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Fix it for Me

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Purpose/Scope of Project

Dear Sir or Madam (City of Portland):

The purpose of this building permit is the interior renovation of 10 Mellen Street. Due to the age of the structure, and its use as a boarding home of sorts for many years, 10 Mellen Street was in a serious state of disrepair amidst an aging, failing amalgam of plumbing, heating and electrical systems that were never entirely brought up to date/code since its was built in the late 1800's. Our goal is to finally amend these problems in their entirely.

- Electrical: As stated before, the existing electrical system was a complete dichotomy of
 electricity over the last 100 years. The decision was made to remove and replace all
 electrical systems within the house or on the property. (Electrician Bill Miles)
- Plumbing: As many of the plumbing systems in the house were in serious form of decay and had been added to, or modified. The decision was made to replace the plumbing system as a whole. The new plumbing infrastructure will alleviate many of the homes problems associated with modifications and poor venting. (Plumbers Shaw & Son)
- Heating: Upon sale/purchase of the property of 10 Mellen Street Portland, Me, It was
 known that the furnace and or heating system was in complete failure. The cast iron
 broiler that was in place was cracked through and the addition of the monitor heating
 system was insufficient and outdated. The furnace was replaced. (Contractor-Jerry
 Lettlier)
- Carpentry: The only new framing details for 10 Mellen Street not associated with electrical and plumbing will be the 2nd floor sunroom, and the addition of an LVL beam in kitchen ceiling.
- Sheet rock/ Plaster: numerous holes have been made throughout the home to accommodate new plumbing, electrical and HVAC systems. All holes will be patched with 5/8 fire rated sheet rock or plaster equivalent.

Respectfully,

David Burke General Contractor