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Building Standards Appeals Board
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February 3, 2026

Ms. Mariechele Porter
3157 E. Grant Ave.
Fresno, CA 93702

CITY OF FRESNO

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RECEIVED BY: 

**RE: Notice of Rejection of Request for Appeal
Citation No. E25-16660 - 1347 E Shields Ave.**

Dear Ms. Porter,

The Building Standards Appeals Board is in receipt of your request for appeal of a Notice and Order issued by the Fresno City Attorney's Office, Code Enforcement Division relating to the property identified above. After review of the request, the Board has determined that your request for an appeal must be rejected pursuant to Fresno Municipal Code ("FMC") §1-407(b).

Pursuant to FMC §1-407(b), and as noted on the administrative citation, if you wish to file a formal appeal **a request for appeal must be submitted in writing in duplicate within 15 calendar days from the date the administrative citation was issued.** After review of the administrative citation provided, the notice was issued to you on **January 2, 2026**, and the City received your initial request for appeal on **January 28, 2026 (11 days past the 15-day deadline to request an appeal).**

However, pursuant to FMC §1-407(c), upon a showing of "good cause", the Building Standards Appeals Board may, in their discretion, permit the filing of an appeal that was submitted past the 15-day deadline period. If you believe you have good cause for missing the deadline for submitting a request for appeal, you have 15 calendar days from the date of this Notice to provide a written statement providing your reasons why you failed to request an appeal within the 15-day deadline. If received within 15 calendar days of the date of this Notice, the statement of "good cause" will be reviewed by the Board, and a decision in writing as to whether we will accept your late request for appeal will be sent to you. Should the Board fail to receive your statement of "good cause" within the 15-calendar day period, the Board will consider your request for appeal withdrawn, and any and all fees, costs, and/or fines assessed with the decision you wished to appeal will be immediately due and payable.

Should you have any questions, please email Building.Appeals@fresno.gov.

Thank you,


**Eric Frampton, RCE, CBO, Secretary
City of Fresno Building Standards Appeals Board**

2/16/2026

To whom it may concern,

I would like to appeal the rejection for review under "good cause" for several reasons. Initially the letter that was dated Jan 2nd was sent to my old address (1347 E Shields Fresno) which has now been updated with the City of Fresno, but this caused a delay in receiving the original notice.

In addition, I currently travel as a Registered Nurse to support my expenses and travelled for business in January. I was not home until 01/28/26 which is when I received the notice and submitted the appeal. I have attached the Amtrak ticket for your viewing.

I would appreciate an opportunity to appeal this matter with your office. Thank you for your time.

Thank you,

MarieChele Porter

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Fresno, CA 93702



PRESENT THIS DOCUMENT FOR BOARDING

RESERVATION NUMBER 698BF8

RES# 698BF8-28JAN26

ACA
Antioch-Pittsburg, CA



FNO
Fresno, CA

One-Way
JANUARY 28, 2026

TRAIN	GOLD RUNNER	DEPARTS	ARRIVES
712	Jan 28, 2026	11:32 AM Antioch-Pittsburg, CA	2:25 PM Fresno, CA
1 Coach Seat			

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PORTER, MARIECHELE ADULT

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- COACH: NO CHANGES, 25% CANCEL FEE
- ADULT FULL FARE ID REQUIRED
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- Passengers are encouraged to arrive at the station 30 minutes before departure or 60 minutes if in need of ticketing and/or baggage assistance, or if you're boarding at a Canadian station. Check the recommended arrival times for your departure station at Amtrak.com/at-the-station.
- Tickets are non-transferable and are valid only for the personal use of the passenger(s) named on the ticket.
- Changes to your itinerary may result in an increase to your fare and may result in fees or forfeiture of value. Learn more at Amtrak.com/changes.
- If your train is canceled, you can modify your reservation in the Amtrak app or on Amtrak.com.
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- At most stations where checked baggage service is available, baggage check-in normally must be completed 45 minutes prior to departure.
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