

# CITY OF COCONUT CREEK SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING MINUTES

Government Center 4800 W. Copans Road Coconut Creek, Florida Date: April 28, 2021 Time: 2:30 p.m. Hearing No. 2021-04

1. The Special Magistrate Richard Doody called the meeting to order at 2:33 p.m.

#### 2. Explanation of Proceedings by Special Magistrate

Mr. Doody explained that he was an attorney appointed by the City to hear alleged Code violations and that this was a quasi-judicial proceeding, which is more formal than an appearance before the City Commission but less formal than courtroom proceedings. Persons intending to speak would be sworn in. Both sides would have the right to cross-examine anyone who speaks, and both sides would have the right to submit evidence into the record. Although the burden to prove the case is upon the City, State Statue and local ordinances provide that those parties who are found guilty of a Municipal code violation can be subject to a fine amount or a fine amount that runs on a daily basis. Mr. Doody emphasized that his role is not that of a judge but that of a fact-finder and hearing officer to determine the facts and make a ruling on the facts that are submitted into the record. He also clarified that unlike a judge, a Special Magistrate does not have equitable powers, and he cautioned that although he would answer questions about the process at any time during the proceedings, he could not give legal advice. He requested that if a person agreed with the violation but was seeking additional time to remedy the violation, the formality of the hearing would be dispensed so that it could be addressed. In contested violations, the City would speak first with the individual's response following.

### 3. Swearing in of Witnesses

#### 4. Cases

	Property Owner/Violator	
	Address	Violation
Citation No.	Violation	Date

# Officer Briana Capone

C21040001	Coconut Fields LLC	04/01/21
	521 NE Spanish Trail Boca Raton, FL 33432	
	Violation Address: 6806 N. State Road 7	
	Chapter 13, Section 444-b-4-b	
	Improper pruning of 19 trees: Live Oak and Royal Poinciana	

**Disposition:** This case has complied.

C21020133	Frany Realty Co LLC	02/16/21
	101 W. 55 Street New York, NY 10019	
	Violation Address: 4525 Wiles Road	
	Chapter 13, Section 38-a	
	Failure to obtain permit 1. Gas pumps 2. Monument Sign	

**Disposition:** The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May

27, 2021 or a \$75 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

02/16/21 Keane Realty Holding LLC C21020135 6850 Lyons Technology Cir Coconut Creek, FL 33073 Violation Address: 6850 Lyons Tec Cir

Chapter 13, Section 444-b-4-b

Improper tree pruning 14 Crape Myrtles 5 Gumbo Limbos

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and accepted the terms of the Stipulated

Agreement.

C21020141

02/16/21 C21020140 Lyons 7600 LLC

12740 Yardley Drive Boca Raton, FL 33428

Violation Address: 7650 Lyons Road

Chapter 19, Section 37-2

Parking: commercial recreational/trailers not permitted

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May

27, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

02/16/21

03/16/21

12740 Yardley Drive Boca Raton, FL 33428

Violation Address: 7650 Lyons Road

Chapter 13, Section 241-i

Lyons 7600 LLC

Sidewalk discoloration & vegetation

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May

27, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

03/03/21 Lyons 7600 LLC C21030019

12740 Yardley Drive Boca Raton, FL 33428

Violation Address: 7650 Lyons Road

Chapter 6, Section 36-b

Exterior premise condition: outside storage not permitted

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May

27, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

Lyons Corporate Park LLLP C21030113 6601 Lyons Road #C1 Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 6601 Lyons Road #D8

Chapter 13, Section 38-a

Failure to complete permit process commercial alterations

\*Stop work order issued 3/16/21\*

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May 27,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25. This

case has been set for Status Conference on May 26, 2021.

<u>03/16</u>/21 Lyons Corporate Park LLLP C21030114

6601 Lyons Road #C1 Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 6601 Lyons Road #D8

Chapter 6, Section 16

Unsafe structure \*minimum housing code for Broward County

Commercial Alterations

C21020022

C21040064

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May 27,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25. This

02/02/21

04/13/21

case has been set for Status Conference on May 26, 2021.

C21040055 Rudolf Winston Sr Est %Jolonda Rudolf 04/08/21

18115 NW 42 Court Miami, FL 33055 Violation Address: 4920 NW 48 Avenue

Chapter 20, Section 12 Water meter bypass

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a one-time fine of \$100 with a

one-time administrative fee of \$25.

Tulloch, Dionne R

5101 NW 47 Avenue Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 5101 NW 47 Avenue

Chapter 18, Section 29

Business tax receipt renewal required Golden Retreat Inc.

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a one-time fine of \$250 with a

one-time administrative fee of \$25.

C21040069 Tulloch, Dionne R 04/13/21

5101 NW 47 Avenue Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 5101 NW 47 Avenue

Chapter 9. Section 2

Fire prevention & protection: failed inspections

**Disposition:** The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May

27, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

C21040063 Vuscan, Rojeir & Katya 04/13/21

9582 Lancaster Place Boca Raton, FL 33434 Violation Address: 4755 NW 76 Street

Chapter 9, Section 2

Fire prevention & protection Sec. F-124 uniform generator code

**Disposition:** The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May

27, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

9582 Lancaster Place Boca Raton, FL 33434

Violation Address: 4755 NW 76 Street

Chapter 13, Section 38-a

Vuscan, Rojeir & Katya

Failure to obtain permit 1. Generator

2. Transfer switch on house panel

**Disposition:** The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May

27, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

C21040065

Whyte, Cynthia

04/13/21

5317 NW 125 Avenue Coral Springs, FL 33076

Violation Address: 5030 NW 44 Avenue

Chapter 9, Section 2

Fire prevention & protection Sec. F-124 uniform generator code

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May 27,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25. This

case has been set for Status Conference on May 26, 2021.

C21040066

Whyte, Cynthia

04/13/21

5317 NW 125 Avenue Coral Springs, FL 33076

Violation Address: 5030 NW 44 Avenue

Chapter 13, Section 38-a

Failure to obtain permit 1. Generator

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May 27,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25. This

case has been set for Status Conference on May 26, 2021.

Officer Janet Clark

C21020211

Dematteo Management, Inc. %CVS Health#5215-01 Store Acting 02/24/21

1 CVS Drive MC 2320 Woonsocket, RI 02895

Violation Address: 4500 N State Road 7

Chapter 6, Section 36-b

Exterior premises condition: parking lot lighting disrepair

(Safety hazard) \*remove & replace with a permit\*

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May 27, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25. This

case has been set for Status Conference on May 26, 2021.

C21030092

Dematteo Management, Inc. %CVS Health#5215-01 Store Acting 03/11/21

1 CVS Drive MC 2320 Woonsocket, RI 02895

Violation Address: 4500 N State Road 7

Chapter 13, Section 241-i

Sidewalks: failure to clean/clear

Adjacent areas of sidewalks, curbs, gutters (Wiles Road)

Disposition: This case has complied.

C21030093

Dematteo Management, Inc. %CVS Health#5215-01 Store Acting 03/11/21

1 CVS Drive MC 2320 Woonsocket, RI 02895

Violation Address: 4500 N State Road 7

Chapter 13, Section 444-b

Landscaping – maintenance standards: Restore landscape to original site plan

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of June 10,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

C20110055	Pompano Imports Inc. 11/17	<u>/20</u>
	700 N. Federal Hwy Pompano Beach, FL 33062	
	Violation Address: 4401 W. Sample Road	
	Chapter 13, Section 38-a	
	Failure to obtain permit: damage to structure from vehicle accident	

**Disposition:** The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of June 10, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

## Officer Terra Johnson

C21040092	CGL Banyan Bay LP – Renter: Lewis, Valencia J	04/14/21
	P.O. Box 56607 Atlanta, GA 30343	
	Violation Address: 4501 W. Atlantic Boulevard #1510	
	Chapter 5, Section 6-c	
	Animal bite to human	

**Disposition:** This case has complied.

C21040035	Polanco Vargas, Benjamin & Payano Quezada, Ashmy	04/03/21
	4281 NW 53 Court Coconut Creek, FL 33073	
	Violation Address: 4281 NW 53 Court	
	Chapter 5, Section 6-c	
	Animal bite to human	

**Disposition:** This case has complied.

## Officer Luis Montano-Garcia

C21030106	Garcia, Emmanuel	03/15/21
	1210 Bahama Bend #D1 Coconut Creek, FL 33066	
	Violation Address: 1210 Bahama Bend #D1	
	Chapter 13, Section 38-a	
	Failure to obtain permit for door replacement	

**Disposition:** This case has been continued to May 26, 2021.

C21020189	Johnson, Yvonne	02/22/21
Cont. from 3/24	4471 Coconut Creek Boulevard Coconut Creek, FL 33066	
	Violation Address: 4471 Coconut Creek Boulevard	
	Chapter 13, Section 444-b-4-b	
	Improper tree pruning: 1 Hong Kong Orchid & 1 Live Oak	

**Disposition:** This case has complied.

C20080140	Numa, Roody	08/17/20
Cont. from 3/24	514 NW 47 Avenue Coconut Creek, FL 33063	
	Violation Address: 514 NW 47 Avenue	
	Chapter 13, Section 444-b-4-b	
	Improper tree pruning: 1 Mahogany tree	

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May 27,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

<u>C20120018</u> Songer, Eugene & Cynthia 12/02/20
Cont. from 3/24 4470 NW 7 Street Coconut Creek, FL 33066

Violation Address: 4470 NW 7 Street Chapter 13, Section 444-b-4-b Improper tree pruning: 1 Black Olive

**Disposition:** This case has complied.

<u>C21030154</u> <u>Uptown Properties LLC</u> <u>03/23/21</u>

958 Harbor View S Hollywood, FL 33019 Violation Address: 286 Sunshine Drive

Chapter 12, Section 33-3

Trash: unauthorized accumulation

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a one-time fine of \$25 with a

one-time administrative fee of \$25.

Officer Jan Moppert

C21040071 Aldajuste, Frederica 03/31/21

4151 NW 62 Court Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 4151 NW 62 Court

Chapter 13, Section 44-b-4-b

Improper tree pruning: tree in front yard hatracked

**Disposition:** This case has been continued to May 26, 2021.

C21020088 Johnson, Kemoy & Isiaa 02/10/21

6261 NW 41 Way Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 6261 NW 41 Way

Chapter 18, Section 29

Business Tax Receipt – required \*Dynamic Contractor Services LLC\*

**Disposition:** This case has complied.

C21040006 St. Victor, Mirassania & Vilson 03/31/21

4061 NW 62 Court Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 4061 NW 62 Court

Chapter 13, Section 444-b-4-b

Improper tree pruning: tree hatracked – left front lawn

**Disposition:** This case has complied.

Officer Craig Vanek

C21030141 Frauman, David 03/20/21

4264 NW 51 Street Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 4264 NW 51 Street

Chapter 13, Section 38-a

Failure to obtain permit: interior renovations

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of June 24,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

C20120027 Tanfulla, Maria Rosa 12/03/20

1440 Coral Ridge Drive Coral Springs, FL 33071

Violation Address: 5304 NW 54 Street

Chapter 6, Section 36-a-2 Non-maintenance of roof

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May 27,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

1440 Coral Ridge Drive Coral Springs, FL 33071

Violation Address: 5304 NW 54 Street

Chapter 6, Section 36-b-9

Non-maintenance of lawn & landscaping

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and imposed a compliance date of May 27,

2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

**Status Conference** 

C19100172 Dibari, Julie & Julie A Dibari LIV TR 10/22/19

Moppert 4834 NW 57 Manor Coconut Creek, FL 33073

Violation Address: 4834 NW 57 Manor

Chapter 6, Section 36-a-2 Non-maintenance of roof

**Disposition:** This case has complied.

C20080115 Lima, Cherese 08/27/20

Moppert 19199 NW 23 Court Pembroke Pines, FL 33029-5336

Violation Address: 4904 NW 57 Manor

Chapter 6, Section 36-a-2 Non-maintenance of roof

**Disposition:** There has been no changes made to the final order for this case.

C21020131 Lyons Plaza Coconut Creek LLC 02/13/21

Clark 361 NE 167 Street North Miami Beach, FL 33162

Violation Address: 1301-1509 Lyons Road

Chapter 6, Section 36-b

Exterior premises condition: parking lot lighting disrepair

(Safety Hazard) \*Remove & replace with a permit\*

**Disposition:** There has been no changes made to the final order for this case.

C20070058 Thomas, Ileen
Clark 2343 NW 34 Terrace Coconut Creek, FL 33066

2343 NW 34 Terrace Coconut Creek, FL 33066 Violation Address: 2343 NW 34 Terrace

Chapter 6, Section 36-a-2

Non-maintenance of roof- discoloration and disrepair (tarp present)

07/29/20

\*Repeat Violation\*

Disposition: The Special Magistrate found for the city and extended the time for compliance for June

24, 2021 or a \$50 fine per day would begin with a one-time administrative fee of \$25.

**5.** Acceptance of Minutes: Hearing No. 2021-03 for March 24, 2021.

The Minutes were accepted without corrections or deletions.

# 6. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

The meeting adjourned at 3:53 p.m.

Daniella Thomas Senior Staff Assistant