Code Enforcement Report

City Attorney's Office October 5, 2023

CANNABIS ADMINISTRATIVE PROSECUTOR PROGRAM (CAPP)

- Memorandum of Understanding with the Office of the Attorney General.
- Partnership allows CAPP Team to undertake efficient enforcement actions against illegal land uses that constitute public nuisances.
- CAPP will enforce all laws related to illegal commercial cannabis activity, including retail and cultivation.

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

August 2023 - August 2024



Night Team

- Temporary Night Team launched August 17, 2023, consisting of two senior inspectors.
- They are conducting city-wide enforcement of a range of cases, including sidewalk and mobile vending. They also enforce the Tower District Sidewalk Vending Pilot Program, effective August 1, 2023.
- As of September 18, the team has issued 12 written warnings and 13 citations to sidewalk vendors. They have issued 4 citations to mobile vendors.

NIGHT TEAM





Sidewalk Vendor dripping grease on ground.

Mobile Vendor with no permit.

10 NEW ENERGY EFFICIENT PRIUSES



- Seven Council District Teams
- Blighted Vacant Building Team
- Blackstone Corridor

District Team Case Numbers (as of September 21, 2023):

District 1 – 206 cases

District 2 – 137 cases

District 3 – 353 cases

District 4 – 133 cases

District 5 – 207 cases

District 6 – 94 cases

District 7 – 231 cases

Total: 1361 Cases



From July through September 2023, the District teams closed the following amounts of cases:

District 1 – 346 cases

District 2 – 268 cases

District 3 – 384 cases

District 4 – 252 cases

District 5 – 197 cases

District 6 – 195 cases

District 7 – 273 cases

Total: 1915 Cases





Junk, Rubbish & Rodents 1309 W Myers (D3) – Before





1309 W Myers – After





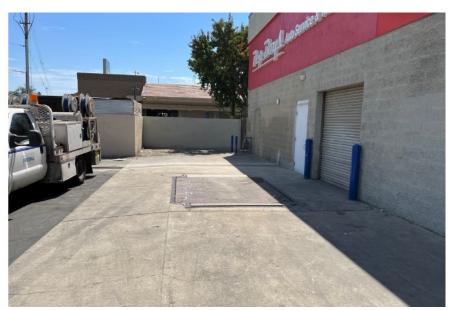
- Commercial Vacant Building Ordinance
- 3152 N Millbrook (District 4): the team worked with the owner to take control of a longstanding problem, and the property was demolished.

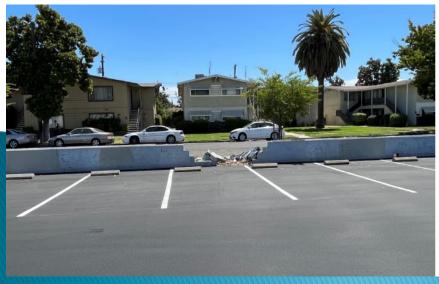




BLACKSTONE CORRIDOR





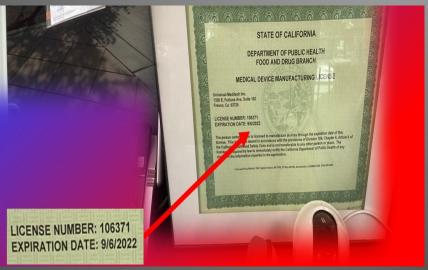




HAZARDOUS MATERIALS POLICY

- Universal Meditech Lab
- ▶ 1320 E Fortune





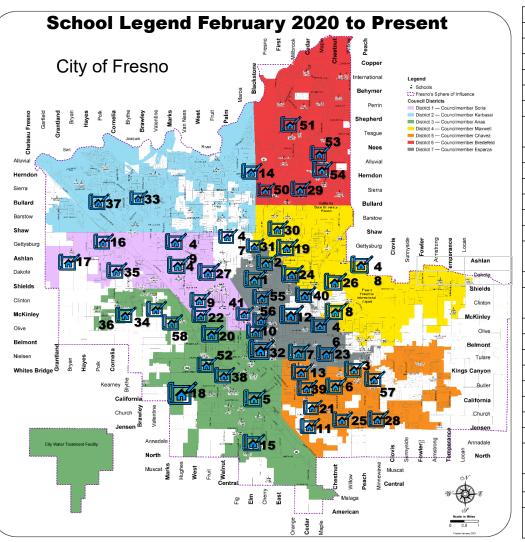


HAZARDOUS MATERIALS POLICY

When any Code Enforcement personnel discovers or comes across suspected hazardous materials, all proper authorities shall be notified (i.e., Fresno Fire Hazardous Materials Response Team, PD, County and State Health Department Officials, and relevant federal agencies). In addition, notify your supervisor who will take this up the chain to the City Attorney and City Manager.

Special TeamsSchool Area Team

- The School Area Team provides pro-active code enforcement around schools.
- Since the last quarterly report, the SAT has completed inspections and outreach in the following nine school areas: Turner (D7), Bullard Talent (D2; D1), Viking (D4), Slater (D1), McCardle (D6), Fort Washington/Clovis West (D6), Lincoln/Kastner (D6), Maple Creek (D6), and Mountain View (D6). A small number of cases in these areas will continue as they require additional time and effort to reach compliance.
- SAT enforcement and outreach is now underway in the following four school areas: Hidalgo (D7), Addams (D3), Greenberg (D5), and Webster (D7).



1.	Fort Miller Middle	30.	Wolters Elementary
2.	Pyle Elementary	31.	Holland Elementary
3.	Olmos Elementary	32.	Yokomi Elementary
4.	Wilson Elementary	33.	Figarden Elementary
5.	Lincoln Elementary	34.	Tilley Elementary
6.	Frank Lane Elementary	35.	Steinbeck Elementary &
7.	Rowell Elementary	00.	Central East High
	Ericson & Norseman	36.	McKinley Elementary &
8.	Elementary		El Capitan Middle
9.	Homan Elementary	37.	Saroyan Elementary
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	Calwa Elementary	39.	Vang Pao Elementary &
	Mayfair Elementary		Sequoia Middle
	Jackson Elementary	40.	Wishon Elementary &
	Pinedale Elementary	41.	McLane High
	West Fresno Elementary &	41.	Heaton Elementary
115	Middle	43.	Leavenworth Elementary Jefferson Elementary
	Teague Elementary	44.	Winchell Elementary
	Harvest Elementary & Glacier		Ayer Elementary & Sunnysic
17.	Middle	45.	High
10	Sunset Elementary	46.	Turner Elementary
	Thomas Elementary	47.	Bullard Talent
	-	48.	
	Muir Elementary	49.	
	Balderas Elementary	50.	McCardle Elementary
	Fremont Elementary		Fort Washington Elementary
	Burroughs Elementary	51.	Clovis West High
	Centennial Elementary	50	Lincoln Elementary & Kastne
25.	Aynesworth Elementary	52.	Middle
26.	Addicott Elementary &	53.	Maple Creek Elementary
	Scandinavian Middle	54.	Mountain View Elementary
	Roeding & Williams Elementary	55.	Hidalgo Elementary
28.	Storey Elementary	56.	Webster Elementary
20	Eaton Elementary &	57.	<u> </u>
29.	Ahwahnee Middle	58.	Addams Elementary











Special TeamsSchool Area Team

- ▶ 1526 E Home (Heaton Neighborhood District 1)
- Substandard housing deteriorated exterior and multiple interior violations.





Special TeamsSchool Area Team

- 6265 N Callisch (McCardle Neighborhood District 6)
- Overgrown landscaping obstructing sidewalk.





Abatement Team

Before

 Completed 244 abatements, including board-ups, tall grass/weed abatements, and junk/rubbish clean-ups.

3054 N El Capitan (District 1)





After

▶ Abatement Team – 4942 E Oslin (District 7)



Before



After

▶ Abatement Team – 933 S Willow (District 5)



Before



After

Demolition Team

- Demolitions Completed
 - 1 directly by the City
 - 6 completed by property owners with Code Enforcement oversight and motivation
- Demolitions in Progress
 - 6 demolitions are in progress
 - 6 demolition applications are in progress
 - 7 rehabilitations by owner in lieu of demolition are in progress
 - 9 applications for rehabilitation by owner in lieu of demolition are in progress

Demolition by Property Owner – 1220 N Abby (District 7)





 Demolition by Property Owner – 1104 W North (District 3)





 Demolition by Property Owner – 5689 E Kings Canyon (District 5)





Tire Team

- Collected over 5,000 tires this quarter
- Conducted 120 waste tire facility inspections this year
- Upcoming Waste Tire Amnesty Event:
 - October 7, 2023, at 5015 E Olive, Mennonite Community Church parking lot

Illegal Dumping Team

- Issued 116 citations since last Code Report
- 17 covert camera units are in use to combat illegal dumping and address complaints received from residents and businesses.

Illegal Dumping

8/20/23 2:06 PM Harvey and Backer Ave-Illegal Dumping of Waste Tires



Captured License Plate

8/20/23 2:06 PM Harvey and Backer Ave-Illegal Dumping of Waste Tires License Plate Capture



Drive-By Shooting Captured on Illegal Dumping Camera

July 27, 2023, 1:50 PM McKinley and Normal Ave. Drive-by shooting incident. Video was provided to FPD detectives; ShotSpotter also detected the incident approx. Eight rounds were fired at a passing vehicle.



Administration Special Assessments

- Quarterly assessment hearings
- Most recently, these were held on August 29 and 30, 2023, and a total of \$175,461,81 was assessed from 182 cases.
- Will request amounts be forwarded to the Fresno County Tax Assessors Office to be added to property tax.

Rental Housing

- ASET and Reactive
 - ASET currently has 18 open cases with properties containing 321 rental units.
 - Since the last report, the Reactive Unit has opened 540 cases, closed 437 cases, and has 383 active cases.

ASET – 510 W Hammond (District 3)

This property is a two-story complex with eight units. The initial inspection of the entire complex occurred on January 25, 2023, and 137 violations were found. All violations have been cleared, except repairs needed for the fire-damaged garages.

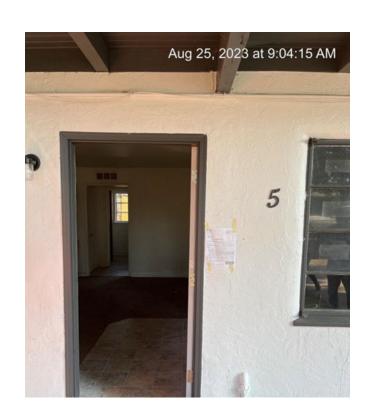




ASET – 510 W Hammond (District 3)







ASET – 444 S Dearing (District 7)

This is a two-story complex with ten units. The initial inspection of the entire complex occurred on July 5, 2023, and 145 violations were found. To date, approximately 85% of the violations have been cleared.



Before



After

ASET – 444 S Dearing (District 7)





ASET – 3079 E Weldon (District 7)

This property is a one-story building consisting of four units. This case began in 2019, and the property owner was not diligent in repairing the property. The City was beginning the process to seek the appointment of a Receiver. However, in March 2023, the property sold, and the current owner has cleared most violations.



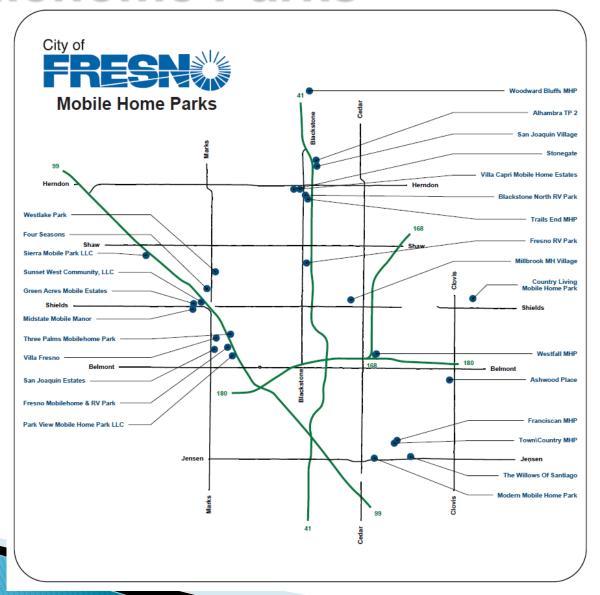


Rental Housing

Proactive Inspections

- Currently, there are 87,965 individual rental units registered in the Rental Housing Registry, which are located at 30,787 registered rental properties.
- Since the inception of the program, over 18,366
 Baseline Health & Safety and Compliance Reinspections have been performed.

Mobilehome Parks

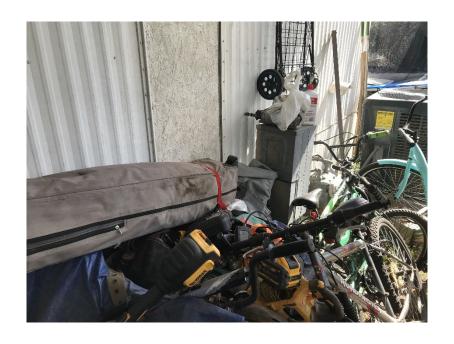


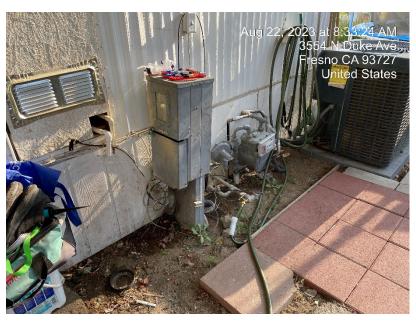
Mobilehome Parks

- From May 1, 2023, to present, 8 complaint-based inspections have been completed, 10 cases have been closed, and 32 cases are currently active.
- In the same time period, the team has completed two maintenance inspections with a total of 421 spaces and is scheduled to inspect a third park with 119 spaces before the end of the year.

MHP Team Country Living Mobilehome Park (District 4)

Improper storage near utilities





MHP Team Woodward Bluffs Mobilehome Park (District 6)

Improper storage.





Legal Team

- The legal team focuses on: inspection/abatement warrants; petitioning the court for receivership; research memoranda, ordinances, and resolutions on Code Enforcement related topics; representing multiple departments at administrative hearings; and the Eviction Protection Program.
- Since May 1, 2023:
 - 28 inspection and/or abatement warrants
 - Successfully petitioned the court to appoint a receiver on 2 properties
 - Represented the City at 8 administrative hearings.

Any questions?