

CITY OF PORTLAND
 FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU
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NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND ORDER TO CORRECT

April 13, 2017

Responsible Party 1: Green Nathaniel 7 Marion St PORTLAND, ME 04101		Responsible Party 2: Michael and Linda Connelly 56 PLEASANT ST HOPKINTON MA 01748
Location 91 COLUMBIA RD	CBL 181 F006001	Inspection Date 3/30/2017
Inspector Ryan Walsh	Inspection Type FP Routine Inspection	Status Failed

The City of Portland Fire Department inspected this property, and found the fire and life safety code violations listed below, which you are hereby ordered to correct. You must propose a date of completion to remedy each violation, a final date of completion, and a date of re-inspection.

You must send this form to the Fire Prevention Bureau no later than 4/30/2017.

Your failure to submit a plan of action by the date provided, or to correct any violation within the applicable time frame, may result in legal action against you, the imposition of civil penalties, and the pursuit of other legal remedies.

Violation	Proposed Date of Completion
NFPA 101- 7.2.1.8.1 FIRE DOORS MUST BE SELF- OR AUTO-CLOSING; A door leaf normally required to be kept closed shall not be secured in the open position at any time and shall be self-closing or automatic-closing in accordance with 7.2.1.8.2, unless otherwise permitted by 7.2.1.8.3. Apartments 93 #1 and #2 have fire doors but they are not self closing.	___/___/___
NFPA 720- 5.5.6.1 CO ALARMS REQUIRED; The performance, location, and mounting of notification appliances used to initiate or direct action, evacuation or relocation of the occupants, or for providing information to occupants or staff, shall comply with the requirements of Chapter 6. Apartment 91 # 2 missing CO detector.	IMMEDIATELY install temporary alarms where required. Your signature below indicates that temporary alarms have already been installed.
NFPA 101- 31.3.4.5.1 SMOKE ALARMS REQUIRED; In buildings other than those equipped through out with an existing, complete automatic smoke detection system, smoke alarms shall be installed in accordance with 9.6.2.10, as modified by 31.3.4.5.2, outside every sleeping area in the immediate vicinity of the bedrooms and on all levels of the dwelling unit, including basements. Apartment 91 # 2 requires smoke alarms in the bedrooms.	IMMEDIATELY install temporary alarms where required. Your signature below indicates that temporary alarms have already been installed.
NFPA 101- 8.3.4.2 60 MINUTE FIRE DOOR REQUIRED; Refer to NFPA 101- Table 8.3.4.2 that states fire door assemblies for vertical shafts (including stairways, exits, and refuse chutes) are rated and required for 1 hour. No fire door present in the basement entrance.	___/___/___

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<p>NFPA 80- ANNEX D.4 1-HOUR FIRE DOORS ASSEMBLIES REQ; Listings are provided for floor fire door assemblies that are installed in fire-rated floor-ceiling or roof-ceiling assemblies that have been tested in accordance with the methods described in NFPA 288. The listing indicates the fire-rated assembly and the hourly rating (3 hours, 2 hours, 1.5 hours, 1 hour, .75 hours) for which the door can be permitted to be used so that access to the space above the ceiling or to the floor above can be provided without adversely affecting the fire resistance rating of the entire assembly. The listing provides limitations on the maximum size of an individual door opening and the total area of all door openings permitted for each 100 square feet of floor or ceiling.</p> <p>Door required from basement to common rear stairs</p>	<p>___/___/___</p>
<p>N.F.P.A. 101 CHP. 31.3.3.2 HOLE IN CEILING NEEDS REPAIR; InteriorWall and Ceiling Finish Interior walls and ceiling finish materials complying with 10.2 shall be permitted as follows: 1) Exit enclosures -- Class A or class B 2) Lobbies and corridors--Class A or Class B 3) Other spaces Class A, orClass B, or Class C #93 rear stairwell</p>	<p>___/___/___</p>
<p>NFPA 101- 7.5.1.1 AND 7.5.1.1.1 OBSTRUCTED EGRESS; Exits shall be located and exit access shall be arranged so that exits are readily accesible at all times (7.5.1.1). Where exits are not immediately accessible from an open floor area, continuous passageways, aisles, or corridors leading directly to every exit shall be maintained and shall be arranged to provide access for each occupant to not less than two exits by separate ways of travel, unless otherwise provided in 7.5.1.1.3 and 7.5.1.1.4 (7.5.1.1.1). Storage of items in rear stairwell of #93</p>	<p>___/___/___</p>
<p>NFPA 101- 8.2.3 FIRE RATING NOT MAINTAINED; The fire resistance of structural elements and building assemblies shall be determined in accordance with test procedures set forth in NFPA 251, ASTM E 119, ANSI/ UL 263, or other approved test methods, or analytical methods approved by the authority having jurisdiction. Materials used to construct fire resistance-rated elements and assemblies shall be limited to those permitted in this code. Entire rear stairwells both sides are wood board paneling, no wall covering above basement stairs, open stud bays above basement stairs</p>	<p>___/___/___</p>
<p>NFPA 720- 5.5.6.1 CO ALARMS REQUIRED; The performance, location, and mounting of notification appliances used to initiate or direct action, evacuation or relocation of the occupants, or for providing information to occupants or staff, shall comply with the requirements of Chapter 6. Tenant stated apartment did not have CO detectors</p>	<p>___/___/___</p>
<p>FINAL DATE OF COMPLETED VIOLATION(S)</p>	<p>___/___/___</p>
<p>FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU RE-INSPECTION OF COMPLETED VIOLATION(S)</p>	<p>___/___/___</p>

The Bureau reserves the right to reject or modify any proposed plan of action, and may require evidence of sufficient financial and technical capacity to complete the proposed plan. Please contact the Bureau with any questions.

VIOLATOR CERTIFICATION

I agree to remedy the violations listed within the timeframes provided. If I require additional time to comply, I understand that I must contact the Fire Prevention Bureau prior to the deadline to request an extension, which is entirely within the Bureau's discretion to grant or deny.

I further understand that it is my responsibility to schedule a reinspection of my property once the violations have been remedied to do so. My failure to schedule a reinspection shall be deemed an admission that the violations have not been remedied.

If I fail to comply with this agreement, I understand that I am liable for penalties pursuant to the City of Portland Code of Ordinances §§ 1-15 and 10-25, and 30-A M.R.S. § 4452 and may be subject to further legal action.

Date

Responsible Party

Date

Responsible Party

SEEN AND AGREED

Date

Fire Prevention Bureau