# REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Date: 9-20-10 Item No.: 12.d

Department Approval

City Manager Approval

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Item Description:

**Community Development Department Request to Perform an Abatement for an Unresolved Violation of City Code at 2745 Hamline** 

#### BACKGROUND

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- The subject property is a single-family detached home.
- The current owner is Mr. Charles Klinkenberg.
- Current violation includes:
  - Fascia, soffits and window trim on house and garage in need of repair and paint (violation of City Code Section 906.05.C. and 407.02. J and K).
- A status update, including pictures, will be provided at the public hearing.

#### POLICY OBJECTIVE

Property maintenance through City abatement activities is a key tool to preserving high-quality 10 residential neighborhoods. Both Imagine Roseville 2025 and the City's 2030 Comprehensive Plan 11 support property maintenance as a means by which to achieve neighborhood stability. The Housing 12 section of Imagine Roseville suggests that the City "implement programs to ensure safe and well-13 maintained properties." In addition, the Land Use chapter (Chapter 3) and the Housing and 14 Neighborhoods chapter (Chapter 6) of the Comprehensive Plan support the City's efforts to maintain 15 livability of the City's residential neighborhoods with specific policies related to property maintenance 16 and code compliance. Policy 6.1 of Chapter 3 states that the City should promote maintenance and 17 reinvestment in housing and Policy 2.6 of Chapter 6 guides the City to use code-compliance activities 18 as one method to prevent neighborhood decline. 19

#### FINANCIAL IMPACTS

#### City Abatement:

An abatement would encompass the following:

- Repair and paint fascia, soffits and window trim on house and garage:
  - o Approximately \$2,500.00

<u>Total:</u> Approximately - \$2,500.00

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In the short term, costs of the abatement will be paid out of the HRA budget, which has allocated

\$100,000 for abatement activities. The property owner will then be billed for actual and administrative

costs. If charges are not paid, staff is to recover costs as specified in Section 407.07B. Costs will be

reported to Council following the abatement.

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

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Staff recommends that the Council direct Community Development staff to abate the above referenced public nuisance violation at 2745 Hamline Avenue.

## 35 REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Direct Community Development staff to abate the public nuisance violation at 2745 Hamline Avenue

by hiring a general contractor to repair and paint fascia, soffits, and window trim on house and garage.

The property owner will then be billed for actual and administrative costs. If charges are not paid, staff

is to recover costs as specified in Section 407.07B.

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Attachments: A: Map of 2745 Hamline Avenue.

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#### 2745 Hamline Ave N HURON WOOD 2799 2798 2815 HAMLINE TERRACE DR 2788 2788 27 S HR/R3 2781 2782 2782 380 1360 1420 K 12 2766 2765 2766 **JUDITH** JUDITH AVE 1382 2755 2754 2754 **DELL WOOD** LR / R1\_ 2747 2746 HURON 2746 2747 2746 1383 389 1397 SHELDON ST 2739 2740 2734 2733 2734 LR / R1 LR / R1 LR/R1 LR / R1 LR / R1 2734 2731 RAMBLER RD 2728 2726 1384 400 392 1391 1420 2718 LR / R1 CURV LR/R1 2718 LR / R1 1400 2711 WOODHILL ĹŔ/R1 2704 1449 2703 1404 419 2705 2700 1406 2695 **26**98 2697 PRIMROSE LR / R1 HAM 2687 LR/R1 LR/R1 LR/R1 **Location Map** This map is neither a legally recorded map nor a survey and is not intended to be used as one. This map is a compilation of records, information and data located in various city, county, state and federal offices and other sources regarding the area shown, and is to be used for reference purposes only. The City does not warrant that the Geographic information System (GIS) Data used to prepare this map are error free, and the City does not represent that the GIS Data can be used for navigational, tracking or any other purpose Data Sources \* Ramsey County GIS Base Map (8/2/2010) Prepared by: For further information regarding the contents of this map contact: requiring exacting measurement of distance or direction or precision in the depiction of geographic features. If errors or discrepancies are found please contact 651-792-7085. The preceding disclaimer is provided pursuant to Minnesota Statutes \$466.03, Subd. 21 (2000), and the user of this map acknowledges that the City shall not be liable for any damages, and expressly waives at claims, and agrees to Site Location City of Roseville, Community Development Department, **Community Development Department** Comp Plan / Zoning Designations

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