

Written Testimony - Agenda Item 776/793/814/830

Agenda Item	Name	Position	Comments	Attachment	Created
776	Michelle Stevenson	Support	Holding bad landlords responsible is a good thing. These properties are all nuisance properties and almost all took advantage of low income renters. These landlords leeches from the community. I noted almost all these properties are in either outer SE or North Portland, our most diverse neighborhoods. I appreciate that city council is going after the real problem with this item: You're going after rich investors who leech from our community and refuse to follow the law, yay! I'm particularly pleased you included 6402 se 103rd. The area in question is a very fragile ecosystem on Johnson Creek. It is a place close to my heart because my father used to take me biking here all the time. My mother and I used to bird watch and study about ornithology walking on the railroad tracks, before the bike path opened. Seeing some greedy pyramid scheme investor type pour sewage into the Johnson Creek at this property makes me raging angry. These investors have the tools to not hurt the environment and our whole community, they're just greedy and don't care. Foreclosure is 100% right in this instance.	No	09/10/23 11:34 PM

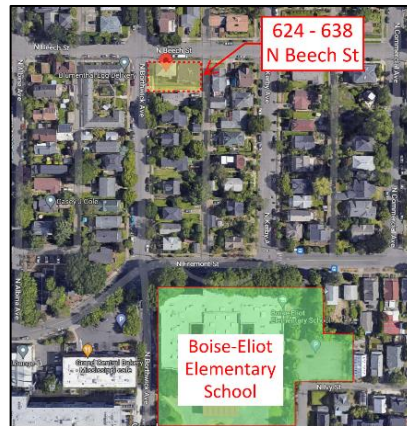
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776	Megan Beaver	Support	<p>City Council Agenda Written Testimony Agenda Item: 776 Position: Support Attachment PDF: Boise Neighbors Letter of Support for City Action</p> <p>Dear Members of the Portland City Council,</p> <p>Thank you for your attention to this matter. I am writing to express my strong support for the initiation of foreclosure action on 624-638 N. Beech St. The condition of this property has become a serious issue for our community. It has been uninhabited since 1999 and the longevity of this derelict property is staggering. It is a magnet for a variety of problems, including abandonment of vehicles, litter, drug paraphernalia, graffiti and squatters. The presence of these issues poses a significant safety concern for our residents, particularly the children attending Boise Elliot Elementary School. This property is one block from the school and is on a 'Primary Investment Route' with the Safe Routes to School Program. It is a heavily foot trafficked route for our communities' youngest members, and they deserve a secure and welcoming path to their educational institution.</p> <p>Due to these properties being a reoccurring source of concern it is important to acknowledge the significant strain placed on valuable city resources. The Bureau of Development Services, Oregon Court System for obtaining warrants, PBOT, Portland Police Department, and the Portland Fire Department are regularly allocating time and monetary resources to these neglected properties. With these departments already facing staffing shortages and budget constraints foreclosing on these properties would be a responsible way to allow city departments to utilize their resources more effectively for the benefit of the entire community.</p> <p>Attached is a letter written in May 2023 addressed to Rebecca Esau, BDS Director. It is signed by multiple community members in the Boise neighborhood requesting the city to act on 624-638 N Beech St. The letter as it a representation of how this property has been affecting our neighborhood.</p> <p>I urge the Portland City Council to take decisive action by initiating foreclosure proceedings on these properties. Doing so would not only address the current issues but also demonstrate the city's commitment to maintaining the safety and prosperity of our neighborhoods.</p> <p>Thank you for your consideration.</p> <p>Sincerely, Megan Beaver</p>	Yes	09/12/23 9:52 AM
776	Boise Neighborhood Association	Support	<p>The Boise Neighborhood Association supports the foreclosure of the properties listed on item 3: 624-638 N Beech, Gregory Jon Martin, owner of record. Tax no. R146805700. These properties have been a nuisance and in disrepair for decades.</p>	Yes	09/12/23 1:58 PM

BOISE NEIGHBORS LETTER TO BUREAU OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES
RE: 624 – 638 N BEECH ONGOING SAFETY & LIVEABILITY CONCERNS

May 18, 2023

To: Rebecca Esau – Bureau Development Services Director

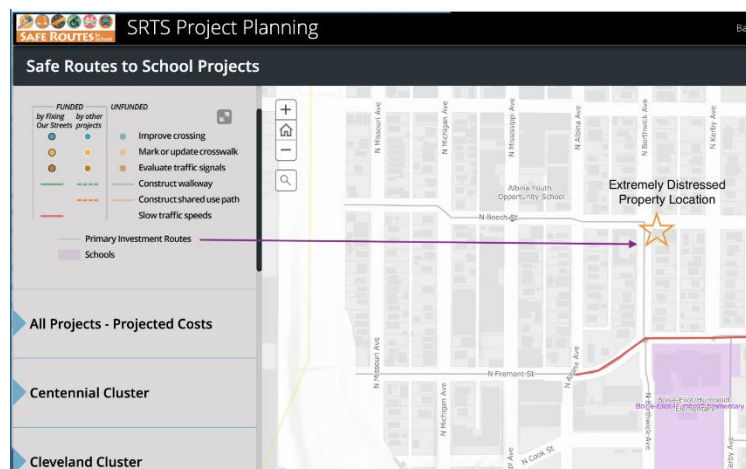
Neighbor Request for the City to Act on the Growing Public Safety Concerns at 624 - 638 N Beech Street Portland, OR 97227



As neighbors near 624 - 638 N Beech Street Portland, OR 97227, we are writing to urge the city to prioritize the safety concerns related to the worsening situation at the property.

The vacant property has neighborhood nuisance complaints dating back to 2000. Drug use is a problem; needles and bottles show up in front of the house regularly. A trailer parked in front of the house was towed by PBOT in the Fall 2022 because of drug paraphernalia found inside. Generally, the inadequate fencing, open doors, and broken windows invite illegal squatting and unsafe activities.

The proximity to Boise Elementary School is a major concern. The extremely distressed property is located on a Safe Routes to School Primary Investment Route given the high number of students and families that walk along Borthwick Ave daily. We have reached out to community organizations, including the Boise-Eliot Elementary School Parent Teacher Association (PTA) the Boise Neighborhood Association (BNA) to highlight the increasingly unsafe situation.



The Boise Neighborhood Association has had concerns regarding this property for years. In January 2018, the BNA submitted a letter to BDS voicing growing concerns and outlining the

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livability issues. Unfortunately, the situation has worsened. The condition of this property attracts illegally parked vehicles, blatant drug & alcohol use, and accompanying garbage. Families walking to school, neighbors, and pedestrians have had to navigate these hazards for decades. The BNA sent another letter to you on April 23, 2023, asking the BDS and the relevant city bureaus to act.

To summarize, the negative impacts of this property on surrounding area include:

1. **Constant Graffiti** – The two structures are covered with graffiti on multiple sides. Numerous nuisance complaints have been submitted over the last 20+ years. The structures act as magnets for tagging which extends into other parts of the neighborhood as well.
2. **Significant Trash** – Bottles and cans are frequently left behind from people who drink around and inside the property. Construction debris and plastics are strung throughout the yard. Dumping of mattresses and other debris occur somewhat regularly given the apparent absentee ownership.
3. **Broken Windows + Door Left Open for Weeks** – The presence of squatters is highly likely as doors are left wide open for weeks. These visitors reduce the feeling of safety and livability for neighbors and passersby.
4. **Drug Use** – Needles have been found outside of the house as noted earlier. Additionally, a bus and trailer were towed in Summer of 2022 because PBOT officials found drug paraphernalia inside.
5. **Urban Livability** – The degrading conditions of the buildings have a direct negative impact on pedestrians' sense of safety and nearby livability.
6. **Creating an Unsafe Environment Near Elementary School** – The most notable negative impact on pedestrians includes the parents and children who walk by the site daily on the way to Boise-Eliot Elementary School. The property is located on a Portland Public School Safe Route, which underscores the number of families who frequently walk by the site.



Bus and trailer removed after the vehicles were noted for drug use. Photo taken October 18, 2022.



Example of illegal dumping at the property along Beech Street frontage



Used syringe found in front of the property on March 25, 2023

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We appreciate that BDS recently obtained a warrant to board up open doors and windows. Yet sadly, this approach has proven to be a short-term fix. The historical trend is that the boards are eventually pried off soon after. Searching BDS activities at the property confirms this recurring pattern. In speaking with BDS officials, they have mentioned that there is little more that they are able to do.



*The second-story door left open for weeks.
Photo taken on April 5, 2023.*

BDS has fined the property owner for code violations and nuisance abatement, which have not been paid. According to the City of Portland Revenue Division, there are **\$378,868.99 in outstanding fines on the property as of May 4, 2023.**

We want to acknowledge and appreciate the general responsiveness of BDS employees, especially the senior housing inspectors and the district housing inspector who work on this EDPEP case. However, it has become clear that these city employees can only do so much.

Due to the longevity of this problem, we hope you can help us to understand why this declining property is allowable. In thinking about possible solutions, we'd like to ask:

- Given the decades-long issues at the site, is the city planning to allow these fines to go unpaid and the issues to persist indefinitely?
- Can the city create urgency for the property owner and require payment of outstanding fee balances?
- What is the purpose of Title 29 when a property owner is unresponsive to violations and will not maintain their property?

If the absentee owner continues to ignore the city, we ask you, Director Esau: what else can be done? We understand that private property rights are a foundational component of American society, but so are local laws. To the extent that a property owner can ignore local laws for decades, we ask the city to use its power to enforce compliance. Inaction will continue to negatively impact the neighborhood for decades to come.

We appreciate your consideration of this situation and hope to hear from you soon.

Respectfully,

Neighbors within one block of 624 - 638 N Beech

Megan Beaver & Alissa Jackson

Jamison & Julie Loos

Jeff Baggenstos

Porter Childs

Alena Dinihanian

Kristin Olson-Huddle – Neighbor + PTA Member Boise-Eliot Elementary School

Linda Rae Whitlow

CC: Commissioner Carmen Rubio

April 23, 2023

To: Rebecca Esau – Bureau Development Services Director, Commissioner Carmen Rubio

Re: Boise Neighborhood Association Support of City Taking Steps to Address the Growing Public Safety Concerns at **624 - 638 N Beech Street** Portland, OR 97227

We would like to voice our support for a neighbor-led effort to call the city to take action on the severely neglected structures at 624 - 638 N Beech Street Portland, OR 97227.

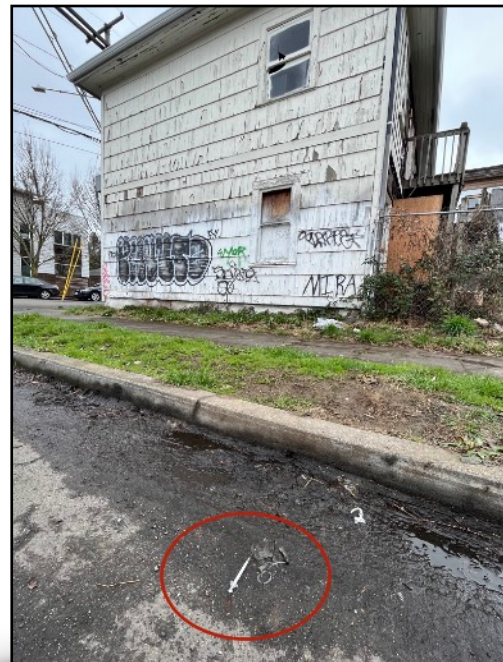
The two four-plex structures are located at the SE corner of N Beech & Borthwick and have neighborhood nuisance complaints dating back to 2000. More recently, derelict cars parked on and around the property have attracted drug activity, stolen vehicles, and illegally parked cars.

We respect that Bureau of Development Services (BDS) has formal processes in-place for handling these types of issues. However, neighbors have submitted formal complaints to no avail.

To demonstrate the long-term nature of the issues occurring at the property, we are attaching the letter that we sent to BDS on January 1, 2018. The letter chronicles the livability concerns that were present five years ago. Sadly, the public safety concerns have only worsened due to inaction.

In particular, BDS considered the situation to be “low priority” in 2018 because the building was “vacant and secure.” As we have noted in the past, the building is at times accessible though broken windows and doors, and neighbors have observed lights on inside the building at night. Therefore, clearly it is not “vacant and secure.” (See photos on page 2.)

Recent events raise still more concerns that these long-neglected buildings will be set ablaze by squatters, as happened with the long abandoned Farms Barn Tavern in Arbor Lodge only just days ago. Given their close



*Used syringe found in front of the property
on March 25, 2023*



proximity to occupied homes behind and to the left, you can imagine our reaction to that news.

We have been told that BDS has fined the property owner for past nuisance violations, which have not been paid and are accumulating a large outstanding balance. We respectfully ask that the city consider all options in creating urgency for the property owner to remedy these issues.



N Beach St View

Sincerely,

Boise Neighborhood Association



Rear Entrance



Front Entrance, N Beach St



January 1, 2018

To: Megan Greenauer, Housing Inspections Supervisor, Extremely Distressed Property Enforcement Program, Bureau of Development Services, City of Portland

Re: 624-638 N Beech St

Ms. Greenauer,

We have reached out several times as a neighborhood association and as individuals to the City regarding the two derelict fourplex units at 624 and 638 N. Beech, which have had decades of unattended to code violations. As you have told us, these properties are currently a low priority in the Enforcement Program's list because they are "vacant and secure". However, we believe that the buildings should be taken to hearing because these properties have had a negative neighborhood impact since they became vacant three years ago. Due to the history of failed sales we strongly suggest the City ignore the For Sale status. The property was problematic enough that the City forced the owner to sell it. The owner, who has been known to behave aggressively and erratically to neighbors, not only hasn't sold it, he's set the prices unreasonably high. Therefore, the City should continue with the enforcement process.

Negative livability impacts to this neighborhood include:

1. The buildings lack adequate siding, windows, or steps, and are currently completely substandard as dwellings. However, these buildings are not beyond salvage or repair.
2. Both buildings have become Graffiti Nuisance Properties. Many nuisance complaints have been submitted over the last 17 years (or at least as far back as the record goes on Portlandmaps.com). Photos of graffiti on the property have been sent to BDS.
3. Frequently trash has been left behind from people who drink and loiter on the steps, or are possibly squatting inside the abandoned buildings. These visitors reduce the feeling of safety and livability for neighbors.
4. Neither four-plex are providing housing for anyone, though current zoning there is opportunity for a total of 8 units, or up to 16 people. Our neighborhood is under intense development and experiencing increasing density, yet we lack enough affordable housing. This is a wasted opportunity for affordable housing.
5. The ugliness of the derelict buildings have a direct negative impact on nearby property values and livability.

Thank you for giving us the history of this building. Please maintain the history so when a new Senior Housing Inspector becomes available, this case can be taken to hearing. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Boise Neighborhood Association and Board and Land Use & Transportation Committee

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776	Randall Baker, Carson and Baker	Support with changes	We generally support City enforcement against landowners who willingly and intentionally allow their properties to fall into such nuisance conditions. We only oppose the Agenda item so far as concerns the property at 1225 NE 109th Avenue; we oppose placing this property into foreclosure for the reasons addressed in the attached email communications. Instead, we respectfully ask that, in light of the ongoing and significant actions to remedy both the past problems with this property and to resolve the outstanding liens, the Council remove the property at 1225 NE 109th Avenue from the list approved for foreclosure for a reasonable amount of time (30 days) to allow the current efforts to be completed without additional time and expense that approving the property for foreclosure will entail. Thank you.	Yes	09/12/23 7:11 PM
776	Mike Coumatos	Support	<p>The foreclosure office needs to go into action on these properties immediatly. I live on 84th ave in direct view of 6417 se 84th ave. It was an incredible nuisance before it partially burned down. In a court hearing about it I submitted a letter which declared that the tenants of this house were living in peril as they were heating this house all winter with a small generator running space heaters. It burned one week later. I ended up on the roof as it burned helping two people down a ladder. It is traumatizing for me to look at this shell of a house every morning before work. The roof was cut open and the house and seperate garages are now filled with black mold. The smell of this travels to our house and no doubt is affecting our health in the neighborhood. The rodent popultaion has also exploded on our block.</p> <p>These properties need to go now They are a blight on our city and deeply affect the daily lives of all neaby them in a profoundly negative manner.</p>	No	09/13/23 10:17 AM
776	Ben Seigel	Support	I just moved here last year, and was surprised to learn these buildings have been derelict since 1999. Please count me as strongly in favor of foreclosure action. I should not have to remind the Council that not only are they a blight on the neighborhood, but a huge missed opportunity for new housing. Yes, we worry about gentrification -- but it is my understanding that construction of high end housing can relieve some of the pressure at the lower end of the market. Whatever is constructed here short of a coal mine will be an improvement.	No	09/13/23 10:35 AM

Randall Baker

From: Randall Baker <randall@cblawpdx.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2023 4:55 PM
To: 'mayorwheeler@portlandoregon.gov'; 'CommissionerRyanOffice@portlandoregon.gov'; 'gonzalezoffice@portlandoregon.gov'; 'comm.rubio@portlandoregon.gov'; 'MappsOffice@portlandoregon.gov'
Cc: 'councilclerk@portlandoregon.gov'
Subject: FW: Foreclosure Notice re 1225 NE 109th Avenue, Portland, Oregon (Agenda No. 776 for 09/13/2023)

Dear Mayor Wheeler and Commissioners Ryan, Gonzalez, Rubio, and Mapps:

I'm forwarding below the email that I sent today to Kevin Foster, Foreclosure Prevention Manager, regarding the above-referenced property. I do so for efficiency's sake rather than summarize the situation a second time. My purpose in involving you today is solely to avoid unnecessary time and expense that raising this matter tomorrow before the Council tomorrow will entail.

As noted below, I and my firm now represent Lorelene (Lore) Smith, the owner of the above-referenced property. Ms. Smith is 80 years old, in significant cognitive decline, and, not least, without any family. Until recently, for the past several years, she has lived alone in Portland in a room at an extended-stay motel. While she somehow muddled through each day during this period, she's simply been incapable of functionally managing her affairs in any full sense of the phrase.

Consequently, among other aspects of her life, management or maintenance of the offending property completely dropped by the wayside. I've provided detail to staff at the City of just how desperate Ms. Smith's situation has been, detail which, truly, one almost needs to see and understand to believe.

Suffice to say, however, that, regarding the property at 1225 NE 109th, we've taken immediate steps to remedy the problem from the day that we were retained. Ms. Smith now has an attorney-in-fact in her corner under a Durable Power of Attorney. We promptly hired a company to completely clear all of the trash, debris and overgrowth from the backyard of the property. That work was finished some weeks ago. As noted below, we've also hired another company to clear and clean the interior of the home. That work (almost ironically) begins tomorrow.

I introduced myself to and have communicated regularly with all of the immediate neighbors adjacent to the property. They have my contact information and have agreed to notify me if anything amiss should occur at the property. As I informed Mr. Foster, I've been to the property more than half a dozen times in the past month. In short, the neighbors are very much aware that it's no longer business as usual at this problem property.

All of the significant steps that we've already taken to improve this property described above can be verified. I'm pleased to provide whatever additional information or assurances you or others at the City require to evidence our commitment to finish the job that is already underway.

Notably, last month, I also reached out to the contact number that I was provided at BDS to attempt to resolve the outstanding liens. No one from BDS returned my call. I did speak with BDS today, however, and learned that the previous number there that I'd been provided by City staff was not the correct department. After being

given the correct number (Property Compliance), I was transferred to a Supervisor's voicemail; I'm still awaiting a return call.

I should also note that, after receiving my email, Mr. Foster called me by phone this afternoon. We had a thorough discussion. He was uncertain what options he had at this point for removing the property from the proposed foreclosure list, but agreed to discuss the situation with his supervisor and would contact me thereafter this afternoon. I've not received any return call, either from Mr. Foster or his supervisor. Accordingly, I was prompted to send this email to you.

At this point in the day, I suspect that, unfortunately, I may need to appear at the Council meeting tomorrow after all. I hope that the above at least provides helpful underlying information to you in advance of any appearance that I must make. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Randall Baker

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From: Randall Baker <randall@cblawpdx.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2023 11:35 AM
To: 'kevin.foster@portlandoregon.gov' <kevin.foster@portlandoregon.gov>
Subject: Foreclosure Notice re 1225 NE 109th Avenue, Portland, Oregon

Good morning, Kevin:

I'm sending this email in follow-up to both our conversation of August 23, 2023, and the multiple phone messages that I've left in the past week regarding the above-referenced property. As we discussed, I and our

law firm now represent the property owner, Lorelene Smith. We were retained to help Ms. Smith manage her affairs which, as I explained in our conversation (and in my prior discussion with Mark Davis, who has handled the nuisance enforcement measures involving the property), included first and foremost having a Power of Attorney appointed for Ms. Smith which she has desperately needed for some time.

Our (our firm, Ms. Smith's attorney-in-fact, and Ms. Smith) first order of business has been to address the situation at above-referenced property. We did so immediately. As I informed you (and, previously, Mark Davis), the debris and tremendous overgrowth in the backyard is now completely cleared. Additionally, a company already has been hired to completely clear, clean, and sanitize the interior of the home. Their work begins tomorrow.

I personally have been to the property half a dozen times in the past month. I've met and communicated with the surrounding neighbors to inform and assure them that the ordeal that they've experienced tied to the property is at an end. That was a primary purpose for my contacting the City of Portland (Mark Davis, etc.) last month, as well.

I've been provided information covering the underlying nuisance liens against the property. I've tried to reach staff to discuss logistics for reaching settlement of the liens. My communications included my good-faith requests that staff flag this property file with my contact information and request that I be notified before any further enforcement measures are taken and/or if I can assist the City with any questions regarding the property.

That is why I was beyond surprised to learn just last week of a foreclosure notice from the Department of Revenue that was sent to Ms. Smith. We only learned of the notice from a friend of hers who we enlisted to help in the effort to sort through the volume of unopened mail that accumulated at Ms. Smith's PO Box for a significant amount of time.

Per my recent, and multiple, voicemails to you, Kevin, there simply is no need to push this property into foreclosure at this time. I and this firm have been retained to resolve all problems related to the property, including reaching full settlement of any liens and ensuring that the property is brought back to habitable and marketable condition for the good of the neighbors and neighborhood.

The foreclosure notice indicates that the property will be set for foreclosure approval by the City Council on September 13. We are asking that, in light of the above, this property be removed from the foreclosure list. Or, as a reasonable alternative, we ask that this property's listing for foreclosure at least be postponed a brief but reasonable amount of time for us to resolve the current liens which we earnestly are attempting to do. If I must bring this matter before the Council by appearing tomorrow or, moreover, contact the Mayor's Office today, which I'm inclined to do in light of the timing, I will do so. Such additional time and effort simply seems unnecessary given our willingness and commitment to resolve this situation voluntarily.

As we previously discussed, a significant portion of the total lien balance is merely a result of the repeated doubling of the original lien amounts. These penalties understandably continued to accrue while, due to Ms. Smith's age (80 years old) and cognitive impairment, she effectively had no clue of what was happening around her with such matters. I and others can and will attest to Lore's impaired condition here.

The foreclosure notice lists you as the person with whom to "discuss details to prevent foreclosure." I'm asking that you please contact me today, Kevin, so that we can resolve the immediate situation and at least remove the property from the list set for foreclosure approval by the Council tomorrow. To help expedite a solution, in case you can't reach me at my office number, please feel free to call me on my cell number: (503) 709-1447. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation.

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793 / 776	Lents Neighbors	Support	<p>Dear City Council Members,</p> <p>We are writing to request that the city of Portland and Multnomah County take remedial action on behalf of the health and welfare of residents, families, and children affected by a destroyed property (fire) located at 6417 SE 84th Avenue, Portland. Besides the flagrant and longstanding unenforced set of liens, the property is now approaching one and a half years of severe and unmediated health hazards.</p> <p>This single family residence suffered a catastrophic fire on April 20, 2022, a property rented by people known to engage in using and dealing illegal narcotics. The landlord knew this as she lives only blocks away. The subsequent fire and contaminated debris has created numerous hazards to residents throughout this neighborhood. Besides the physical hazards, there are extreme health dangers affecting adjacent homes and their families. The house is still filled with belongings in the basement and garages and has been the subject of break-ins since being boarded up. Two house cats never made it out from the fire according to the previous residents and are presumably dead inside. An odor of mold permeates from the open roofed building and as the rainy season approaches this will again worsen. The front porch is littered with hazardous debris, children in the neighborhood love to investigate it and the remainder of the property. Furthermore, there are ongoing health risks with the various toxins associated with such fires. One of the most dangerous of these toxins are a family of dioxins resulting from the burn-off of such chlorinated materials as PVCs, plastics, paper, pesticides, etc. Dioxins are scientifically recognized as a persistent organic pollutant more lethal than asbestos or lead. Additionally, there are a family of toxins associated with fires where narcotics are prevalent.</p> <p>There is a moral if not legal imperative for City and or County remediation of this unattended and neglected property. We implore City Council to take action with respect to their duties of foreclosure; particularly wherein owners of said properties conspicuously disregard liens, fail to follow safety codes while essentially abandoning a destroyed property that is a major health hazard as well as another indicator of encroaching blight in Portland's poorest neighborhoods. These neighborhoods feel ignored by the city and a rotting, festering house only adds to the feeling of the cities indifference. There is no guarantee that developers will want to buy these properties given the high liens. Also, the year long amnesty period for owners after a foreclosure sale almost assures delays possibly years long.</p> <p>We further ask responsible city and county Health officials survey this property for the known health issues associated with major fires and the unattended rubble and dangerous toxins of such fires. These properties need to be safely de-constructed as soon as possible. The ongoing risks to people residing in adjacent properties is too great a probability to leave ignored by accountable government agencies. Please help us.</p> <p>Sincerely,</p> <p>The Concerned Neighbors of 84th Avenue</p>	No	09/20/23 9:45 AM

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830	Catherine Murphy The Stonewall Restorative Health Project	Support	First of all I would like to thank you all for your hard work. The disease of addiction is not your fault. I am sorry you are blamed for the fentanyl crisis that plagues our beautiful city. My name is Catherine Murphy I am the Executive Director for The Stonewall Restorative Health Project. A non profit serving the behavioral health needs of the LGBTQ community. I come many years experience with homelessness and SUD. We would love if the City or County could donate a small space for our project. We intend to serve the community "where they are at on any given day" Our program will serve all with addiction and mental health needs with a focus on black brown and lgbtq folks. We will also provide sex trafficking therapy and religious abuse treatment. I have been a member of the "Mothership 12 step program" for 45 years, sober 38. Our organization will provide a unique approach to culturally specific services with a lot of compassionate care. Our model will be one that sets a new standard for non-profits. We are all women. We are all directors, and we are all making the same salary. Please take care of yourselves and each other. The work you are doing is good work, and I and many others who know what addiction can do to the government's see you. Please don't hesitate to contact me. I also work for Cascadia Health. Best Regards Catherine Murphy 503-312-2983 The Stonewall Restorative Health Project.	No	10/03/23 3:31 PM

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Agenda Item	First Name	Last Name
776-1	Mike	Lindberg
776-2	Randall	Baker