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Jason Foster -Community Development Administrator
15 E. Franklin Street
Bellbrook, Ohio 45305

Dear: Mr. Foster,

It has been brought to my attention that at 85 S. Main Street, gaining access to this property poses a real concern in the event of an emergency. Those concerns include but are not limited to, the front walk to the front door not being passable with a cot, also providing a trip hazard to First Responders during the day or especially at night with limited visibility do to all the growth and vegetation and not being able to make out where the front steps are. When the First Responders show up for a medical emergency call, they often carry heavy first in-bags and other equipment that can obstruct their view of their feet, the last thing that they need to worry about is hiking over all the ivy.

As I drove by the residence, I was unable to locate a second access point other than the main garage door, since the front door is not accessible safely. During an emergency, time can make the difference in life-or-death outcomes. I would hate for this to be a reason for delayed emergency care to the residents of this address.

If there is anything that I can do to assist you in making sure our First Responder's are safe and are able to provide rapid emergency care to our residents, please do not hesitate to reach out, 937-848-3272.

Sincerely,



Anthony Bizzarro -Fire Chief