANTA ANA CA 92704 United States

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451017005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002116

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not know their property lines until their son drove them to the site, whereupon they met and hired a contractor to clear the brush.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: November 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: .

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: VALLE, JUAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 01412 E 71ST ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90001

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451017017 / INVOICE NO: BN220002118

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated tthe owner died. Appellant not aware his brother even owned this property. Long probate estate.

## DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

The appeal is granted in full. The non compliance fee is waiver.

HEARING DATE: July 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: YI SONG MIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 16604 27TH AVE

FLUSHING NY 11358

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451019006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002122

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they got no response from LAFD as to what needed to be done.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: KORSHIYA,LOSIF

MAILING ADDRESS: 05922 CARLTON WAY UNIT 102

LOS ANGELES CA 90028

SITUS ADDRESS: Vacant Lot Below 3910 W Point Dr

Los Angeles CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451020005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002128

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says he completed brush clearance on July 22, 2021. The first Notice of Noncompliance was issued on May 24, 2021 and the second Notice of Noncompliance was issued on July 19, 2021. Appellant admits receipt of both Notices. However, Appellant explains that a financial hardship prevented earlier compliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in May 2021 and Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, to wit, untrimmed tree branches, dead tree branches and dry brush 8 to 12 inches high. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant says he had financial hardship but does not provide proof of financial hardship. In addition, there is no evidence that Appellant reached out to the Department to discuss compliance scheduling and his financial situation.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: BONE RODERICK V

MAILING ADDRESS: 11956 CULVER BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90066

SITUS ADDRESS: Vacant Lot Above 3948 Glenalbyn Dr

Los Angeles CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451020015 / INVOICE NO: BN220002131

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had their brush cleared in June 2021 and did not receive a second notice of violation and feels the assessment is in error.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: LYON NAUREEN Z AND ANDREW

MAILING ADDRESS: 3926 W POINT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3926 W POINT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451020025 / INVOICE NO: BN220002134

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices because their mail is unreliable and that they hired a contractor to clear their property once they understood more needed to be done.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: NOBLE,MARCELINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 03914 W POINT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3914 W POINT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451020028 / INVOICE NO: BN220002135

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they were out of the country for a couple of weeks and that they had to hire another gardener to do the work since their usual gardener is older and was in Mexico and that they cleared their property in October 2021 when they had Rolling Stones tickets.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: September 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: October 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: CHERRY AVENUE DELOVPEMENT INC

MAILING ADDRESS: 903 REGAL CYN DRIVE

WALNUT CA 91789 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451020034 / INVOICE NO: BN220002137

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the site is under construction on a hillside that used to have brush.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: September 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: October 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: KORSHIYA,LOSIF

MAILING ADDRESS: 05922 CARLTON WAY UNIT 102

LOS ANGELES CA 90028

SITUS ADDRESS: Vacant LOT Below 3904 W Point Dr

Los Angeles CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451021012 / INVOICE NO: BN220002139

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says he completed brush clearance on July 22, 2021. The first Notice of Noncompliance was issued

on May 24, 2021 and the second Notice of Noncompliance was issued on July 19, 2021. Appellant admits

receipt of both Notices. However, Appellant explains that a financial hardship prevented earlier compliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be

confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in May 2021 and Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, to wit, untrimmed tree branches, dead tree branches and dry brush 8 to 12 inches high. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant says he had financial hardship but does not provide proof of financial hardship. In addition, there is no evidence that Appellant reached out to the Department to discuss compliance scheduling and his financial situation.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: JAY,BRUCE

MAILING ADDRESS: 01910 HILLHURST AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5451022031 / INVOICE NO: BN220002140

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received any noncompliance notices.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. No return mail was received. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: JORDAN, DAVID S AND JULIANNE K

MAILING ADDRESS: 1955 WILTON PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90068 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 628 ETTA ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5452004006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002150

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their second notice of noncompliance indicated an area that they hadn't been required to clear before and is beyond their fence.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: September 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: BEN BULATAO

MAILING ADDRESS: 2212 VIA VELARDO 5

RANCHO PALO VERDES CA 90275 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5452004027 / INVOICE NO: BN220002154

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant was child of owner who died.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

The appeal is granted, Apellant provided sufficient evidence to grant the appeal.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: MADDEN, LA VERNE L TR LA VERNE L MADDEN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3659 GLENALBYN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3659 GLENALBYN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5452006015 / INVOICE NO: BN220002160

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the photos in the file are not their property but their neighbor's and that they are not responsible for it.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. It was not shown that LAFD had the wrong photos of a neighboring property. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: LEIMBERG, ERIC TR ERIC LEIMBERT TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2391 COLORADO BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90041

SITUS ADDRESS: 554 LOTUS ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5452006016 / INVOICE NO: BN220002161

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor and cleared their brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: LIU NANCY

MAILING ADDRESS: 8316 GARIBALDI AVE

SAN GABRIEL CA 91775

SITUS ADDRESS: 3581 North Glenalbyn Dr

Glassell Park Ca 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5452018001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002164

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush after receiving a notice of noncompliance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 4, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: LIU NANCY ET AL CHONG YANG

MAILING ADDRESS: 8316 GARIBALDI AVE

SAN GABRIEL CA 91775

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5452019014 / INVOICE NO: BN220002169

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor and had their hazards cleared as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: CARTER, GAY AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 01305 ISABEL ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1305 ISABEL ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5454009009 / INVOICE NO: BN220002179

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were late getting their brush cleared but did so and were surprised to get a second notice of noncompliance only to learn that a small area in front of their house was not in compliance and then they cleared that.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: BELTRAN, ROSA M TR ROSA M BELTRAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 830 N RAMPART BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90026

SITUS ADDRESS: 1329 ISABEL ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5454009014 / INVOICE NO: BN220002180

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their brush after receiving their first notice and were surpirsed to get a second notice, feeling that they had cleared the brush as required.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: October 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: ARATA, MICHAEL A CO TR M ARATA AND P JONES TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 930 W AVENUE 37

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5454019008 / INVOICE NO: BN220002204

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they saw LAFD contracted crews clear their lot and an adjacent lot last year.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: KJORNESS, WENDY

MAILING ADDRESS: 13619 HATTERAS ST

VALLEY GLEN CA 91401

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5454021014 / INVOICE NO: BN220002217

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hire a contractor yearly and always pass inspection and they don't understand why they didn't pass this time, even on the follow-up inspection until they finally did. Appellant states they have mobility issues and can't walk the property themselves.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: KJORNESS, WENDY

MAILING ADDRESS: 13619 HATTERAS ST

VALLEY GLEN CA 91401

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5454021024 / INVOICE NO: BN220002220

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hire a contractor yearly and always pass inspection and they don't understand why they didn't pass this time, even on the follow-up inspection until they finally did. Appellant states they have mobility issues and can't walk the property themselves.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: KJORNESS,WENDY

MAILING ADDRESS: 13619 HATTERAS ST

VALLEY GLEN CA 91401

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5454021025 / INVOICE NO: BN220002221

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hire a contractor yearly and always pass inspection and they don't understand why they didn't pass this time, even on the follow-up inspection until they finally did. Appellant states they have mobility issues and can't walk the property themselves.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: LUONG, VINH X

MAILING ADDRESS: 03128 ISABEL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5455005016 / INVOICE NO: BN220002223

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush has been cleared multiple times on his property. Notices were sent and Appellant contacted the Department to figure out why violations occurred. Email exchanges occurred.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 7, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Grant the Appeal: It is recommended that the Appeal be Granted and the Assessment reversed.

It is likely that the Appellant did not perform clearance as scheduled. That is because most of the property owners in that area are not fully complying as shown in aerial photos. However, the Appellant reached out to the Department for guidance as to what clearance was to be performed and where. Unfortunately, the photographs of the Inspector were insufficient to identify what the violation was and where. The Inspector took the photos from an different street than the street on which the Appellant's property is located. This may have been convenient due to slopes but the Inspector should have had a stronger lens to get a better closeup from that distance. Instead, the violations appear to be on land adjacent to Burnell Drive where the photos were taken, rather than on Isabel Drive where the Appellant's property is located. If the either party realized the confusion over the Inspector's photos, the Inspector could have returned to the property to get better photos or made an appointment with the Appellant to identify the issues. Because of the inaccuracy of the photos, there is insufficient evidence to impose the Assessment. The property should be reinspected and the Inspector should climb into the property to verify Appellant's compliance because preventing fire danger is the real purpose of enforcing fire regulations and brush clearance. The Appeal should be Granted.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: OROZCO ANDRES

MAILING ADDRESS: 816 ESTON ST

CAMARILLO CA 93010 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5455011006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002228

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their gardener couldn't compete the work because they had COVID in June 2021 and Appellant couldn't find another available gardener at the time, but their regular gardener recovered and did it in July 2021.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: NELSON,AMY E

MAILING ADDRESS: 3162 CARLYLE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3162 CARLYLE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5456008007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002237

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were surprised to receive both notices of noncompliance after working to clear the property after each one and that they could not reach LAFD due to COVID protocols.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 12:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: MITCHELL GRASSI

MAILING ADDRESS: 1880 CENTURY PARK E STE 1600

LOS ANGELES CA 90067 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3155 CARLYLE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5456009022 / INVOICE NO: BN220002240

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant paid for brush clearance on 7/28/2021 and 5/6/2022. However, The first and second Notices of Noncompliance predate those dates. The first Notice of Noncompliance was issued on June 2, 2021 and the second Notice of Noncompliance was issued on July 16, 2021.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June 2021 and Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The most obvious violation and pointed out by the Inspector was a tree with many dead and dry vine branches engulfing it.

Failed inspections delay Fire Inspectors from moving on to other properties to ensure fire safety for all. Failed inspections require future inspections. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: TORRES,THERESA AND VELASCO,RONALD

MAILING ADDRESS: 03850 RODERICK RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3850 RODERICK RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5458031024 / INVOICE NO: BN220002245

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and had to deal with COVID and that they have since hired someone to clear their brush.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: SANCHEZ SANDRA E

MAILING ADDRESS: 3836 YORK BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3836 YORK BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5459017011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002248

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they and their whole family experienced health issues and they were not able to focus on their brush clearance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: JENNIFER TERRAZAS

MAILING ADDRESS: 3600 KINNEY CIR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3621 MIMOSA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5460004010 / INVOICE NO: BN220002250

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have always been in compliance before and take it very seriously and that their mother is older and on a fixed income.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: CREASON, GLEN

MAILING ADDRESS: 03637 LAVELL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3637 LAVELL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5460011053 / INVOICE NO: BN220002260

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they removed the hazards identified in each notice of noncompliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: DELLAMICO, DUANE D AND SILVER, DEBORAH L

MAILING ADDRESS: 03726 KINNEY ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5460014012 / INVOICE NO: BN220002264

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their property of hazards after each notice and contacted the LAFD regarding correct property boundaries but did not hear back.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: DELLAMICO, DUANE D AND SILVER, DEBORAH L

MAILING ADDRESS: 03726 KINNEY ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3726 KINNEY ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5460014020 / INVOICE NO: BN220002265

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received a first and second notice of noncompliance and provided emails to LAFD showing they were making a good faith effort to comply and continued their clearance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: MINDY C RUTIGLIANO

MAILING ADDRESS: 6900 West ACCO STREET

MONTEBELLO CA 90640 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5460016016 / INVOICE NO: BN220002268

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in February 2021 and the notices went to the former owner's address.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: GUTIERREZ,FRANCISCO

MAILING ADDRESS: 03720 ACKERMAN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3720 ACKERMAN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5460021028 / INVOICE NO: BN220002279

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice and they had hired a contractor who cleared their brush before the deadline and that the pictures taken by LAFD are of their neighbor's property. Appellant also states they lost their job and the assessment is a financial hardship.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: BALDERRAMA, ROBERT CO TR BALDERRAMA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 0 PO BOX 895

LA CANADA FLINTRIDGE CA 91012

SITUS ADDRESS: 3734 N BARRYKNOLL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5460023017 / INVOICE NO: BN220002284

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush clearance was performed at the end of April 2021 and reinspected his property after the first Notice of Noncompliance and found that his property was still in a state of clearance. Appellant contacted the Department and ultimately was told that his property included a strip of grasses that was in an area that he believes is within his neighbor's property. The Department walked the property and used GPS to determine that the small slice of brush was located on Appellant's property.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Reverse the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment be reversed.

GPS does not determine property boundaries, only a surveyor can do that. That said, GPS coordinates that are well within property boundaries or supported by markings or fencing are probably sufficient. In this case, there are no markings that are referenced by the Department and there is an active dispute about the boundaries of the Appellant's parcel between the Appellant and the adjacent property owner. In addition, the Appellant demostrated that brush clearance is a priority and stayed in contact with the Department by letters and emails. The Department made a finding regarding regarding the property line and Appellant then immediately cleared the offending strip of grasses. Legally, this is actually a Quiet Title situation, meaning the property line is questionable. It is good that the brush is now clear and that Appellant accepted responsibility based upon the Department's opinion. Appellant now has the obligation include the disputed strip in future brush clearance efforts because Appellant is on notice that the Department has made a finding that the strip of brush is on Appellant's property. Appellant must file a Quiet Title action in the future to dispute the now presumptive property line. OR, as the Department suggested, Appellant may hire a surveyor if Appellant wants to challenge the property line in the future.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: GLASSMITH, ZACHARY AND JANIE TRS GLASSMITH TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3926 TOLAND WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3926 TOLAND WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5460027006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002290

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor and cleared their brush after receiving noncompliance notices.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: ADRIAN AND BRITTANY BRADFORD

MAILING ADDRESS: 917 PINE GROVE AVENUE

LOS ANGELES CA 90042 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462001010 / INVOICE NO: BN220002293

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says their vacant land property was being prepared for construction. Clearance allegedly occurred in April 2022 (this year). The Department record does NOT show a designation of "Cleared by Owner" which may indicate that compliance has not yet been achieved. Unfortunately, although Appellant failed inspections in May 2021 and July 2021, VMS did not update the new owner's address, so the Appellant's claim that the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were not received appears to be credible.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Reverse the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment be reversed.

Appellant claims that the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were not received. This is supported by the Department notation that VMS did not update to the new owner's address. The property has been red posted, so the new owner, Appellant, is on notice to complete clearance. Hopefully, the Appellant has completed clearance as of April 2022 as claimed.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: MARX, JAMES T

MAILING ADDRESS: 00000 PO BOX 5457

**CRESTLINE CA 92325** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 2548 SUNDOWN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462002033 / INVOICE NO: BN220002297

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have cleared their brush for years and were surprised to receive noncompliance notices. Appellant states that the hazards identified were palm trees on their neighbor's property and not their property so the assessment is a mistake.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: QUINN, PATRICK G CO TR QUINN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 518 COLINA VISTA

VENTURA CA 93003

SITUS ADDRESS: 2279 MOSS AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462007003 / INVOICE NO: BN220002305

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they are semi-invalid absentee landowners who hired a contractor to clear the brush but failed to do so adequately, so they hired another to do the job right.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: HECTOR M BEDOYA

MAILING ADDRESS: 490 EDGERTON DRIVE

SAN BERNARDINO CA 92405 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 2271 MOSS AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462007005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002307

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Reverse the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment be reversed.

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance in June and July of 2021. Department records show an address which is not the same as that on record with the Assessor. It appears that the Department tried to remedy this by giving notice to an older email that was associated with an older mailing address of Appellant. There is no record of Appellant responding to that email nor verifying its validity. So, it cannot be said that Appellant received any Notices of Noncompliance.

The Appeal should be Granted and the Assessment should be Reversed.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: MOULSON PETER

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 65954

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LOT ON MOSS AVE., DIRT RD.,

LOS ANGELES, CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462011001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002322

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a gardener to clear their brush in May and August and provided photos.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: MOULSON PETER

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 65954

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LOT AT MOSS AVE., DIRT ROAD,

LOS ANGELES, CA. 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462011004 / INVOICE NO: BN220002323

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired someone to clear their brush in May and August and provided photos.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: MOULSON PETER

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 65954

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LOT AT MOSS AVE., PAPER-STREET,

LOS ANGELES, CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462011005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002324

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired someone to clear their brush in May and it was completed in August and provided photos.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: PENG,PAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 00509 MACWILLIAMS LN

**ROYAL OAK MI 48067** 

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LOT BELOW RICHARDSON DR.,

LOS ANGELES, CA. 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462011017 / INVOICE NO: BN220002325

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Reverse the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment be reversed.

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance in 2021. Department records show mail was returned as undeliverable and a later owner search could not establish the current owner's address. The Appellant's claim that the Notices of Noncompliance were not received is credible.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: PAN PENG

MAILING ADDRESS: 509 MACWILLIAMS LN

**ROYAL OAK MI 48067 USA** 

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LOT BELOW RICHARDSON DR.,

LOS ANGELES, CA. 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462011022 / INVOICE NO: BN220002328

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Reverse the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment be reversed.

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance in 2021. Department records show mail was returned as undeliverable and a later owner search could not establish the current owner's address. The Appellant's claim that the Notices of Noncompliance were not received is credible.

The Appeal should be Granted and the Assessement should be Reversed.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 50

NAME: PARGAS, JAMES J

MAILING ADDRESS: 3501 CAZADOR ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3501 CAZADOR ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462012023 / INVOICE NO: BN220002332

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims that the Department was sending notices to the wrong address.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. Appellant says the notices were sent to the wrong address. However, on his Appeal paperwork Appellant circled 'yes' to the question whether the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were received. The Appellant offers a Department of Water and Power utility bill showing a different address. However, Appellant's check paid to Department has the 3501 Cazador Street address, the Appellant used the Cazador Street Address as his return address for his Appeal letter, and the Assessor has 3501 Cazador as Appellant's address. Some appellants provide their current property tax bill to show that their mailing address is different. Appellant did not provide such evidence. Appellant has not provided sufficient evidence to show the 3501 Cazador address was not a valid contact address.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in May 2021 and Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, to wit, untrimmed tree branches, dead tree branches and dry brush 8 to 12 inches high. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: CRUZ, MARTIN L AND CALUMPIT, ELSA L

MAILING ADDRESS: 03755 DIVISION ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 3755 DIVISION ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462025006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002365

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their brother cleared their hazards and replaced them with environmentally friendly plants.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: MI CASA HOLDINGS LTD

MAILING ADDRESS: 1330 OAK VIEW AVENUE

SAN MARINO CA 91108 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: V/L E of 2207 West LOVELAND DR

LOS ANGELES Ca 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462026002 / INVOICE NO: BN220002366

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that this is a large expense and that the large lot is well maintained but the city is never happy.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: TDN INVESTMENTS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 14600 GOLDENWEST ST STE 210

WESTMINSTER CA 92683

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5462026032 / INVOICE NO: BN220002369

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor who cleared all the brush on the property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 24, 2022 15:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: BAIR, ALAN L

MAILING ADDRESS: 00090 HURLBUT ST NO 1

PASADENA CA 91105

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464002011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002379

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says he completed brush clearance on May 10, 2021 before the inspection on May 28, 2021, then claims that any remaining brush was not on his property. And finally claims that there was no structure within 200 feet that would cause a violation.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of

proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June 2021 and Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant claimed, initially, that the Department was wrong that Appellant did not comply with brush clearance. The Appellant offered proof that a contractor performed brush clearance in early May 2021. However, the Department showed there was a neighboring home within 200 feet of uncleared brush still on Appellant's property. Appellant then claimed that he didn't see that home. Appellant then rushed to complete brush clearance. But that occurred months after the first and second Notices of Noncompliance.

A property owner is deemed to know their property boundaries and must clear fire dangers on their property. Ignorance of the law is not an excuse.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: JUPITER RESIDENCES LLC

MAILING ADDRESS:

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464002054 / INVOICE NO: BN220002381

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their land is clear.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: FARZIN NIA, FARROKH CO TR FARZIN NIA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 141 W FAIRVIEW BLVD

INGLEWOOD CA 90302

SITUS ADDRESS: 749 W GANYMEDE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464003033 / INVOICE NO: BN220002384

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have always been in compliance until last year and after receiving a second notice of violation they tried to determine what it was but couldn't access the website and never got clarification.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: HUGHES CASEY S AND KALVEN BETSY R

MAILING ADDRESS: 3131 BOULDER ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90063

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464007010 / INVOICE NO: BN220002388

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive the first notice of noncompliance and would have cleared the brush earlier if they had.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 4, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: SEMORA CORP

MAILING ADDRESS: 00958 ROME DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464010028 / INVOICE NO: BN220002390

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their father, the property owner, was diagnosed with cancer and declined steadily during the year until his death in August 2021 and Appellant was busy with their care. Appellant also states they don't live in Los Angeles and missed some of the notices.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 6, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: FARAG BESHEY

MAILING ADDRESS: 8954 RESEDA BLVD #202

NORTHRIDGE CA 91324 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464017007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002404

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

The property was in compliance prior to the notice being issued.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: SULLIVAN, LEWIS W

MAILING ADDRESS: 00958 ROME DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464020003 / INVOICE NO: BN220002408

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were taking care of their father, the property owner, who was diagnosed with cancer and died in August 2021. Appellant states they did their best and cite the extreme circumstances they were under at the time and the fact that they lived out of town.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: SULLIVAN, LILY B TR LILY SULLIVAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 958 ROME DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464020018 / INVOICE NO: BN220002409

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were busy taking care of their father, the property owner, who was diagnosed with cancer and died in August 2021. Appellant states they did their best but cites the extreme circumstances of having to care for their father and that they don't live in Los Angeles and missed some of the notices.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: JIMENO DONNA L C/O MISAEL MOJICA

MAILING ADDRESS: 1340 MONTECITO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90031

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464028033 / INVOICE NO: BN220002415

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the LAFD inspector noted their compliance after the second notice and that there is a city owned easement at the bottom of their property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: JIMENO DONNA L C/O MISAEL MOJICA

MAILING ADDRESS: 1340 MONTECITO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90031

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464028046 / INVOICE NO: BN220002416

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that their contractor was present during the second inspection and was told the property was in compliance.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 18, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: YEE,SOO J

MAILING ADDRESS: 1538 S WESTRIDGE RD

WEST COVINA CA 91791

SITUS ADDRESS: 1940 SUNNY HEIGHTS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5464031006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002418

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says that the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received and that Appellant did not know the true property line.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be

confirmed. The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

Appellant claims that the first Notice of Noncompliance was not received and that the Owner lives at another address. However, Appellant shows no evidence that the Assessor had another notice address on file. It is the Owner's obligation to have an updated address for notice on record. In any case, no mail was returned to the Department. This is a residence where adult members of the owner's family live. Thus, it is reasonable to conclude that the first Notice of Noncompliance was received absent proof that another address was on file.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June 2021 and Second Notice of Noncompliance was issued in July 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant claims ignorance of the location of the property line caused the violation. A Google Maps satellite view shows a clear divider between the backyards of the properties. The Assessor's map shows there is no gap between rear backyards. Appellant's history of not knowing their property lines is not an excuse. A property owner is deemed to know their property boundaries and must clear fire dangers on their property. Ignorance of the law is not an excuse.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the

reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: BILLS, GREGORY A AND SOLOMON, JEFFREY M

MAILING ADDRESS: 00444 W AVENUE 44

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 444 W AVENUE 44

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5465010024 / INVOICE NO: BN220002424

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices but hired a contractor to conduct their annual clearance and provided an invoice. Appellant states they attempted to call LAFD several times to clarlify what needed to be addressed but never heard back and believe they made a good faith effort to comply.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: SULLIVAN, LEWIS

MAILING ADDRESS: 00958 ROME DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5466010003 / INVOICE NO: BN220002429

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant seeks relief citing extreme circumstances of having to take care of their cancer stricken father, the property owner, who died in August 2021. Appellant states they made a good faith effort to get the brush cleared under these difficult circumstances and does not live in Los Angeles.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 6, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: ZIEGLER AZA M

MAILING ADDRESS: 710 QUAIL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5466011003 / INVOICE NO: BN220002430

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they purchased the property in October 2021 and received no notices but cleared the property once they were alerted to do so.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 6, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. No evidence of a new purchase was submitted. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: STEHRENBERGER, AKIKO TR STEHRENBERGER TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 525 QUAIL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5466018002 / INVOICE NO: BN220002433

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor to clear the brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 6, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: CHEN, YING CHIEN AND YANG, HUEI TZU AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 00829 W ASHIYA RD

MONTEBELLO CA 90640

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5466021031 / INVOICE NO: BN220002436

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a contractor who cleared the hazards as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 5, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: NOMURA, RUBY TR NOMURA FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3940 SAN RAFAEL AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90065 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5466035001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002439

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they property belongs to his mother who now lives in assisted living out of state. The property used to be cleared by a neighbor down the hill but apparently they did not clear it in 2021. The notices were to be forwarded to Appellant as the son of the owner, but Appellant states they were never received and asks for the assessement to be dismissed.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 6, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: RA PRIDE HOME INC

MAILING ADDRESS: 2422 POINTE PARKWAY

SPRING VALLEY CA 91978 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5471003014 / INVOICE NO: BN220002454

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received a first notice but not a second notice and that they hired a contractor to clear the property as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: STOCKHAUSEN, ARND F TR ARND F STOCKHAUSEN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1819 ROSITA DR

GLENDALE CA 91208

SITUS ADDRESS: 4520 SAN ANDREAS AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5471004019 / INVOICE NO: BN220002455

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their property is downhill from another property that sometimes throws branches onto theirs and that they have a property manager who hired a contractor to clear the brush as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: LIU, BOB TR SABRINA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 04104 SEA VIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 4104 SEA VIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5471007040 / INVOICE NO: BN220002458

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their brush after receiving notices of noncompliance and that they are newer homeowners who weren't aware of the rules.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: PRESIDING PRIEST OF HOLY VIRGIN MARY COPTIC ORTHODOX

**CHURCH** 

MAILING ADDRESS: 4900 CLELAND AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90042

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5471015052 / INVOICE NO: BN220002462

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to remove the brush before the due date and provided an invoice in support.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: October 13, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: ROCK, RUSSELL AND CENTUORI, JEANINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 00670 MOULTON AVE #7

LOS ANGELES CA 90031

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5471017023 / INVOICE NO: BN220002464

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their property as they always do, including half of the city easement abutting their property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 30, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 44

NAME: KWESKIN, ALEXANDER A CO TR WARD KWESKIN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 700 CROSS AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5471023001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002465

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they own a property with three APNs and that they cleared their property after receiving a notice of noncompliance and that they must have put in the wrong APN when they looked to see if it was cleared on the LAFD website.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: KRN HOLDINGS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 05454 EL MONTE AVE

TEMPLE CITY CA 91780

SITUS ADDRESS: Vacant Lot Below 3544 Verdugo Vista Ter

Los Angeles CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5472003065 / INVOICE NO: BN220002478

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they received no notices. Appellant states that they hired a surveyor to identify the lot boundaries and then had the property cleared by a contractor.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: LANDERS,HARRELL E

MAILING ADDRESS: 4100 SCANDIA WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 4100 SCANDIA WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5472005007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002481

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and they hired a contractor to clear the brush as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: DUNCAN MAXIM F

MAILING ADDRESS: 4905 BALTIMORE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90042

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5472007057 / INVOICE NO: BN220002482

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice and had the brush cleared after receiving the second notice. Appellant states the fees are a financial hardship.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: UNGAMRUNG,KRIENGKRAI AND MONTIRA

MAILING ADDRESS: 04134 W AVENUE 41

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5473011024 / INVOICE NO: BN220002490

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they are being assessed for a lot that they don't own, that the lot they own is smaller than what is shown and that there this is a continuing error.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: October 14, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: SOV, DAVIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 514 ANGELENO AVE

SAN GABRIEL CA 91776 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5474042012 / INVOICE NO: BN220002500

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that much of the property was kept clear by construction on the property and that the fence towards the bottom of their property belong to their neighbor impeded further clearance.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$1,002.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

Total assessment due is \$1,002.00

HEARING DATE: July 12, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: DEMARCO JENNIFER

MAILING ADDRESS: 1322 N EL PASO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 1322 N EL PASO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5474042013 / INVOICE NO: BN220002501

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they worked in good faith to comply but were delayed by several factors to remove some hazards that they weren't initially aware of and which were hard to access.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: ROOT, BRYAN T AND ANNAMARIE

MAILING ADDRESS: 02036 CAYUGA STREET EXT

**TRUMANSBURG NY 14886** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4440 MONT EAGLE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90041

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5474043009 / INVOICE NO: BN220002505

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance. Appellant contacted the Department and said brush clearance was performed and that the photos show a neighbor's property NOT Appellant's.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 1, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Grant the Appeal: It is recommended that the Appeal be Granted and the Assessment reversed.

Appellant viewed photos of the violation taken by the Department. Appellant pointed out to the Department that the property that appears to be in violation contains palm trees which Appellant's property does not have. Appellant is correct. 4448 Mont Eagle Place has the palm trees and a great deal of uncleared brush and untrimmed trees. 4444 Mont Eagle also has uncleared brush but less so. The Appellant's property has the most clearance performed. That property is located at 4440 Mont Eagle Place. Because the property is partially obscured, it cannot be determined from the photographs whether 4440 Mont Eagle was fully cleared of brush or just happens to be more clear than the other homes in the photos.

The Appellant reached out to the Department for guidance as to what clearance was to be performed and where. Unfortunately, the photographs of the Inspector were insufficient to identify what the violation was and where it was. The Inspector took the photos from an different street than the street on which the Appellant's property is located. This may have been convenient due to slopes but the Inspector should have had a stronger lens to get a better closeup from that distance. Instead, the violations appear to be on the neighbor's land, two houses away.

Because of the inaccuracy of the photos, there is insufficient evidence to impose the Assessment. At some point, the property should be reinspected and the Inspector should climb into the property to verify Appellant's compliance because preventing fire danger is the

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purpose of enforcing fire regulations and brush clearance.

The Appeal should be Granted.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: CONTRERAS ALEJANDRO AND SELENE P

MAILING ADDRESS: 4014 DIVISION ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 4014 DIVISION ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5475003036 / INVOICE NO: BN220002512

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property on 12/29/21 and cannot afford the fees at this time.

## **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 25, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. No proof of purchase was provided. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: BETTIN, FREDRIC TR RUTH BETTIN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 9903 SANTA MONICA BLVD PMB 255

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90212 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 923 ALEGRE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5475005024 / INVOICE NO: BN220002517

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a second notice and that they hired a contractor to clear the brush.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: BETTIN, FREDRIC TR RUTH BETTIN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 9903 SANTA MONICA BLVD PMB 255

BEVERLY HILLS CA 90212 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 916 ALEGRE PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5475005026 / INVOICE NO: BN220002518

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a second notice of noncompliance after hiring a contractor to clear their property.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: VIDALES, RUBEN J TR RUBEN VIDALES TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4363 PALMERO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 4363 PALMERO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5475005033 / INVOICE NO: BN220002520

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired various people to clear their brush and after receiving a second notice of noncompliance they contacted LAFD but did not have the money to clear if further until later.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: PIEDRAHITA, ROLAND

MAILING ADDRESS: 9639 GREEN VERDUGO DRIVE

SUNLAND CA 91040 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5475006029 / INVOICE NO: BN220002521

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 13, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

LAFD records show the first and second notices were sent to the previous owner. Based on this information, it is recommended that the appeal be granted and the fee dismissed.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: DERBARSEGIAN, ROBERT AND ALLAHVERDIAN, MONICA

MAILING ADDRESS: 03315 MONTROSE AVE

LA CRESCENTA CA 91214

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5475008011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002523

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and hired a contractor to clear their brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 13:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: SEARCY, ERIC L TR E AND K SEARCY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1052 OLANCHA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 1052 OLANCHA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5475009017 / INVOICE NO: BN220002524

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have always been in compliance until recently when they received a notice of noncompliance after hiring a contractor to clear all hazards. Appellant attempted to clarify the issue with LAFD but never heard back and feels the assessment is wrong and unfair.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 30, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: MOLLETT, MICHAELM AND BALSON MOLLETT, DEE

MAILING ADDRESS: 4812 FRIEDA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 4812 FRIEDA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5475013036 / INVOICE NO: BN220002527

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they felt that they cleared everything as required and has done so for several years.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: AMIN, NASREEN TR NASREEN AMIN TRUST AND SALIH, MEDYA

MAILING ADDRESS: 4991 ALMADEN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90042

SITUS ADDRESS: 4991 ALMADEN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90042

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5476010033 / INVOICE NO: BN220002537

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and that they cleared their property as required and provided photos.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 13:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: DEVELOPMENT TWO LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 2125 OCEAN PARK BLVD

SANTA MONICA CA 90405 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5479006004 / INVOICE NO: BN220002548

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the noncompliance notices went to the previous owner.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

The record shows that the noncompliance notices were sent to the previous owners. Appellant purchased the property in 2020 but did not receive timely notices to afford due process. Based on these factors, it is recommended that the appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 42

NAME: ANGUS, JAMES

MAILING ADDRESS: 01036 OAK GROVE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90041

SITUS ADDRESS: 1036 OAK GROVE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90041

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5480017007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002554

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated it took months to reach LAFD to clarify it was the palm tree that needed to be trimmed.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 8, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: DIAZ, GABRIEL

MAILING ADDRESS: 05501 NORDYKE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90042

SITUS ADDRESS: 5501 NORDYKE ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90042

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5480032006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002560

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear the brush after the initial notice and that they are usually cleared but failed after the inspector took pictures from the street.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 14:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 12

NAME: GERALD WILKINS

MAILING ADDRESS: 512 N MARIPOSA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90004

SITUS ADDRESS: 1361 N AVENUE 57

LOS ANGELES CA 90042

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5485013016 / INVOICE NO: BN220002566

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated he hired contractor in September 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 12

NAME: KRABBENSCMIDT ANN

MAILING ADDRESS: 5319 MERIDIAN ST

HIGHLAND PARK CA 90042

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5485017009 / INVOICE NO: BN220002569

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they received the notices and cleared the brush at the address they received the notice at and that they weren't aware the notice was for another property they own, which uses a different address.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: SENDER, MARK B CO TR SENDER FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2000 CASTILIAN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2155 BROADVIEW TER

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5549026023 / INVOICE NO: BN220002598

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their property was cleared by their gardener who provides monthly maintenance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: ION,RADU

MAILING ADDRESS: 08289 MANNIX DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: 8289 MANNIX DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556003024 / INVOICE NO: BN220002615

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor who cleared the brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: BAXTER THOMAS R AND FONSECA AMBER L

MAILING ADDRESS: 8265 MANNIX DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: 8265 MANNIX DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556003052 / INVOICE NO: BN220002617

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their brush and that a tree in need of trimming was not on their property.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: HARLAND WILLIAMS

MAILING ADDRESS: 11812 SAN VICENTE BLVD 4THFL

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556008023 / INVOICE NO: BN220002632

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and hired a contractor to clear their property and provided a receipt for the work.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: PETERSON, RONALD F TR RONALD F PETERSON TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 08552 WALNUT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556013026 / INVOICE NO: BN220002635

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they have never been out of compliance before but due to their advanced age, COVID, and other circumstances, they apologized for delaying their brush clearance but they did hire a contractor who cleared the brush at a cost of \$2800.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 5, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: DETHIERSANT, JEAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 08571 FRANKLIN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556016026 / INVOICE NO: BN220002643

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they are furious; that they have their gardener regularly clear brush and states that they were in compliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: DETHIERSANT, JEAN

MAILING ADDRESS: 08571 FRANKLIN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556016032 / INVOICE NO: BN220002645

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they are furious; that they have a gardener who regularly clears the brush and that they were in compliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: TOMPKINS, KEVIN B

MAILING ADDRESS: 08334 GRAND VIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556017028 / INVOICE NO: BN220002646

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear the brush but a neighbor dumped some hazards on a hidden corner of their property.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: BRONSTEIN GIL (TE)

MAILING ADDRESS: 5737 KANAN ROAD #198

AGOURA HILLS CA 91301 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 8440 YUCCA TRL

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556020019 / INVOICE NO: BN220002649

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are living part time overseas and it took longer last year to get the brush cleared.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 14:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: SHEMARIA VICTORIA R TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 1671 OLD OAK RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90049

SITUS ADDRESS: 8410 GRAND VIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556021010 / INVOICE NO: BN220002650

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed that property was cleared but the contractos cleared the wrong side of the property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 15:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: ROSE BANNER MINISTRIES INC MAILING ADDRESS: 11624 EUCALYPTUS AVE UNIT A

HAWTHORNE CA 90250

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556023007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002653

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 17, 2022 15:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: CHARLES MARINO

MAILING ADDRESS: 20 WESTBURY ST

THOUSAND OAKS CA 91360

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556031005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002666

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed it was the wrong property.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: 3940 OESTE AVE LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 18975 COLLINS AVE #3303

SUNNY ISLES FL 33160 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 8353 SUNSET VIEW DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5556033009 / INVOICE NO: BN220002671

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the owner died early in 2021 and they were appointed administrator of the estate and no notices were received.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Appellant provided evidence of the death certificate of the owner and other information supporting their appeal. Based on the information provided, it is recommended that the appeal be granted and the fee dismissed.

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: DRAZ,MAMDOUH M

MAILING ADDRESS: 8730 HOLLYWOOD BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90069 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 8730 HOLLYWOOD BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5558010005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002677

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they have a case with the city regarding their brush clearance.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 12, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: CONSTRUCTION FOR LESS INC

MAILING ADDRESS: 23355 COLLINS ST

**WOODLAND HILLS CA 91367** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 1751 SUNSET PLAZA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5558013001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002680

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant stated they received no notices or that their office did not alert them to notices and that they hired a contractor to clear the brush.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: ASHA BHANSALI

MAILING ADDRESS: 1753 VIEWMONT DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: 1726 North Sunset Paza Dr

West Hollywood Ca 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5558016047 / INVOICE NO: BN220002685

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that their brush clearance was delayed due to COVID and a shortage of workers.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 15, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: FENT JOERG FAMILY TRUST 2017

MAILING ADDRESS: 8405 HOLLYWOOD BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: 8405 HOLLYWOOD BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5558027007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002691

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had their whole property cleared and asked which part wasn't.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: SUTHERLAND CAMERON AND STIENING JORGAN V

MAILING ADDRESS: 8540 HILLSIDE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: 8540 HILLSIDE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5558028009 / INVOICE NO: BN220002692

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Brush was cleared after the first Notice of Noncompliance in June 2021. Appellant provides proof his contractor did brush clearance on June 28, 2021. The Fire Inspector returned two months later and found brush over three inches and other violations. This second inspection took place at the height of fire season in August 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed that due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned. The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. A first Notice of Noncompliance was issued in June 2021 and second Notice in August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Inspector took photographs depicting the hazardous conditions that existed at the time of violations, to wit, brush over three inches (some over 12 inches), some brush debris, and bushes that needed trimming. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant may feel that the brush clearance was sufficient. It was not sufficient over time. After the first failed inspection, the Appellant performed the first brush clearance which brought an overgrown property back to a semblance of order. The photos show an improvement. However, brush just like a lawn needs trimming at least one a month. In this case, fate would have it that the Fire Inspector returned two months later, at the height of the fire season. The additional solar energy in Summer encourages rapid brush growth. It also encourages fires. The Fire Department must insist on compliance to ensure the safety of the community. Brush clearance is an ongoing obligation. Appellant did not pass the second inspection because regular maintenance was not performed.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: EMANUEL LEVY

MAILING ADDRESS: 8546 HILLSIDE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: 8546 HILLSIDE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5558028010 / INVOICE NO: BN220002693

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they already paid the fine and the work was already done.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 28, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: CAVALLACCI, AMANDA TR PRIMO TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 8803 APPIAN WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: 8803 APPIAN WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5562009006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002716

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they regularly clear their brush and had it cleared in September 2021 by a contractor and provided a photo of the invoice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: DUBINA ARTS LLC C/O SALIM LAHOUD

MAILING ADDRESS: 1860 BLUE HEIGHTS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: 1860 BLUE HEIGHTS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5562014016 / INVOICE NO: BN220002719

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they were out of the country and found their notices upon their return and hired a contractor to remove their brush and did additional work as noted on the LAFD website.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 29, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: POURZANJANI, FARNAZ TR FARNAZ POURZANJANI TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 8782 APPIAN WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: 8782 APPIAN WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5562015006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002720

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property is under construction and the brush dried out during its progress.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: POURZANJANI,FARNAZ TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 111 EASTWIND STREET

MARINA DEL REY CA 90292 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5562015007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002721

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the property was under construction and some of the plants dried out in the course of the construction but that they made efforts to clear it as it happened.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: ZUMBA EUROPE BV

MAILING ADDRESS: 02103 SUNSET PLAZA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

SITUS ADDRESS: 2103 SUNSET PLAZA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90069

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5562019015 / INVOICE NO: BN220002725

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed he did not receive notice.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: GATI ROBERT L

MAILING ADDRESS: 8595 SKYLINE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: 8775 W SKYLINE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5564009017 / INVOICE NO: BN220002730

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed he was unaware he had to clear a certain part of his lot.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 18, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: CIPES,GREGORY

MAILING ADDRESS: 9541 N W 42ND CT

CORAL SPRINGS FL 33065

SITUS ADDRESS: 8409 LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5565012051 / INVOICE NO: BN220002737

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states the brush clearance was complete in August 2021 and was delayed due to COVID.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 15, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: ARZEROUNIAN, AIDA A

MAILING ADDRESS: 2325 MOUNT OLYMPUS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: 2325 MOUNT OLYMPUS DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5565019027 / INVOICE NO: BN220002739

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received a first notice of noncompliance and that they immediately had their brush cleared after receiving the second notice.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: GHALILI SHAHRAM AND ESTER

MAILING ADDRESS: 2505 WOODSTOCK RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5565020029 / INVOICE NO: BN220002745

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the tax collector had the wrong address for notices.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 26, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Notices are sent to the contact address listed with the County Assessor and property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: NASH,J BRIAN TR

MAILING ADDRESS: 2088 N CRESTWOOD BLVD

PLEASANT GROVE UT 84062 United States

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5565021038 / INVOICE NO: BN220002747

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved to Utah and received no notices at their new address despite trying to contact LAFD to provide new addresses; that they already paid for their noncompliance notices; and that they paid to have their brush removed by an LAFD approved contractor.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 12, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

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HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: WALKER, MICHAEL W AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 2717 WOODSTOCK ROAD

LOS ANGELES CA 90046 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 2717 WOODSTOCK RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5565024052 / INVOICE NO: BN220002750

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that LAFD made a number of errors including providing the wrong pins and including property that they have since cleared up wasn't theirs.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

LAFD records show errors in noticing to Appellant. While reinspections showed that not all hazards were cleared, Appellant provided enough evidence to show that they could not access the necessary information to determine what work was left to do. As a result, it is recommended that Appellant's appeal be granted for the year 2021.

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: TVERSKOY FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 11770 PEAK RD

**CHATSWORTH CA 91311** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 2335 JUPITER DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5569008028 / INVOICE NO: BN220002779

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they had medical issues due to the COVID vaccine that disabled them but they have since hired a contractor and the brush is cleared.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: MACRAE, PAUL D

MAILING ADDRESS: 2460 ACHILLES DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 2460 ACHILLES DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5569028001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002786

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received any notices and does not know what the issues are.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 09:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: SWEARINGER, WILLIAM F II

MAILING ADDRESS: 2109 PROSPECT TRL

LOS ANGELES CA 90046 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 2109 PROSPECT TRL

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5569031011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002789

## SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says mail was stolen and says no Notice of Noncompliance was received. Appellant contacted the Department about stolen mail. In addition, Appellant says that brush clearance was completed on July 30, 2021. This was before the second inspection on August 14, 2021.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Grant the Appeal: It is recommended that the Appeal be Granted and the Assessment reversed.

Appellant's claim that mail was stolen, while possibly true, cannot overcome the presumption under the Evidence Code that mail duly mailed is presumed to have been received. A police report and/or neighbor's statements or some other evidence that would corroborate stolen mail would be required absent a notation of "returned mail" or "undeliverable". However, Appellant claims that brush was cleared as of July 30, 2021. At the second inspection, the Inspector took no photographs of the ongoing fire hazard (or perhaps did not upload them) nor made a notation such as "the brush by the stairs and other brush as depicted in prior inspection photos are still uncleared". Such a supplemental statement would have been sufficient. There is no automatic legal presumption that counters a homeowner's claims that brush clearance was completed before an inspection. When such a statement is offered by an Appellant in an appeal, the Hearing Officer turns to photos or supplemental statements that contradict Appellant's claims. Absent photos from the second inspection or a supplemental statement that the original photos still represented the state of the property at the time of the second inspection, it cannot be presumed that the Appellant did not perform sufficient brush clearance to pass the second inspection. In fact, for the inspection that occurred after the alleged second violation, the notation is "cleared by owner".

The Appeal should be Granted.

HEARING DATE: June 21, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 41

NAME: HADEN, DONALD D CO TR R AND D HADEN TRUST AND DIXON, DONALD

D JR

MAILING ADDRESS: 7945 LULU GLEN DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 8017 ROTHDELL TRL

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5569031012 / INVOICE NO: BN220002790

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed they did not know what brush to clear.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 16, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 08:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 97

NAME: TORREYSON HOLDINGS LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 1 INDIAN HILL

SAINT LOUIS MO 63124

SITUS ADDRESS: 7860 TORREYSON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90046

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5570016007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002794

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 3, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 27

NAME: PHENIX CARLOS P AND JESS P

MAILING ADDRESS: 2037 HOLLY HILL TERRACE

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2037 HOLLY HILL TER

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5575004001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002820

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says only the first and second Notices of Noncompliance were received, not the notice of inspection season. Appellant had confusion as to what to do and could not log on to the Fire Department website to figure it out. Appellant ultimately figured out the cause of violation and performed brush clearance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Notices of Noncompliance were issued in June 2021 and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector photographed the hazardous conditions existing at the time of violations, to wit, multiple dead palm fronds attached to the Appellant's palm tree. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant claims he did not know what was expected of him because he had difficulty accessing the Inspector's photos. However, in the first Notice of Noncompliance, the Inspector checked the particularized box that says within it, "Remove all dead/dry undergrowth and material within trees and shrubs". This statement was supplemented with an extra added notation, "Remove dead palm fronds". The Appellant states that, since some dead palm fronds had fallen and had been gathered from the ground that he believed that was what the Inspector was referring to. But, this ignores the "within trees" language in the checked box. The Appellant says he later looked at the Fire Code and concluded that the removal of dead palm fronds is required. Yet, even after Appellant cleared up his misunderstanding, it took him four months to remove the dead palm fronds. Ignorance of the law is not an excuse. Palm trees with dead palm fronds become a dangerous torch that sends off hot embers in all directions when ablaze.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 27

NAME: ISRAEL LEVY

MAILING ADDRESS: 4091 BAKMAN AVE

NORTH HOLLYWOOD CA 91602

SITUS ADDRESS: 6540 BELLA VISTA WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5575004019 / INVOICE NO: BN220002822

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they've never received a notice of noncompliance before. Appellant states they were out of the country for a few months and hired a contractor to do the work but they did not do it correctly. It took some time to find another contractor at a reasonable price as they are experiencing some financial hardship.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 24, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 27

NAME: 1930 WHITLEY LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 480425

LOS ANGELES CA 90048 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1930 WHITLEY AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5575005005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002823

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush clearance including palm trees was completed in July 2021. Appellant failed inspections in June 2021 and August 2021. Appellant admits receiving both the first and second Notices of Noncompliance.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed.

The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Notices of noncompliance were issued in June 2021 and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector photographed the hazardous conditions existing at the time of violations, to wit, a palm tree with multiple dead palm fronds. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant claims they completed brush clearance including palm tree debris. But the photos from each inspection show a palm tree, located on the sidewalk, with dried and dead palm fronds. This fan palm had a beard of dead palm fronds that stretched all the way to the ground and was interlaced with vines and foliage, including dead foliage. In the first Notice of Noncompliance, the Inspector checked the particularized box that says "Remove all dead/dry undergrowth and material within trees and shrubs". This statement was supplemented with an extra added notation, "Remove Dead Palm Fronds." Given these directed advisements, it is unreasonable to claim that the Department was not specific enough.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 27

NAME: DUNCAN FOSTER INTERNATIONAL

MAILING ADDRESS: 848 S OXFORD AVENUE #103

LOS ANGELES CA 90005 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 1916 WHITLEY AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5575005009 / INVOICE NO: BN220002825

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property includes a building they manage and that the notices went to a resident of the building and that they didn't get notice until after they hired and arborist and contractor to remove a dead tree.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 27

NAME: HOWARD, JOEL T AND HEIDI A TRS HOWARD FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2315 LORENZO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2315 LORENZO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5577027014 / INVOICE NO: BN220002852

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are unsure if they got a first notice and were delayed in opening the second notice due to the illness and subsequent death of their mother in law. Once they did open the second notice in December 2021, they hired a contractor to clear their hazards.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 27

NAME: JAMES M MOSELEY

MAILING ADDRESS: 390 REDWOOD DRIVE

PASADENA CA 91105 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5577030005 / INVOICE NO: BN220002854

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they moved out of town due to COVID but hired a contractor in April to clear the brush as required.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 27

NAME: MITCH MOSELEY

MAILING ADDRESS: 250 N SAN RAFAEL AVENUE`

PASADENA CA 91105 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5577030006 / INVOICE NO: BN220002855

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear the brush as required at considerable expense.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 2, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 27

NAME: MOSELEY JAMES M

MAILING ADDRESS: 250 N SAN RAFAEL AVE

PASADENA CA 91105

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5577030007 / INVOICE NO: BN220002856

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear the brush as required a considerable expense.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 11, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: LOAN FUNDING GROUP LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 5500 HOLLYWOOD BLVD 4

LOS ANGELES CA 90028

SITUS ADDRESS: 3000 ARROWHEAD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5577035037 / INVOICE NO: BN220002866

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush in August 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 09:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: MINNIE BROWN

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 2469

LOS ANGELES CA 90078

SITUS ADDRESS: 3395 BLAIR DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5579010021 / INVOICE NO: BN220002871

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant believed property was cleared.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 28, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: BARHAM GROUP LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 15260 VENTURA BLVD 21ST FLOOR

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403 United States

SITUS ADDRESS: 3406 N BARHAM BLVD

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5579021028 / INVOICE NO: BN220002873

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their brush in June 2021.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 10, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: ALEMOZAFFAR, MEHRDAD TR MEHRDAD ALEMOZAFFAR TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 3345 TARECO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 3345 TARECO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5579030025 / INVOICE NO: BN220002875

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are sorry for the initial delay but all brush has been cleared. This is their first home and they were unsure of the rules.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: POLPANTU, PLERNPIT

MAILING ADDRESS: 137 North LARCHMONT BLVD, PMB 185

LOS ANGELES CA 90004 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5579032001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002877

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they purchased the property in 2021 and received no notices.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

LAFD records show the notices went to the former property owner and the new property owners received no timely notices for 2021. Based on this information, it is recommneded that the inspection fees be waived for 2021 and the appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 10:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: NATHAN LANG

MAILING ADDRESS: 7428 BELLAIRE AVE

NORTH HOLLYWOOD CA 91605

SITUS ADDRESS: 3205 TARECO DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5579035014 / INVOICE NO: BN220002879

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed that property was cleared.

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 9, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 76

NAME: MEEK,NEVA M AND

MAILING ADDRESS: 01906 LOST SPRING CT

LONGWOOD FL 32779 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5579036016 / INVOICE NO: BN220002881

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their property within two days of receiving a notice of noncompliance.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: BLECHER, MARC H AND IRENE S

MAILING ADDRESS: 02812 PELHAM PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5580004011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002885

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are being unfairly assessed as they hired a contractor to remove the hazards after both notices of noncompliance.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: ESFAHANI NASRIN AND DORIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 208 S RODEO DR

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90212** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 2574 CANYON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5580021024 / INVOICE NO: BN220002894

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant denies getting any Notices of Noncompliance. It appears he is the new owner and the old owner is deceased. Likely the old owner never got the Notices because of sickness or death. Appellant provides proof that the property was acquired pursuant to an estate sale or transfer. The notarized document is provided.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Reverse the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment be reversed.

Appellant claims not to have received the first and second Notices of Noncompliance in 2021. Although the Appellant claims that he acquired the deceased owner's property in October 2021, the notarized document shows a property transfer date of August 19, 2021 with the authorizing signature on August 27, 2021. However, the date of acquisition is after the second Notice of Noncompliance. This means the Department could not have notified Appellant in time to clear the brush before the second violation. In addition, the Department's second Notice of Noncompliance came back undeliverable, probably because the original owner was deceased. In an attempt to give notice, the Department researched an Oxnard address to mail notice to. However, the transfer document of the property uses the same Rodeo Drive address for Appellant that is listed on his Appeal document. Thus, the Appellant never got any notices because his mail address for notice is on Rodeo Drive. The Department has updated the notice address to reflect the Rodeo Drive location. The Appeal should be Granted.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: HANNA, STEVEN C TR STEVEN C HANNA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 6174 MULHOLLAND HWY

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 6174 MULHOLLAND HWY

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5581020003 / INVOICE NO: BN220002905

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they purchased the property in 2020 and hired a contractor on a continuing basis to remove hazards and clear brush and they contacted the LAFD for further clarification after receiving a second notice of noncompliance.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: September 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: BERNARDY TIMOTHY J JR

MAILING ADDRESS: 3076 DURAND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 3076 DURAND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5582011004 / INVOICE NO: BN220002915

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they bought their property in January 2021 and this was their first brush clearance and that they hired someone to clear it for them after receiving notice of noncompliance. Appellant states that some of the area of noncompliance is not their property.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 16, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 13, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: DOUGLAS, STUART AND JENNIFER

MAILING ADDRESS: 6347 RODGERTON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 6347 W RODGERTON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5582011008 / INVOICE NO: BN220002917

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their hazards after their first notice and were surprised to get a second notice indicating that more needed to be done as they would have done it before if the first notice had said so.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: SANG P SHIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 191 KAELELOI PL A

HONOLULU HI 96821

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5582018008 / INVOICE NO: BN220002921

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor and cleared the hazards after the first and second notices of noncompliance and that the second notice was in regards to fallen branches after the property was cleared after the first notice of noncompliance.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: SHARIAT FAR AND COLLEEN

MAILING ADDRESS: 15260 VENTURA BLVD STE 1040

SHERMAN OAKS CA 91403

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5582023013 / INVOICE NO: BN220002928

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they moved into their home in June 2021 and were not told by the previous owner of the brush clearance rules nor that their property had 3 separate APNs.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

LAFD records show the notices went to the previous owner's address which denied Appellants due process. Evidence was provided regarding the transfer of property and Appellant's efforts to contact LAFD. For these reasons, it is recommended that the appeal be granted.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: BEHNAM, BLAKE AND HALEY TRS BEHNAM FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2932 LEDGEWOOD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2932 LEDGEWOOD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5583010003 / INVOICE NO: BN220002931

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared the brush as required but failed to turn in the \$33 for inspection.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 14, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 19, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: ALEKSICH, ZORAN AND DANIELA

MAILING ADDRESS: 16720 FIRMONA AVE

LAWNDALE CA 90260

SITUS ADDRESS: 3015 HOLLYRIDGE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5583017013 / INVOICE NO: BN220002933

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they received no notices and that they hired contractors to help clear the brush in late May 2021.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 20, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: HALLINAN, EDA G

MAILING ADDRESS: 2593 01-Feb N BEACHWOOD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2593 N BEACHWOOD DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5585007021 / INVOICE NO: BN220002942

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant admits to receiving the first and second Notices of Noncompliance in June and August 2021. However, the Appellant claims that, "...I received the Notice to Comply without any specifics...". Appellant claims her confusion as to what was required for compliance caused the delay and, once Appellant understood, her gardener performed clearance in September 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 13, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Notices of Noncompliance were issued in June 2021 and August 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector photographed the hazardous conditions existing at the time of violations, to wit, a palm tree with multiple dead palm fronds. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant claims that Appellant did not know what was expected. However, in the first Notice of Noncompliance, the Inspector checked the particularized box that says within it, "Remove all dead/dry undergrowth and material within trees and shrubs". This statement was supplemented with an extra added notation, "Dry palm fronds need to be removed from palm tree." Given the notation, it is unreasonable to claim that the Department was not specific enough. In addition, the photos on the VMS website, which is offered to the public and listed on the Notices, show specifically the palm tree and dead fronds. The Department notice was explicit and reasonable. Ignorance of the law is not an excuse. Palm trees with dead palm fronds become a dangerous torch that sends off hot embers in all directions when ablaze. This is why removal of dead fronds is required.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 10:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: GOLDSTEIN, DAVID TR GOLDSTEIN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 03400 COAST VIEW DR

MALIBU CA 90265

SITUS ADDRESS: 2259 N GOWER ST

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5585023011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002950

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed they cleared property.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 7, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

## PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: HAMER KYLE

MAILING ADDRESS: 2103 ALCYONA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2103 ALCYONA DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5586001018 / INVOICE NO: BN220002954

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor and cleared their brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 3, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Thanks Kathy, I don't foresee the city doing anything with future mask mandates, but as far as the school goes, that's entirely up to your separately elected school board and what the County requires of them. For better or worse, we have no authority on that issue...

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: YANG SHUQING AND MAIOLIHUA C/O FRANCIS JI CHANG LIHUA C/O

FRANCIS JI CHANG YANG

MAILING ADDRESS: 319 W SHIAWASSEE ST

LANSING MI 48933

SITUS ADDRESS: 2146 BEACHWOOD TER

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5586011011 / INVOICE NO: BN220002956

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they purchased the property in September 2021 and received no notices.

# **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: April 20, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. No proof of purchase was provided. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: STANSFIELD, CLAIRE

MAILING ADDRESS: 05691 HILL OAK DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 5671 W HILL OAK DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5587003013 / INVOICE NO: BN220002962

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to clear their brush which was completed in September 2021.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: PHYLLIS K AARONSON

MAILING ADDRESS: 2201 W LIVE OAK DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2201 W LIVE OAK DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5587006025 / INVOICE NO: BN220002967

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their brush in June 2021 and stated they received a second notice of noncompliance and stated they would like to know if it is in compliance now.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 4, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: BRANDENSTEIN, AUGUST J TR TOOTH HURTY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 10990 WILSHIRE BLVD 8TH FL

LOS ANGELES CA 90024

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5587007026 / INVOICE NO: BN220002968

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush in September 2021 and provided a receipt for the work.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 1, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: JOHNSON, TAMARA M AND LUKE

MAILING ADDRESS: 2038 MORGAN HILL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2038 MORGAN HILL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5587014017 / INVOICE NO: BN220002975

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor after their first notice to remove the brush and hazards and some may have grown back but they're in the process of renovating and will be replacing the currentl landscaping with something more drought tolerant.

### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: SHEA, MARINA TR MARINA SHEA TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 5667 TRYON RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 5667 TRYON RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5587021025 / INVOICE NO: BN220002977

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor and cleared their brush as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: ST ANDREWS PLACE LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 1922 N ST ANDREWS PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 1922 N ST ANDREWS PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5587022008 / INVOICE NO: BN220002979

# SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they are unsure what the remaining hazard was and that if it was the tree in front of their house that it was not on their property and it was later removed by the city.

### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 31, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 24, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

# PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: KINKEN SAMUEL AND SUMMERTON EMMELINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 2328 BRONSON HILL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2328 BRONSON HILL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5587028002 / INVOICE NO: BN220002982

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they cleared their brush and that the LAFD inspector confused Appellant's neighbor's uncleared property as belonging to Appellant. Appellant would like to clear this up.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 82

NAME: ADAM WEISS

MAILING ADDRESS: 2348 BRONSON HILL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

SITUS ADDRESS: 2348 BRONSON HILL DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90068

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5587028019 / INVOICE NO: BN220002983

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and that they have had their contractors clear their brush without any notices of noncompliance for 26 years and that some of the hazards were from a neighbor's tree.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 11, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. Issues of disclosure are between the seller and buyer. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 29, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 35

NAME: ELATTAR, OSAMAH AND SOHEIR TRS O A AND S K ELATTAR TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2241 CHESWIC LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

SITUS ADDRESS: 2241 CHESWIC LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5588008001 / INVOICE NO: BN220002986

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired someone to remove their hazards the same month they received a notice of noncompliance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 29, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 35

NAME: KANTARJIAN, HARRY AND MARY TRS KANTARJIAN TRUST AND

KANTARJIAN,T T KANTARJIAN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: PO BOX 27904

LOS ANGELES CA 90027 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 2251 CHESWIC LN

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5588009021 / INVOICE NO: BN220002987

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they never received the first notice and that they hired a landscaper to remove their hazards as they always have and that two members of their family suffered medical crisis. Appellant also stated their husband is a Korean War veteran.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show the hazards were present at the time of reinspection for the year 2021. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 35

NAME: BARSEGHIAN, HARRY AND ALVARD TRS BARSEGHIAN FAMILY TRUST

AND BARSEGHIAN, A TR YERANIK TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4826 BONVUE AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

SITUS ADDRESS: 4462 DUNDEE DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5588032024 / INVOICE NO: BN220002992

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their property in October 2021 and it was cleared as required after the compliance date.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 25, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

The record shows that the Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted notices as legally required, affording Appellant due process. The duty to clear the property remains even when the property is sold or transferred. If a change of ownership has occurred, the responsibility for any fees accrues to the owner of record at the time the fee is assessed and any failure of disclosure is an issue between the buyer and seller of the property. Property owners are responsible for notifying the County Assessor of any change of address for notices. The County Assessor's property deed map information was used to determine the property boundaries subject to inspection and can be found at zimas.lacity.org. Property owners are responsible for knowing their property boundaries. Fire inspection photos are geo-tagged to the parcel APN.

To avoid future penalties, it is strongly recommended that property owners sign up to view the fire inspections status of their property condition at vms3.lafd.org.

HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 11:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: BREITENGROSS, CHARMAINE

MAILING ADDRESS: 02241 BEN LOMOND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

SITUS ADDRESS: 2241 BEN LOMOND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5591006013 / INVOICE NO: BN220002994

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claims brush was cleared in July 2021. However, this was after the first and second Notices of Noncompliance in May and June 2021. The Appellant appears to think that brush clearance does not include trees.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: June 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment for noncompliance set forth in the notice be confirmed. The Fire Department showed due process was afforded to the Appellant because all notices were sent as legally required. No mail was returned.

The record shows the Fire Inspector inspected the property and found hazardous vegetation that by reason of proximity to a structure constituted a fire hazard. Notices of Noncompliance were issued in May 2021 and June 2021 because of the fire hazard. The Fire Inspector photographed the hazardous conditions existing at the time of violations, to wit, the branches and leaves of Appellant's large tree arching over Appellant's house within 5 feet of the roof and within 10 feet of a chimney. The failed inspections represent an ongoing danger to the community. A property owner must perform brush clearance to safeguard the community and comply with the law.

Appellant appears to be surprised that brush clearance includes trees, essentially arguing that Appellant did not know what was expected. However, in the first and second Notices of Noncompliance, the Inspector checked the particularized box regarding tree limbs in proximity to a roof and chimney. And then added a special notation that says:

"ROOF CLEARANCE You must have a 5-foot vertical clearance between roof top and all trees, branches and vegetation. CHIMNEY CLEARANCE. Please keep all vegetation ten-feet from chimney outlet.". Thus, the Department was specific enough and provided sufficient notice.

Each Notice of Noncompliance incurs an assessment. The Total Assessment is calculated properly and the reasons for the Noncompliance have been stated. Therefore, the assessment is proper and should be enforced.

HEARING DATE: September 30, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: BURANA CHOW FAMILY TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2233 BEN LOMOND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

SITUS ADDRESS: 2233 BEN LOMOND DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5591006014 / INVOICE NO: BN220002995

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the notices were sent to his father who is two years deceased and he lives with his mother at the property now and they had the brush cleared after receiving the first notice.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: May 19, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: June 21, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Brush clearance is a year-round responsibility. Dated and geo-located photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the reinspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: RONGO GROUP INC

MAILING ADDRESS: 1034 BECKETT CT

ANAHEIM HILLS CA 92808 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: 3763 PRESTWICK DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5592012034 / INVOICE NO: BN220003003

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they hired a contractor to remove all brush every three months as required.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: May 21, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 31, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: CHAD H GRIFFIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 9171 WILSHIRE BLVD 400

**BEVERLY HILLS CA 90210** 

SITUS ADDRESS: 4041 WOKING WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5592013040 / INVOICE NO: BN220003004

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the property is occupied by a tenant and that Appellant received no notices and that the tenant is responsible for all gardening issues. Appellant does not know how the property passed inspection in October 2021 when they did not hire anyone to clear the property during that time.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: BRAEBURN LLC

MAILING ADDRESS: 11271 FOSTER RD

LOS ALAMITOS CA 90720 USA

SITUS ADDRESS: VACANT LOT NORTH OF 3775 N AMESBURY ROAD

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5592015006 / INVOICE NO: BN220003006

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they paid the previous penalty and that their property was cleared after inspection in October 2021 and that they cleared their property in May 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 56

NAME: RICHARD MARIN

MAILING ADDRESS: 4064 WOKING WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

SITUS ADDRESS: 4064 WOKING WAY

LOS ANGELES CA 90027

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5592020027 / INVOICE NO: BN220003008

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they cleared their brush and after receiving their first notice of noncompliance they called LAFD for clarification but it took several tries and by that time they received their second notice of noncompliance.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: May 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: June 22, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 42

NAME: BARRETO EMIDGIA C

MAILING ADDRESS: 7243 SHIRLEY AVE UNIT 24

RESEDA CA 91335

SITUS ADDRESS: 5487 N MAEMURRAY DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90041

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5669008006 / INVOICE NO: BN220003011

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired a company to clear the property and that they did it as required.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 6, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 26, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 42

NAME: MORIN, ARMAND C AND SANDRA L

MAILING ADDRESS: 00430 SAN MIGUEL CIR

PORT HUENEME CA 93041

SITUS ADDRESS: 5201 LA RODA AVE

LOS ANGELES CA 90041

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5669022015 / INVOICE NO: BN220003012

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states their unreliable son lives at the property and told them the brush clearance was taken care of and that they hired a contractor to remove some branches after finding out their son apparently didn't take care of it.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: August 17, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: November 23, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: MORODAK MEAS

MAILING ADDRESS: 2841 PALMER DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 2841 PALMER DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5683018011 / INVOICE NO: BN220003018

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states they did not receive a first notice of noncompliance and that it took them some time to find a contractor to remove all hazards due to COVID but that they did in August 2021.

#### DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 26, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed. At the time of re-inspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete. The record includes photos taken by the Fire Inspector at the time of reinspection showing the violation.

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HEARING DATE: June 20, 2022 11:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 42

NAME: COHEN, ADAM J CO TR CODDINGTON COHEN TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 2740 WAWONA PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 2740 WAWONA PL

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5683020014 / INVOICE NO: BN220003020

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the notices were vague and that they have kept their property clear for years and did not know a certain section of a hillside was their property and that it was difficult to access the LAFD website. Appellant also claims financial hardship.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 26, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the assessment for the noncompliance fee as set forth in the notice be confirmed.

Appellant's evidence submitted with the appeal was insufficient to dismiss the assessment. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the work incomplete for the year 2021. Dated and geolocated photos in the record show that hazards were present, and the property was in violation at the time of reinspection. The assessed fee is not a penalty for failing to do the work, it is for the cost of the inspections, which automatically attaches when the re-inspection showed the work to be incomplete. Property owners can view their property conditions via the website below.

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HEARING DATE: June 27, 2022 12:30 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: PAJA, WILLIAM

MAILING ADDRESS: 0 PO BOX 741008

LOS ANGELES CA 90004

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5684008024 / INVOICE NO: BN220003024

#### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant says brush clearance was performed before the second inspection. However, the Inspector found bagged brush on the property. Appellant was able to dispose of the bags a few days later.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 10, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 27, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Reverse the Assessment: It is recommended that the assessment be reversed.

Appellant received the first Notice of Noncompliance in June 2021. Before the second Notice of Noncompliance, Appellant cleared the brush and bagged it. However, Appellant's pickup truck broke down and he had to borrow one. Appellant dumped the bags a few days after the second Notice of Noncompliance. In the law, there is a term "substantial compliance". The Inspector's own photos show that Appellant cleared the brush and bagged it in black contractor bags for disposal. Homeowners often bag refuse and put it at the curb for some days waiting for pickup. Appellant's disposal occurred within this reasonable time frame. The Hearing Officer does not fault the Inspector for being exacting. Inspectors are protecting the community. However, based upon Appellant's conduct of clearance and bagging, the Appellant substantially complied and, thereafter, followed through shortly with disposal of the trash bags. This case ends with a notation of "Cleared by Owner". That is what the Department ultimately desires and Appellant's efforts at clearance were essentially complete when the Inspector showed up. The Appellant's appeal is reasonable. The Appeal should be Granted and the Assessment Reversed.

HEARING DATE: May 11, 2022 12:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: SOTOMAYOR, RODOLFO AND MARY TRS R AND M SOTOMAYOR TRUST

MAILING ADDRESS: 4902 COLLIS AVE

**SOUTH PASADENA CA 91030** 

SITUS ADDRESS: N/A

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5684019022 / INVOICE NO: BN220003027

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant claimed property was cleared timely.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 9, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: July 26, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

Confirm the assessment for the Non-compliance fee as set forth in the notice. At the time of reinspection, the Fire Inspector deemed the brush clearance work had not been completed.

The Fire Inspector made all appearances, mailed and posted all notices as legally required, giving the Appellant due process.

When the Fire Inspector examined the property for re-inspection the property was still in non-compliance. The assessment fee automatically attached

HEARING DATE: August 1, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: VILLARREAL, JOHN G AND BERGNER, JANET D

MAILING ADDRESS: 2611 SAXON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 2611 SAXON DR

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5684024020 / INVOICE NO: BN220003028

SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that the hillside is not their property or responsibility.

**DEPARTMENT INFORMATION** 

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the **\$668.00** Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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HEARING DATE: June 15, 2022 08:00 COUNCIL DISTRICT: FS 55

NAME: ALI IMRAAN A AND MOCHIZUKI AKI S

MAILING ADDRESS: 2640 RANGE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

SITUS ADDRESS: 2640 RANGE RD

LOS ANGELES CA 90065

ASSESSOR'S ID NO: 5684036026 / INVOICE NO: BN220003031

### SUBSTANCE OF PROTEST

Appellant states that they hired their usual contractor to clear the brush and after their first notice of noncompliance they attempted to contact LAFD to better understand what still needed to be done but never got a clear answer and so they hired another contractor to do further clearance.

#### **DEPARTMENT INFORMATION**

First Inspection performed on: June 8, 2021.

Second Inspection performed on: August 14, 2021.

Property was found to be in non-compliance upon second inspection;

therefore, the \$668.00 Non-compliance inspection fee is assessed.

#### PROPOSED DECISION AND RECOMMENDATION

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#### **ATTACHMENT 2**

October 24, 2022

### **Dear Property Owner:**

As President of the Los Angeles Board of Fire Commissioners, I am writing to inform you of the decision regarding your written appeal of the Non-compliance Inspection Fee assessed toward your property for the 2021 Brush Clearance Season. Due to the volume of Non-compliance Inspection Fee written appeals that were received by my office, the task of reviewing each appeal became a very time-consuming job; I thank you for your patience.

Los Angeles Municipal Code, Section 57.03.05, provides the Board of Fire Commissioners the authority to review the Non-compliance Inspection Fee Written Appeals. The Code also provides that the determination by the Board of Fire Commissioners shall be final.

The Hearing Officer assigned to your appeal has completed a thorough review of your written appeal and the Los Angeles Fire Department records concerning your property. Based on the Hearing Officer's recommendation, the Los Angeles Board of Fire Commissioners has determined that your Non-compliance Inspection Fee Written Appeal has been granted.

Thank you for your courtesy and patience throughout the appeal process, and please remember that brush clearance is a year-round responsibility.

Very truly yours,

Jimmie Woods-Gray, President Board of Fire Commissioners

Attachment

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ATTACHMENT 3

October 24, 2022

**Dear Property Owner:** 

On behalf of the Los Angeles Board of Fire Commissioners, I am writing to inform you of the decision regarding your written appeal of the non-compliance fee assessed on your property for the 2021 Brush Clearance Season.

The Los Angeles Municipal Code, Section 57.104.12, authorizes the Board of Fire Commissioners or their representative to review the Non-compliance Inspection Fee Written Appeals. The Municipal Code also stipulates that the determination by the Board is final.

The Hearing Officer assigned to your appeal has completed a thorough review of the documentation that you provided and the Los Angeles Fire Department's records concerning your property. Based on the Hearing Officer's recommendation, the Los Angeles Board of Fire Commissioners has determined that your Non-compliance Inspection Fee Written Appeal is denied.

Questions regarding this letter may be directed to the Accounting Services Section by telephone at 213-978-3424 or by email at lafd.brushacctg@lacity.org. Thank you for your courtesy and patience throughout the appeal process. Please remember that brush clearance is a year-round responsibility.

Very truly yours,

Jimmie Woods-Gray, President **Board of Fire Commissioners** 

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