CODE ENFORCEMENT BOARD CITY OF MIDDLESBORO CASE #F018.0026

CITY OF MIDDLESBORO,

PETITIONER,

VS.

JAMES & DOROTHY ORR

RESPONDENT.

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL LIEN PURSUANT TO KRS 65.8835

CITY OF MIDDLESBORO, KENTUCKY

Notice is hereby given that the real property of James & Dorothy Orr, located at 315

Doncaster Avenue, Middlesboro, Kentucky, 40965, Parcel ID# 070-30-00-088.00, of record in the

Bell County Court Clerk's Office in Deed Book 247 at Page 315, is subject to fine assessment(s) of

the City of Middlesboro, Kentucky.

Based on violations of the City Code of Ordinances §151.14 and §91.01 as adjudicated in

Case #F018.0026 by issuance of Findings of Fact and Final Order dated May 11, 2018 by the

Middlesboro Codes Enforcement Board, the City of Middlesboro, pursuant to City Code §32.122

and KRS 65.8835, hereby asserts a lien against the subject property hereinabove identified.

It is hereby certified that a copy of this Notice of Municipal Lien on Real Estate has been

hand-delivered or mailed to the last known address of the above-named individual and to the Bell

County Court Clerk, by regular first-class mail, postage pre-paid, on this the 13th day of

JULY , 2019.26

Codes Enforcement Office/ 606-248-5670 Ext 110

P.O. Box 756

Middlesboro, KY 40965

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## AFFIDAVIT OF TIM KELLEY, CODES ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

Affiant, Tim Kelley, Codes Enforcement Officer for the City of Middlesboro, Kentucky, hereby avers as follows:

- 1. The property at 315 Doncaster Avenue, Middlesboro, Kentucky, 40965, owned by James & Dorothy Orr, was cited for multiple violations of Middlesboro City Code housing/ nuisance violations.
- 2. The matter proceeded to a final hearing before the Middlesboro City Codes Enforcement Board under Case No. F018.0026, wherein Findings of Fact were made and a Final Order issued on May 11, 2018.
- 3. The Final Order issued by the Codes Enforcement Board provides: "In the event that the violation(s) is not corrected on or before the date specified, then there shall be imposed upon the Respondent a civil fine of \$110.00 per month from date of Final Order and continuing each day, up to the maximum allowable fine for this offense, until the violation is corrected."
- 4. As the Codes Enforcement Officer for the City of Middlesboro, I attest that the citation and proceedings before the Codes Enforcement Board were effectuated and met all requirements of Chapter 32 of the Middlesboro City Code of Ordinances.

TIM KELLEY, Codes Enforcement Officer

City of Middlesboro, Kentucky

# STATE OF KENTUCKY COUNTY OF BELL

The foregoing Affidavit was subscribed, sworn to, and acknowledged before me by TIM

KELLEY on this the 13 day of July,

NOTARY PUBLIC, State at Large

My Commission Expires: 2-1-22

Sandra K. Wilson Notary Public, ID No. 594257 State at Large, Kentucky My Commission Expires 2/1/2022

## **Code Enforcement Board**

# City of Middlesboro

Case # FO18.0026

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Petitioner

V

James & Dorothy Orr

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## Findings of Fact, Conclusions

## Of Law, and Final Order

This cause was presented at a public hearing before the Code Enforcement Board on May 01, 2018, after due notice to the Respondent, and the Board having heard testimony, received evidence, heard and considered arguments, now issue its Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Final Order, as follows:

# **Findings of Fact**

The Respondent, James & Dorothy Orr, whose mailing address is 315 Doncaster Avenue, Middlesboro, Kentucky 40965, is the owner or person in charge of property located at 315 Doncaster Avenue, Middlesboro, Kentucky 40965.

The Respondent received a citation issued by Tim Kelley, dated April 09, 2018, which charged the Respondent with a violation of Section(s) 151.14 & 91.01 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Middlesboro, Kentucky described as follows: No water or electrical service is currently available to the structure and the structure is threatening collapse. Every wall, window, roof, door, floor, and porch shall be maintained in sound condition and repair. Excessive growth of weeds, grass, and other vegetation is considered a nuisance.

The Board finds, based on all of the testimony and evidence presented at the hearing, that the condition described in the citation did, in fact, exist at the time the citation was issued, that the condition did constitute a violation of Section(s) 151.14 & 91.01of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Middlesboro, Kentucky, and that the condition was caused by, or was the responsibility of, the Respondent as owner, or person in charge, of the property on which the violation occurred.

### **Conclusions of Law**

The Board concludes, based on the foregoing Findings of Fact, the Respondent, James & Dorothy Orr, have committed a violation of Section(s) 151.14 & 91.01 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Middlesboro, Kentucky, as charged in the citation.

#### Final Order

Respondent, James & Dorothy Orr, are hereby ordered to correct the violation(s) on or before 30 days from date of issue of Final Order. In the event that the violation(s) is not corrected on or before the date specified, then there shall be imposed against the Respondent a civil fine of \$25 per day from date of Final Order, and continuing each day, up to the maximum allowable fine for this offense, until the violation is corrected. The burden shall rest upon the Respondent to request a re-inspection by the Code Enforcement Officer to determine whether the property is brought into compliance.

If James & Dorothy Orr fails to comply within the time specified, a certified copy of this order, together with a Claim of Lien, shall be recorded in the Office of the County Clerk, and once recorded, along with all charges and fees incurred by the City in connection with enforcement, shall constitute a lien against the property upon which the violation exists, pursuant to KRS 65.8835. Pursuant to Chapter 151 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Middlesboro, removal or demolition, of the above referenced property, may be ordered, as deemed necessary by the Code Enforcement Board. This lien may be foreclosed and the property sold to enforce the civil fine and all enforcement costs incurred by the City in connection with this matter.

Under KRS 65.8831, any final order issued by the Code Enforcement Board may be appealed to Bell County District Court. The appeal must be filed not later than thirty (30) from the date the Code Enforcement Board issues the final order.

DONE AND ORDERED THIS 11th day of May, 2018. CODE ENFORCEMENT BOARD OF MIDDLESBORO, KENTUCKY

Chairman, Code Enforcement Board

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Final Order has been furnished by either hand delivery, or registered mail, to Respondent, James & Dorothy Orr, on this the 14th day of May

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Secretary, Code Batorcement Board 10:46:00 AM \$46.00

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