



**CITY OF
TALLAHASSEE**

**Housing and Community Resilience
Code Enforcement Division**

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF VIOLATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

April 28, 2025

CITY OF TALLAHASSEE

Petitioner,

vs.

BAINBRIDGE MEADOWS

1926 OLD BAINBRIDGE RD

TALLAHASSEE FL 32303

Respondent

Case No.: **TCE250637**

Location of Violation: **2123206020000 VP Bcks up to 1302 Sharon Dr.**

Tax ID #: **212303 0001**

The appearance of our community and how individual properties are maintained has a significant impact on the quality of life in our neighborhoods. A recent inspection of your property revealed that certain conditions found do not comply with City code. These violations, the corrective action required and the time frame for completing that corrective action are noted on the attached violation detail.

Pursuant to Chapter 162 of the Florida Statutes, and Chapter 2 of the Code of General Ordinances of the City of Tallahassee, the Code Enforcement Officer hereby gives the notice of a violation on the above referenced property and hereby requests that a Hearing be scheduled before the Code Magistrate.

You must correct the violation described herein within the number of days noted on the attached violation detail. Once corrected, you must contact the City Code Enforcement Division at **(850) 891-7007** to arrange a reinspection of the property to verify the violation has been corrected and the property is in compliance with the Municipal Code cited herein.

You are hereby given notice that pursuant to Chapter 162, Florida Statutes, and Chapter 2 of the Code of General Ordinances of the City of Tallahassee, a hearing will be conducted on the above referenced case before the **Code Magistrate** on **08/05/2025** at **1:00 pm**, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard in the **2nd Floor Conference Room, Renaissance Center, 435 N Macomb Street**, Tallahassee, Florida. If the violation(s) are corrected within the number of days noted on the attached violation detail, you may not have to appear before the **Code Magistrate**.

Failure to comply may result in the City of Tallahassee correcting the violation(s) and assessing the cost through placing a lien on the property until such time as all costs are reimbursed to the City. These costs may be recovered by court action, if necessary. Your case may be presented to the **Code Magistrate** even if the violation has been corrected prior to the hearing or if the structure is boarded.



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The **Code Magistrate** will receive testimony and evidence at said hearing and shall make findings of fact as are supported by the testimony and evidence pertaining to the matters alleged herein. If you fail to appear, the **Code Magistrate** may base its findings and conclusions solely on the testimony and evidence presented by the Code Enforcement Division.

Should you be found in violation of the Municipal Code, the **Code Magistrate** may impose a fine up to \$250.00 per day, per violation for each day that the violation(s) continues beyond the compliance date established by the **Code Magistrate** in the Final Order. If the Code Enforcement Board or Code Magistrate has previously declared you to be a repeat violator, the **Code Magistrate** may impose a fine of up to \$500.00 per day, per violation for each day the violation continues beyond the compliance date established by the **Code Magistrate**.

If any person desires to appeal any decision, with respect to the matter considered at these meetings, such person will need a record of the proceedings and that, for this purpose, such person may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based. The City of Tallahassee does not provide or prepare such a record (refer to Section 286.0105, Florida Statutes).

Any party aggrieved by the decisions of the **Code Magistrate** may appeal the decision to the Leon County Circuit Court within 30 days of the execution of the order.

Building permits may be required before repairs or alterations can be made to any building. Building and demolition permits may be obtained from the City's Building Inspection Division, located at 435 N. Macomb Street, 1st Floor, telephone number (850) 891-7125.

If you have any questions concerning this notice or the hearing process, please contact our office at **(850) 891-7007** or visit our office in the Renaissance Center located at 435 N. Macomb Street, Third Floor, Tallahassee, Florida. **Once you correct the violation(s), contact our office immediately to request an inspection.**

Sincerely,

Lesa Vause

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Attachment

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