

# STAFF REPORT

**To:** City Commission

**From:** City of Dickinson Building and Codes Department

Date: 12/5/2023

Re: Demolition – 405 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue West, Dickinson, ND 58601

### **OWNER/APPLICANT**

Williston, ND 58801

Williams County Detention Center Joshua Olson
Attn: Joshua Olson 405 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave West
223 East Broadway Dickinson, ND 58601

PennyMac Loan Services, LLC 3043 Townsgate Road, Suite 200

Westlake Village, CA 91361

Halliday Watkins & Mann, PC

Attn: Benjamin Mann

376 East 400 South, Suite 300

Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Public Hearings: {12/5/2023} City Commission

### **REQUEST**

- **A. Request:** to demolish the structures on an R3 zoned lot per section 7.030, 7.030.010, 7.030.020 & 7.030.030 of the Dickinson Municipal Code
- B. Project Address/Legal Description/Area: 405 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue West / E101' Lot 6, Block 29, Original Plat

### STAFF REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- **A. Public Input:** Code enforcement has been contacted by neighboring property owners approximately 8 times with concerns, Code enforcement has dispatched police department one time
- **B.** Staff Recommendation: approval of the demolition of the structures on noted property

### Table I: Current Zoning and Use

ZONING	R3
FUTURE LAND USE MAP DESIGNATION	R3



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### Table II: Current Adjacent Land Use/Zoning

Direction	Zoning	Land Use
North	R3	Single family detached
East	R3	Single family detached
South	R3	Single family detached
West	R3	Single family detached

#### Attachments:

• A - Application Material

# **MOTIONS:**

\*\*\*Approval\*\*\*

"I move the City of Dickinson Commission recommend the demolition of the structures located at  $405 \ 2^{nd}$  Avenue West, subject to the conditions above, as meeting all the requirements of the Dickinson Municipal Code and also being in the interest of the public health, safety and welfare "

(AND) the following additional requirements (IF THE CITY COMMISSION RECOMMENDS ANY ADDITIONS AND/OR DELETIONS TO THE PROPOSED MOTION LANGUAGE):

1.	 	 ;
2.		

\*\*\*Denial\*\*\*

"I move the Dickinson Commission recommend Denial of **the demolition of the structures located 405 2**<sup>nd</sup> **Avenue West** as NOT meeting all the requirements of the Dickinson Municipal Code and as being contrary to interest of the public health, safety and welfare."



### **APPLICATION MATERIALS**

### **ATTACHMENT A**

Aerial Photo:





#### Attachment B:

### 405 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave W Timeline

5/17/2017 – PD dispatched for mental health check

8/9/2017 – First violation letter sent for property maintenance (Sections 24.08.020 & 39.06.009 of the Dickinson Municipal Code (DMC))

5/23/2018 – Grass and weed letter sent - completed (Section 302.4 of the International Property Maintenance Code (IPMC))

7/11/2018 – 2<sup>nd</sup> letter for sent for property maintenance (Sections 302.1, 308.1, 308.2 & 308.3 of the IPMC)

5/22/2019 – Grass and weed letter sent (section 302.4 of the IPMC) – was not completed

6/3/2020 – 3<sup>rd</sup> property maintenance letter sent (Section 24.08 of DMC, Sections 302.1, 308.1, 308.2, 308.2.1 & 308.3 of IPMC), noted sticker from Safeguard Properties (property management company for the mortgage company)

1/12/2021 – letter to Safeguard Properties (Steve Neal) for property maintenance (Section 24.08 of the DMC) & listing property as a Dangerous Building (water off since 2015 – unfit for human occupancy, Sections 7.030 & 7.030.030 of DMC & Section 108.1.3 of IPMC), requested inspection to determine if the home could become habitable

2/19/2021 – interior access granted by Safeguard Properties; inspection completed

3/9/2021 – based on findings from inspection, letter sent deeming the structure as a Dangerous Building per section 7.030 & 7.030.030 of DMC, condemnation process began, Building placarded as unfit for human occupancy due to no water

6/14/2021 – grass and weed letter sent (section 302.4 of IPMC) – was not completed

6/22/2021 – Notice of Demolition per sections 7.030, 7.030.010, 7.030.020 & 7.030.030 of the DMC sent to Penny Mac Loan Services (no known address for property owner, contacted legal to find most current address)

6/15/2022 - PD dispatched due to vandalism

7/12/2022 – Property owner address acquired; all previous notices forwarded to new address

8/11/2022 – Grass and weed letter sent (section 302.4 of IPMC) – completed

10/13/2022 – information sent to Legal team

11/11/2022 – email from legal team requesting City Administrator to work case into a commission meeting & a flash drive with information, flash drive was delivered same day

6/29/2023 – grass and weed letter sent – was not complete

7/28/2023 – confirmation from Police Department that they have officers checking on property regularly



## Attachment C:













































