CITY OF HIGH POINT AGENDA ITEM



Title: Ordinance to Demolish –302 Montlieu Ave.

From: Michael McNair, Director

Community Development & Housing

Meeting Date:

5/7/18

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 302 Montlieu Ave.

BACKGROUND:

After a Complaint and Notice of Hearing was issued and a hearing held, an Order to Repair or Demolish was issued on 6/29/17. No action occurred by the compliance date of 7/29/17. 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 and any outbuildings on the property.

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: 302 Montlieu Ave.

OWNER: Lucretia L. Henard

REASON FOR

1/20/17

INSPECTION: Inspector observed property unsecured

FIRST Summary of Major Violations

INSPECTION: 1. Repair or replace roof sheathing, rafters and covering

2. Repair or replace damaged floor sheathing throughout

3. Install missing steps to basement

4. Repair or replace wall coverings throughout

5. Repair or replace damaged floor joists

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

6/12/17 Housing Code. Ms. Lucretia Henard did contact the inspector prior to

the Hearing and stated that the house was foreclosed on and she had to move. 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 6/29/17 Date of Compliance 7/29/17

APPEALS: No appeals to date.

OWNER

ACTIONS: None

ADDITIONAL: The property is delinquent in the amount of \$587.96 for Guilford

County Property Taxes.

















