



Permitting and Inspections Department  
Michael A. Russell, MS, Director

February 15, 2018

AZZOLA JAMES H  
PO BOX 10824  
PORTLAND, ME 04104

**CBL: 136 C002001**  
**Located at: 33 FLORENCE ST**

**Certified Mail 7017268000054981471**

Dear AZZOLA JAMES H,

An evaluation of the above-referenced property on **02/06/2018** shows that the structure fails to comply with Chapter 6.Article V. of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Portland, The Housing Code. Attached is a list of the violations.

This is a notice of violation pursuant to Section 6-118 of the Code. All referenced violations shall be corrected within **30** days of the date of this notice. A re-inspection of the premises will occur on **03/15/2018** at which time compliance will be required. Failure to comply will result in this office referring the matter to the City of Portland Corporation Counsel for legal action and possible civil penalties, as provided for in Section 1-15 of the Code.

This constitutes an appealable decision pursuant to Section 6-127 of the Code.

Please feel free to contact me if you wish to discuss the matter or have any questions.

Please be advised that the Portland City Council has amended the Building regulations to include a \$150.00 re-inspection fee. This violation will automatically cause a re-inspection at no charge. If there are any subsequent inspections, however, the \$150.00 fee will be assessed for each inspection.

Sincerely,

/s/

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kevin Hanscombe", written over a horizontal line.

Kevin Hanscombe  
Code Enforcement Officer

**CITY OF PORTLAND  
HOUSING SAFETY OFFICE**

389 Congress Street  
Portland, Maine 04101

**Inspection Violations**

<b>Owner/Manager</b> AZZOLA JAMES H		<b>Inspector</b> Kevin Hanscombe	<b>Inspection Date</b> 2/6/2018
<b>Location</b> 33 FLORENCE ST	<b>CBL</b> 136 C002001	<b>Status</b> Violations Exist	<b>Inspection Type</b> Housing Safety Inspection

Code	Int/Ext	Floor	Unit No.	Area	Compliance Date
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1) 210

**Violation:** ESCAPE WINDOWS; Escape Windows - One and Two-Family Dwellings: Escape windows shall be a free and clear outside window or door operable from the inside without the use of tools, keys, or special effort. Windows shall be within 20 feet of the finished ground level or accessible by rescue apparatus (if approved), or opening onto an exterior balcony and when below ground level shall be provided with an accessible, free and clear, window well.  
NFPA 101 (2009) 24.2.2.3.3

**Notes:** 3rd floor extended living area from 2nd floor rental has inadequate escape window(s)

2) 205

**Violation:** SMOKE ALARMS / LEVEL; Smoke Alarms - One and Two-Family Dwellings: Single-station or multiple-station (interconnected) photoelectric smoke alarms must be powered by the building electrical system or powered by a 10-year non-replaceable battery and shall be positioned correctly on walls or ceilings: (1) within 21 feet of any door to a sleeping room and (2) in living areas separated by doors on each level of the dwelling unit and (3) including the basement.

NFPA 101 (2009) 24.3.4.1(2)(3), 9.6.2.10, amended by City Code of Ordinances Section 10-3(i)

**Notes:** 3rd level missing in common area (top of stairs)

3) 207

**Violation:** CARBON MONOXIDE ALARMS / LEVEL; Carbon Monoxide Alarms - One and Two-Family Dwellings: Single-station or multiple-station (interconnected) Carbon Monoxide alarms must be powered by the (A) building electrical system, or (B) 10-year non-replaceable battery and shall be positioned correctly on walls or ceilings: (1) on each level of the dwelling unit, and (2) including the basement.

NFPA 720 (2009) 9.5.1, 9.5.3, amended by State Law Title 25, Chapter 317 § 2468

**Notes:** 3rd level missing in common area ( top of stairs)

4) 206

**Violation:** SMOKE ALARMS / BEDROOMS; Smoke Alarms - One and Two-Family Dwellings: Single-station or multiple-station (interconnected) photoelectric smoke alarms must be powered by the building electrical system or powered by a 10-year non-replaceable battery and shall be positioned correctly on walls or ceilings: in all sleeping rooms.

NFPA 101 (2009) 24.3.4.1(1), 9.6.2.10, amended by City Code of Ordinances Section 10-3(i)

**Notes:** Bedroom smoke was hanging from wall and missing back up battery

**Comments:** Please contact me at 756-8169 when you have addressed the smoke and co alarm violations. You have 30 days to correct. We can discuss your plan of action for the 3rd floor. As we had discussed the "living area" as its being used needs to be removed/changed in order for us to remove the requirement for escape and I will need to inspect for that.