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CITY OF PORTLAND

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Richard P. Waltz 104 Ludlow Street Portland, ME 04103

Certified Mail # 7099 3400 0019 5716 2377

RE: 537 Washington Ave. Zone – R5 CBL: 428-C-003

Dear Mr. Waltz:

An evaluation of the above property on May 23, 2001 revealed that the yard and garage is being used for business purposes. The property is located in the R5 (residential) Zone where this use is not permitted.

Sec. 14-52 Conformity required: Commercial use trucks not allowed to enter or exit drive to pick up or drop off materials, equipment, etc. in yard or garage in the R5 Zone.

The above described condition is in violation of Section 14-52 of the Municipal Zoning Ordinance, Land Use. This is a notice of violation pursuant to Section 14-56 of the Ordinance. The use of this yard and garage in conjunction with your business must be discontinued; it can only be used for purposes associated with the residential property. A re-inspection of the property will be conducted in 30 days, on August 6, 2001, at which time compliance is 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 and in Title 30-A M.R.S.A. Ss 4452. This constitutes an appealable decision pursuant to Section 14-473 of the Municipal Zoning Ordinance. Please feel free to contact me at 874-8715, if you wish to discuss the matter or have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jeanie Bourke Code Enforcement Office

Zoning Administrator

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