CITY OF HIGH POINT AGENDA ITEM



Title: Ordinance to Demolish –1706 Cedrow Drive

From: Michael McNair, Director

Community Development & Housing

Meeting Date:

4/2/18

Public Hearing: No **Advertising Date:**

Advertised By:

A. Staff report

Attachments: B. Ordinance to Demolish

C. PhotosD. Maps

PURPOSE:

A request by Community Development and Housing – Local Codes Section to adopt an ordinance ordering the inspector to demolish the dwelling at 1706 Cedrow Drive.

BACKGROUND:

After a Complaint and Notice of Hearing was issued and a hearing held, an Order to Repair or Demolish was issued on 12/20/17. No action occurred by the compliance date of 1/22/18. The necessary repairs to the dwelling exceed its current tax value and the demolition is warranted.

BUDGET IMPACT:

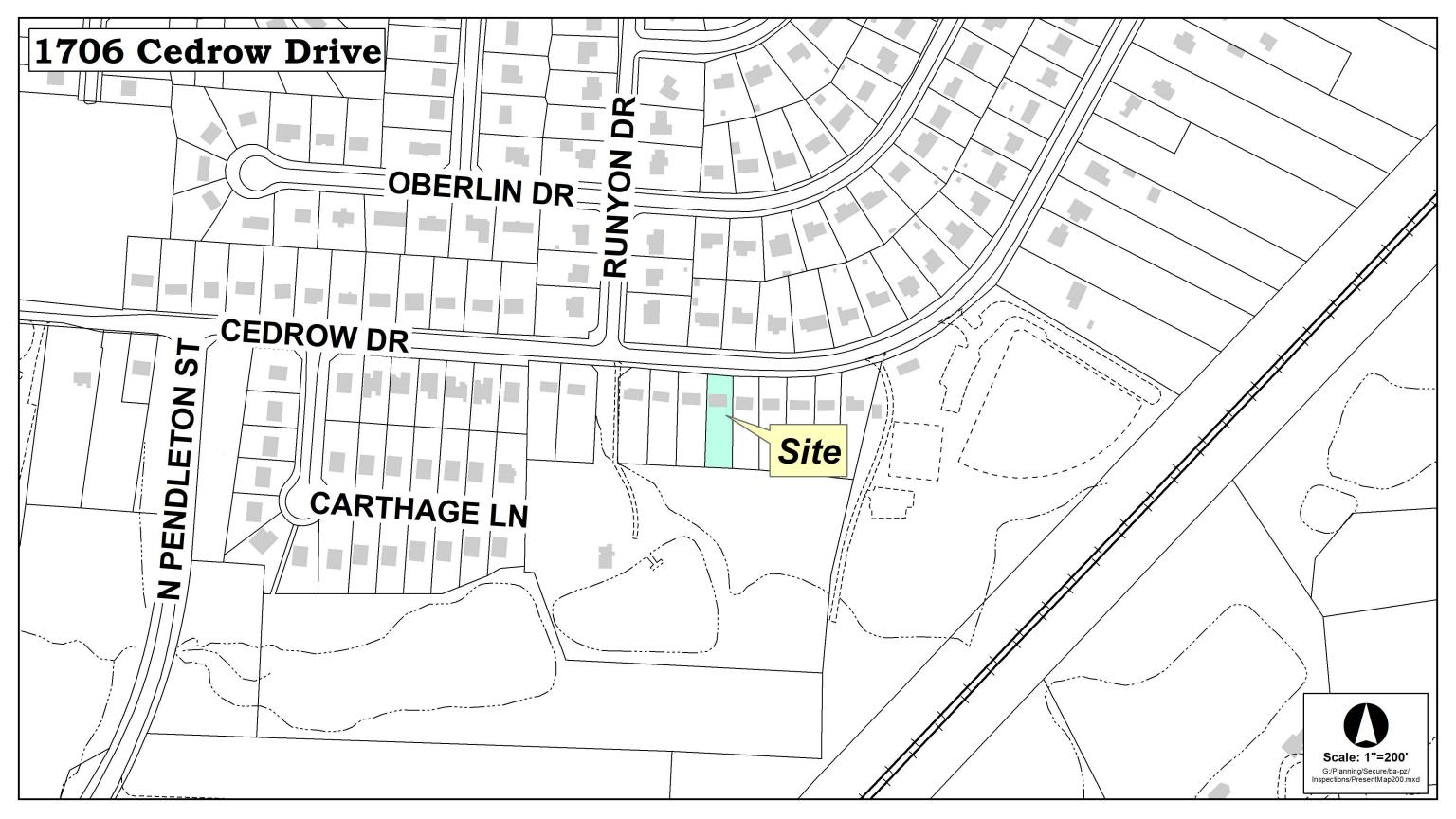
Funds are available in the Department budget for the demolition and asbestos testing of the structure(s), and for the asbestos removal if present.

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff recommends the adoption of the requested ordinance to demolish this single family dwelling.

PENDING ACTION:

The ordinance becomes effective from the date of adoption. If there is no action by the property owner by the effective date of the ordinance, then asbestos testing and the demolition bid process will begin and the structure will be removed by the City. After City demolition, the property owner is billed for the cost. If the bill is unpaid, the City places a lien on the property.



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING CODE ENFORCEMENT HOUSING ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

ORDINANCE

REQUEST: Ordinance to Demolish

PROPERTY

ADDRESS: 1706 Cedrow Drive

OWNER: Heirs of Mary Lindsay

REASON FOR

INSPECTION: Previous case in old software from 2007

FIRST Summary of Major Violations

INSPECTION: 1. Repair or replace roof sheathing & covering

11/15/17 2. Repair or replace damaged ceiling

3. Repair or replace rotten band, rotten floor joist

4. Repair or replace damaged siding

5. Clean and make walls, floors and ceilings sanitary

HEARINGNo one appeared for the Hearing. During the Hearing it was determined there are several violations of the Minimum

12/11/17 Housing Code. There are multiple violations of the minimum housing

code in the house that make it unsafe. In its present state, necessary repairs to the dwelling exceed 65% of the value of the structure.

ORDER(S)

ISSUED: Order to Repair or Demolish 12/20/17 Date of Compliance 1/22/18

APPEALS: No appeals to date.

OWNER

ACTIONS: None

ADDITIONAL: The property taxes are delinquent in the amount of \$15,377.10 and is

pending Guilford County Foreclosure. The niece called the inspector and advised that Ms. Lindsay didn't have a husband or any children,

and no will that she was aware of.



















