

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES BUILDING

150 BEAVERCREEK ROAD | OREGON CITY, OR 97045

NOTICE OF HEARING

August 20, 2025

Don Carpenter PO Box 573 Brightwood, OR 97011

RE:: County of Clackamas v. Don Carpenter

File: V0026125

Hearing Date: September 16, 2025

Time: This hearing will begin at 9:30 am however it may begin later

depending on the length of preceding items.

Location: Hearing will be held by virtual Zoom meeting. Please see attached information regarding the process for the Zoom meeting.

Enclosed you will find the following:

- 1. Notice of Rights
- 2. Copy of Complaint and Request for Hearing

You **must** appear at the time set forth in this Notice of Hearing or the relief requested in the **Complaint** may be **granted against you by default.**

You can access the complete hearing packet at https://www.clackamas.us/codeenforcement/hearings

You may contact Jennifer Kauppi, Code Compliance Specialist for Clackamas County at (503) 742-4759, should you have any questions about the violation(s) in the **Complaint**. Do not call the Compliance Hearings Officer.

Enclosures

CC: Carl Cox -Compliance Hearings Officer

STATEMENT OF RIGHTS

- 1. Prior to the Hearing. You have the right to make the following requests:
 - (A) You can request the opportunity to review public records and talk to County Staff about the violations or request a subpoena for that purpose if the County does not allow you to do so.
 - (B) You can request that the Hearings Officer postpone the hearing for good cause by writing the Hearings Officer at least 7 calendar days prior to the scheduled hearing date.
 - (C) You can request that the Hearings Officer decide the matter based exclusively on written materials from the parties or conduct the hearing by phone.
- 2. Procedure. The hearing will be governed by general rules of procedure designed to allow you to hear and confront the evidence against you, and for you to present evidence favorable to you. You are not required to present any evidence; the burden is on the County to establish by a preponderance of evidence that a violation exists or existed. Either party may, at their own expense, obtain an attorney, to represent that at the hearing. If you wish to be represented by an attorney, they need only notify the County and the Hearings Officer in writing of their intent to appear on your behalf. The County will present evidence first, and then you may question that evidence. You may then present your own evidence, if you wish, and the County may question your evidence. Testimony by witnesses is evidence. The Hearings Officer may inquire into any facts that are relevant to the hearing and may question parties or witnesses about the case. Evidence of a type commonly relied upon by reasonably prudent persons in the conduct of their serious affairs shall be admissible.
- <u>3. Record of Proceedings.</u> An audio record will be made of the proceedings when a hearing is conducted. The audio record is available through the Clackamas County Code Enforcement Section and is available to you upon request.
- 4. Hearings Officer. The Hearings Officer is an independent contractor paid by the County to conduct hearings and render decisions. He/she is not a County employee. His/her function is to preside over the hearing, make a record of proceedings, consider admissible evidence and interpret and apply the law. After the hearing is closed, the Hearings Officer will enter written findings of fact, conclusions of law and any Order deemed proper. If a violation is proven, then the Order may include civil penalties, fines, administrative fees, or may require the respondent to take certain actions, or refrain from certain actions. An Order issued by the Hearings Officer may be a final order or a continuing order. The Hearings Officer Order is the final decision of the County, and may be appealed pursuant to Oregon Law. The Hearings Officer for Clackamas County is:

Carl Cox Attorney at Law 14725 NE 20th Street, #D-5 Bellevue, WA 98007

- <u>5. Right to Recess.</u> If, during the course of the hearing, the Respondent or the County requests a recess or postponement, or additional time to present crucial evidence, the Hearings Officer may allow a continuance of the hearing for good cause. The Respondent may also request that the proceedings be continued after the end of the hearing if the Respondent determines that additional evidence should be brought to the attention of the Hearings Officer.
- **<u>6. Right to Appeal.</u>** The Final Order of the Hearings Officer shall set forth the right of the respondent to appeal any adverse Order. Appeal may be taken pursuant to Section 2.07.130 of the Clackamas County Hearing Officer Code, and Oregon Revised Statute 34.010-34.100. If appeal is taken, the appellant is responsible for all costs of appeal including preparation of transcript.



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If you would like to present evidence at the Hearing please email or mail your evidence to Code Enforcement at 150 Beavercreek Rd, Oregon City, Oregon 97045, **no later than 4 working days prior to the hearing**. Staff will number your evidence for the hearing and provide the numbered documents to the Hearings Officer and send them back to you for reference.

If you are unable to participate in a hearing through the Zoom platform please contact Jennifer Kauppi at 503-742-4759 within 3 calendar days of receipt of the Notice of Hearing.

If you do not know how to use Zoom, please Google "how to use Zoom" and there are many interactive guides on the internet. When joining the webinar please accept the request to join as a panelist.

If you experience difficulties connecting to the Zoom hearing <u>before</u> your scheduled start time, please call 503-830-9960 for assistance.

Zoom invite

Topic: Code Enforcement Hearing - Don Carpenter - V0026125 - Sept 16 - 9:30 am

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BEFORE THE COMPLIANCE HEARINGS OFFICER for COUNTY OF CLACKAMAS

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Petitioner,

File No:

V0026125

v.

DON CARPENTER,

Respondent.

COMPLAINT AND REQUEST FOR HEARING

I, Jennifer Kauppi, Code Enforcement Specialist for Clackamas County, allege the following:

1.

Respondent's mailing address is PO Box 573, Brightwood, OR 97011.

2.

The Respondent(s) own/owns or occupies the address or location of the violation(s) of law alleged in this Complaint is 23375 E Adel Ave, Welches, OR 97067 also known as T2S, R7E, Section 32BC, Tax Lot 02300, and is located in Clackamas County, Oregon. The property is zoned RR and is the location of violation(s) asserted by the County.

3.

On or about July 9, 2025 and July 15, 2025 the Respondent violated the following laws, in the following ways:

a. Respondent violated the Clackamas Building Code, Chapter 9.02.040 for remodel of an accessory structure without approved permits. This violation is a Priority 1 violation pursuant to the Clackamas County Violation Priorities.

4.

The Department initiating this procedure is the Code Enforcement Section of the Department of Transportation and Development.

5.

Notice of the violations was given to Respondent in the following manner: Violation Notice July 9, 2025 and July 15, 2025. A copy of the notice document is attached to this Complaint as Exhibit C, and incorporated by this reference.

6.

Based on these allegations, petitioner requests that a hearing be set in this matter.

Petitioner seeks an Order from the Hearings Officer granting the following relief:

- 1. Pursuant to Clackamas County Code Section 2.07.090, ordering Respondent to immediately abate the violations and bring the property at issue into compliance with all laws, and permanently enjoining Respondent from violating these laws in the future;
- 2. Pursuant to Clackamas County Code Section 2.07.090, imposing a civil penalty against Respondent for each violation, within the range established by the Board of County Commissioners. Said range for a Building Code Priority 1 violation being \$1,000.00 to \$3,500.00 per occurrence as provided by Appendix B to the Clackamas County Code;
- 3. Pursuant to Clackamas County Code Section 2.07.090, ordering Respondent to pay an administrative compliance fee as provided by Appendix A to the Clackamas County Code;

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4. Pursuant to Clackamas County Code Section 2.07.090, ordering Respondent to reimburse the County for any expense the County may incur in collection of any penalties, fines or fees that may be imposed:

and

Ordering any other relief deemed reasonably necessary to correct the violations.
 DATED THIS 20th day of August, 2025.

Jennifer Kauppi

Jennifer Kauppi

Code Enforcement Specialist FOR CLACKAMAS COUNTY

COUNTY OF CLACKAMAS,

Petitioner, File No.: V0026125

DON CARPENTER

Respondent.

STATEMENT OF PROOF

History of Events and Exhibits:

July 7, 2025	Clackamas County received an inquiry regarding a previous violation on the subject property. The code violation was for an accessory structure being lived in with water or septic connections.
July 7, 2025 Exhibit A	Photos of the structure that were taken by Code Enforcement Specialist Jennifer Kauppi during the enforcement process of the previous file.
July 7, 2025 Exhibit B	Photos of the structure now after the modifications to the structure were complete. The changes included structural, electrical, mechanical and plumbing without approved permits.
July 9, 2025 and July 15, 2025 Exhibit C	Correspondence was mailed on July 9 th , 2025 to Joseph Stansfield who was still listed as the legal owner of the property and to the Respondent Don Carpenter. A deadline date of August 9 th , 2025 was given to abate the violation. An updated Notice of Violation was mailed on July 15 th after a review of the assessor information reflected the change in ownership was completed.
August 5, 2025 Exhibit D	Planning Manager Lindsey Nesbitt sent an email to the Respondent regarding the requirement of a non-conforming verification for the structure.
August 5, 2025 Exhibit E	The Respondent requested a Code Enforcement Hearing.
August 20, 2025	This matter was referred to the Code Enforcement Hearings Officer.

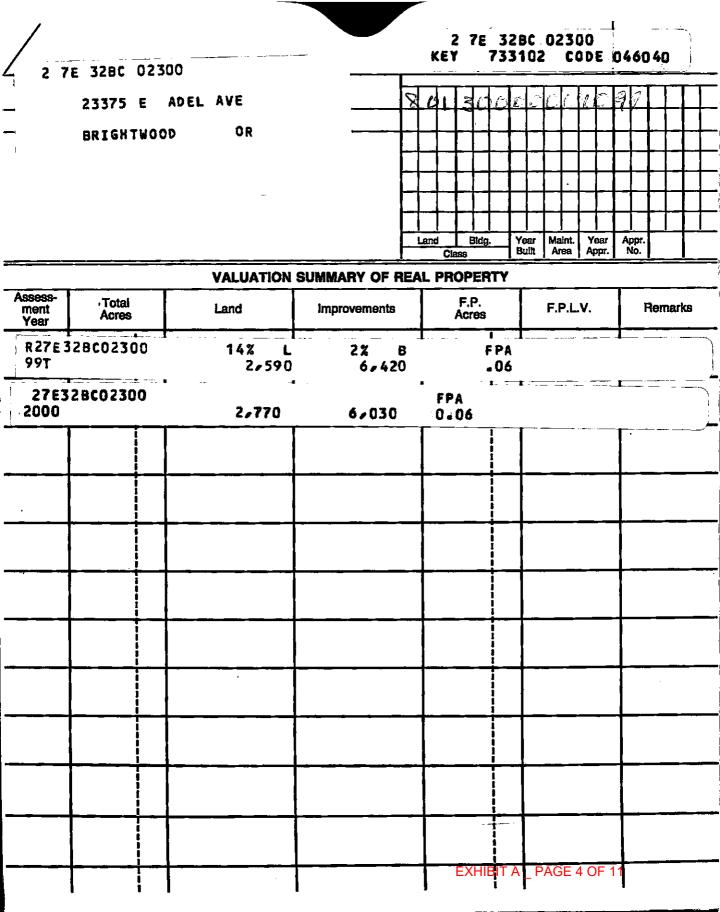
If the Compliance Hearings Officer affirms the County's position that a violation of the Building Code, Title 9.02.040 exists, the County is requesting a Continuing Order in this matter recommending the following:

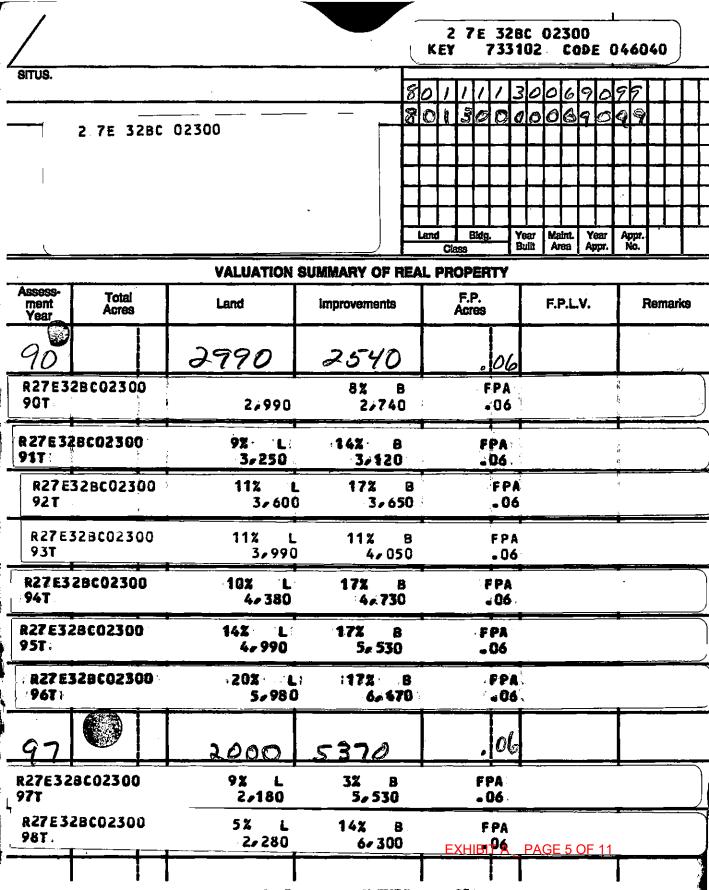
- The Respondent be ordered to bring the property into compliance with the Building Code within 30 days of the date of the Order by;
 - Submitting a complete non-conforming use application to the planning department.
 If the application is deemed incomplete, the requested information to obtain a complete application shall be provided to the planning department within 15 days of being notified.
 - O Submit a complete building permit application that reflects all changes made to the structure both interior and exterior.
 - Respond to all additional requests from plan review comments withing 10 days of being notified.
 - The building permit and all required trade permit applications shall be paid for within 10 days of being notified of final payment due by the building department.
 - All inspections including approved final inspections shall be obtained within 60 days of permits being issued.
- Code Enforcement to confirm compliance of the above items and the County will submit a Post Hearing Status Report. The report will be sent to the Compliance Hearings Officer and to the Respondent.
- The report may include the following recommendations:
- The imposition of civil penalties for the Building Code violation of up to \$3,500.00.
- The Administrative Compliance fee to be imposed from July 2025 until the violation is abated. As of this report the total is \$100.00.
- The County requests the Hearings Officer to permanently prohibit the Respondent from violating this law in the future.
- If the Respondent fails to comply with the Hearings Officer's Continuing Order the County will request the Hearings Officer to issue a Final Order and will also request the Hearings Officer to authorize the County further enforcement action including to proceed to Circuit Court.







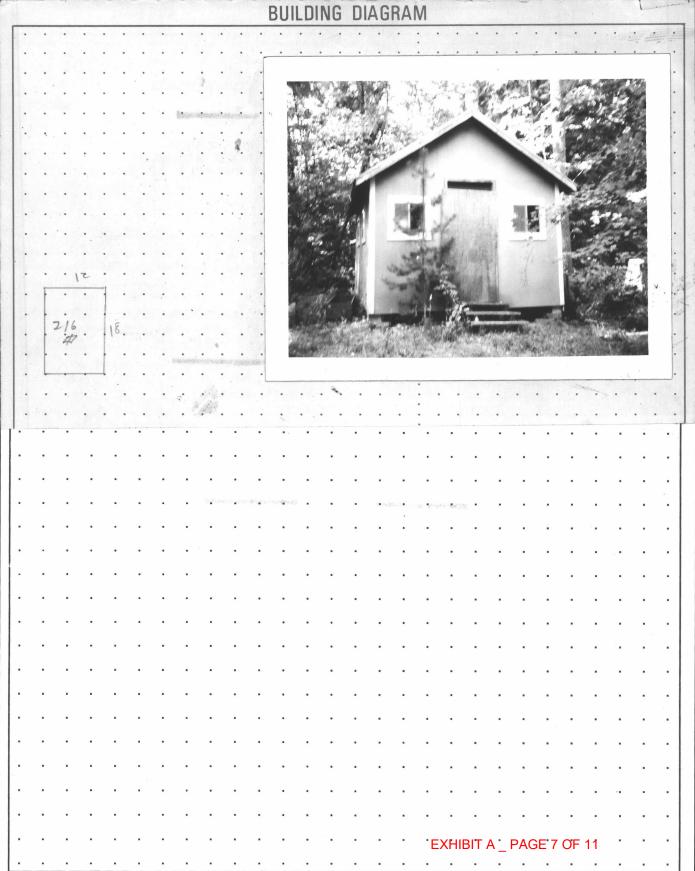




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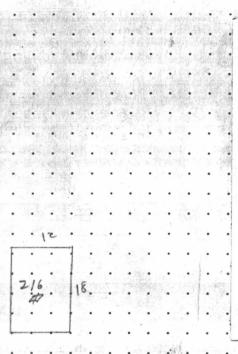
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23375 E ADEL AVE, BRIGHTWOOD, OR, 97011, USA

TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

Printed 07/18/2005 Card No. 1

of 1

Dog #: 95-39268

Doc #: 93-60748

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801

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

PARCEL NUMBER 00733102

Parent Parcel Number

Property Address 23375 E ADEL AVE, BRIGHTWOOD, OR, 97011, USA

Neighborhood 16118 ALDERCR EAST/CNTY LINE 800,801

Property Class 801 801 Recreational Improved TAXING DISTRICT INFORMATION

Jurisdiction 003 001 Area

RESIDENTIAL

PO BOX 1074. WELCHES, OR, 97067, USA

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VALUATION RECORD

LAND DATA AND CALCULATIONS

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Public Utilities:

Street or Road:

Neighborhood:

Zoning: Legal Acres: 0.0551

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Supplemental Cards

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0.0600

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9 Homesite (s)

TRUE TAX VALUE FARMLAND Classified Land Total

Homesite(s) Value Supplemental Cards

TOTAL LAND VALUE EXHIBIT A PAGE 10 OF 11

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Property Class: 801 23375 E AMEL AVE, BRIGHTWOOD, OR, 97011, USA 00733102

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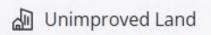




23375 E Adel Ave, Brightwood, OR 97011

-- **0** -- beds baths sqft

Est.: \$1,110/mo Get pre-qualified



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ON DEMAND WATER HEATER

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DEVELOPMENT SERVICES BUILDING

150 Beavercreek Road | Oregon City, OR 97045

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

July 9, 2025

Joseph Stansfield PO Box 901 Welches, OR 97067 Don Carpenter
PO Box 573

Brightwood, OR 97011

SUBJECT: Violation of the Clackamas County Building Code, Title 9.02.040

(B)(C)(D)(E)

VIOLATION: V0026125

SITE ADDRESS: 23375 E Adel Ave, Welches, OR 97067

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: T2S, R7E, Section 32BC, Tax Lot 02300

This letter serves as notice of a violation of the Clackamas County Code. The violations include:

Conversion of a shed into habitable space without approved permits. Plumbing, electrical and mechanical installed in converted shed without approved permits. RV electrical hookups installed without approved permits.

VIOLATIONS & HOW TO RESOLVE

On July 7, 2025, Code Enforcement was contacted by a potential buyer for the property located at 23375 E Adel Ave seeking information on a previous code enforcement case on the property.

The previous code enforcement file found that the structure onsite was a storage shed only. The structure had electrical power but no water or septic system. I reviewed the RMLS listing for the property. The structure had been converted to habitable space including a loft area with a bed, a kitchenette area with a sink and mini split and an enclosed bath house type area that was attached to house which also had a sink and shower installed. In addition, RV electrical outlets have been installed onsite. I reviewed County records and could find no approved permits for the conversion of the structure including the electrical, plumbing and mechanical permits nor did I find permits for the RV outlets. The work without permits constitutes a violation of the Clackamas County Building Code, Chapter 9.02.040 (B)(C)(D)(E) and is a Priority 1 violation. In order to abate the violation, you must complete the following **no later than August 9, 2025**

Shed converted to habitable space/attached bath house

Based on my conversation with Don Carpenter, Don is electing to convert the structure back to a storage shed only. Please submit the following.

- A statement of use that you acknowledge the structure can be used for storage only. This form will be emailed to Don Carpenter.
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Jennifer Kauppi

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Account Number	00733102		Property Address 23375 E ADEL AVE , WELCHES, OR 970				
General Information	on						
Alternate Property#		27E32BC023	300				
Property Description		519 MT HOC	DD WILDWOOD LT 12 BLK 13				
Property Category Land &/or E		Land &/or B	Buildings				
Status Active, Lo		Active, Loca	lly Assessed				
Tax Code Area 046		046-040	046-040				
Remarks							
Tax Rate							
Description		Rate					
Total Rate 14.0946			5				
Property Characte	ristics						
Neighborhood		16118: Alder Creek East to county line 800, 801					
Land Class Category		801: Recreational improved					
Fire patrol acres		0.06					
Change property rati	О	8XX					

Related Properties

No Related Properties Found

Parties

Role	Percent	Name	Address
Taxpayer	100	STANSFIELD JOSEPH	PO BOX 901, WELCHES, OR 97067
Owner	100	STANSFIELD JOSEPH	PO BOX 901, WELCHES, OR 97067

Property Values

Value Type	Tax Year 2024	Tax Year 2023	Tax Year 2022	Tax Year 2021	Tax Year 2020
AVR Total	\$13,346	\$12,958	\$12,581	\$12,215	\$11,860
Exempt					
TVR Total	\$13,346	\$12,958	\$12,581	\$12,215	\$11,860
Real Mkt Land	\$8,533	\$8,448	\$7,763	\$6,307	\$5,622
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Mkt Exception					
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Active Exemptions

No Exemptions Found



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DEVELOPMENT

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES BUILDING

150 Beavercreek Road | Oregon City, OR 97045

UPDATED NOTICE OF VIOLATION

July 15, 2025

Don Carpenter PO Box 573 Brightwood, OR 97011

SUBJECT: Violation of the Clackamas County Building Code, Title 9.02.040

(B)(C)(D)(E)

VIOLATION: V0026125

SITE ADDRESS: 23375 E Adel Ave, Welches, OR 97067

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: T2S, R7E, Section 32BC, Tax Lot 02300

This letter serves as notice of a violation of the Clackamas County Code. The violations include:

Conversion of a shed into habitable space without approved permits. Plumbing, electrical and mechanical installed in converted shed without approved permits. RV electrical hookups installed without approved permits.

VIOLATIONS & HOW TO RESOLVE

On July 7, 2025, Code Enforcement was contacted by a potential buyer for the property located at 23375 E Adel Ave seeking information on a previous code enforcement case on the property.

The previous code enforcement file found that the structure onsite was a storage shed only. The structure had electrical power but no water or septic system. I reviewed the RMLS listing for the property. The structure had been converted to habitable space including a loft area with a bed, a kitchenette area with a sink and mini split and an enclosed bath house type area that was attached to house which also had a sink and shower installed. In addition, RV electrical outlets have been installed onsite. I reviewed County records and could find no approved permits for the conversion of the structure including the electrical, plumbing and mechanical permits nor did I find permits for the RV outlets. The work without permits constitutes a violation of the Clackamas County Building Code, Chapter 9.02.040 (B)(C)(D)(E) and is a Priority 1 violation. In order to abate the violation, you must complete the following **no later than August 9, 2025**

Shed converted to habitable space/attached bath house

I spoke with the Building Official and Deputy Building Official regarding this property again on July 14, 2025. We reviewed the Tax Assessor information. This structure was converted from a cabin to a general-purpose shed. In order for the structure to be converted back to habitable space it is required to meet the Building Code. This would the structure to obtain a building permit for change of use requiring an architect or an engineer to stamp the plans and submit calculations and assessment of the structure for habitable space. The structure is also required to be on well or city supply water and must have a code compliant sanitary system and water disposal.

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The current shower/sink area that is attached to the house must be removed. The site cannot have a storage area without legally established primary use first.

RV outlets

I spoke with our planning department. Since the structure can only be for storage, the planning department will not approve the RV outlets. You must first have an approved primary use before the RV outlets would be allowed. Owners are allowed to dry camp on a property for no more than 30 days in a calendar year.

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General Informat	ion					
Alternate Property #	27E32BC0	27E32BC02300				
Property Description		519 MT HC	519 MT HOOD WILDWOOD LT 12 BLK 13			
Property Category		Land &/or	Land &/or Buildings			
Status		Active, Loc	cally Assessed			
Tax Code Area		046-040				
Remarks						
Tax Rate						
Description		Rate	Rate			
Total Rate		14.0946	14.0946			
Property Charact	eristics					
Neighborhood	16118: A	16118: Alder Creek East to county line 800, 801				
Land Class Category		801: Red	801: Recreational improved			
Fire patrol acres	0.06	0.06				
Change property ra	8XX	8XX				
Related Propertie	es					
No Related Propert	ies Found					
Parties						
Role		Percent	Name	Address		
Taxpayer		100	CARPENTER DON	PO BOX 573, BRIGHTWOOD, OR 9701		
Owner		100	CARPENTER DON	PO BOX 573, BRIGHTWOOD, OR 9701		

After recording, return to (Name and Address):
PoBox 573 Brishtwood OR 97011
Until requested otherwise, send all tax statements to
(Name and Address):
Po Box 573
Brightwood DR 97011

Clackamas County Official Records Catherine McMullen, County Clerk

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[SPACE RESERVED FOR RECORDER'S USE]

QUITCLAIM DEED

Joseph Stangfield
for the consideration stated below, does hereby remise, release and forever quitclaim to
Lots 12, 13, 14, Block 13 Mt Hood Wildwood

27E32BC02300 00733102 LOT 12: LOTS 13&14: 27E32BC02400

00733111

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To have as grantee's own and to hold for grantee's heirs, successors and assigns forever.

The true and actual consideration paid by grantee to grantor for this transfer is (check one or both; see ORS 93.030): X\$ 35,000 .00;

 \square other property or value given or promised which is \square part of the \square the whole (indicate which) consideration.

PUBLISHER'S NOTE: If using this form to convey real property subject to ORS 92.027, include the required reference.

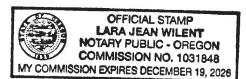
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In construing this instrument, the singular includes the plural, and the language will be read to apply equally to businesses, other entities and to individuals.

Grantor has executed this instrument on 3-3-	2025	any signature of	n behalf of a business
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	Notary Public for Orego		
	My commission expires	12-19-26	



MY COMMISSION EXPIRES DECEMBER 19, 2026

From: Nesbitt, Lindsey

To: <u>Don Carpenter</u>; <u>Kauppi, Jennifer</u>

Subject: RE: 23375 E Adel

Date: Tuesday, August 5, 2025 9:50:25 AM

You recently left me a voice mail seeking additional clarification on how we came to the conclusion that a nonconforming use verification and alteration application is required (or should have been applied for prior to completing structural changes to the structure). The following provides a summary of the zoning ordinance that applies to this property.

Here is the definition of a nonconforming use:

NONCONFORMING USE: A use of any building, structure or land allowed by right when established or that obtained a required land use approval when established but, due to a change in the zone or zoning regulations, is now prohibited in the zone.

The structure on site appears to have been constructed prior to the adoption of zoning for the area. The property currently is zoned Rural Residential RR, where single family dwellings are allowed as out right uses (ZDO Section 316).

Additionally, permitted uses such as dwellings in the RR zone are also subject to Zoning and Development Ordinance (ZDO) Section 1000. Table 1001-1 Applicability of Section 1000 requires single family dwellings comply with Section 1006- Utilities which requires:

- *Onsite wastewater treatment systems be installed pursuant Oregon Revised Statutes 454.605 through 454.745, Oregon Administrative Rules chapter 340, division 71 and 73, and the policies of the County.
- *A lawful water source for the development (in this case, the dwelling) such as a public or community water system, certified water right, or exempt use well.

The structure does have either of the above listed items and therefor cannot be classified as a single family dwelling.

The structure does not fall into any primary uses listed in the RR zone. If the property contained an allowed primary structure (Per ZDO table 316-1) the existing structure could be classified as either a guest house or an accessory structure, both of which are only allowed when there is a primary structure on site.

GUEST HOUSE: An accessory building, or portion thereof, that includes at least one bedroom and is—with the exception of bathrooms, closets, and halls—constructed as habitable space under the Oregon Residential Specialty Code.

ACCESSORY BUILDING OR USE: A subordinate building or use, the function of which is clearly incidental to that of the main building or use on the same lot.

Accessory uses are not allowed without a primary use, cabins are not listed as accessory or primary uses in Table 316.1 for the RR zone.

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----Original Message-----
From: Don Carpenter <donc.electric@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, July 31, 2025 8:50 AM
To: Kauppi, Jennifer < JKauppi@clackamas.us>
Cc: Nesbitt, Lindsey <LNesbitt@clackamas.us>
Subject: Re: 23375 E Adel
Warning: External email. Be cautious opening attachments and links.
I am not turning a SHED into habital space. I am updating a cabin that has existed on the property since 1939. This
was and has always been a cabin. AGAIN this is an existing cabin! Maybe if I was trying to turn a small shed into a
cabin then a nonconforming permit would be needed, but this is not what happened or is happening.
I have looked into the history of the cabin and lot in which it sits, and it was its own separate property with this
I am willing to acquire building permits for work done in the cabin. But as an existing cabin I should not need to
take the route of nonconforming.
Perhaps it did not get explained correctly to the planning department that it was already a cabin.
Don
Sent from my iPhone
> On Jul 31, 2025, at 8:06 AM, Kauppi, Jennifer < JKauppi@clackamas.us> wrote:
> Don,
> Hello. Please reread the email from Lindsey Nesbitt. A non-conforming use application will be required. You
can submit your permits but this will be required from planning in order to obtain an approval on your building
permit from planning.
> Thank you
> Jennifer
>
> Reviewed the property as well as the nonconforming use code and then followed up with my boss, the Planning
Director. I was looking into whether or not improvements made to the cabin would be allowed under normal
maintenance and repair and not require the nonconforming use verification and alteration. However, it is clear the
cabin was structurally changed when the roof and loft area were added and this would not fall under normal
maintenance and repair (code provided below). The Building Official confirmed that a building permit should have
been obtained for the raising the roof (as well as other work conducted).
> As a result, I agree with the prior advise provided to you by planning staff that in fact an nonconforming use
verification and alteration application should have been obtained prior to commencing the work performed.
> Lindsey
> NCU Code Section:
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> 1206.03 MAINTENANCE Normal maintenance of a nonconforming use necessary to maintain a nonconforming use in good repair is permitted provided there are not significant use or structural alterations. Normal maintenance may include painting; roofing; siding; interior remodeling; re-paving of access roads, parking areas, or loading

areas; replacement of landscaping elements; and similar actions.

> From: Don Carpenter <donc.electric@gmail.com>

> -----Original Message-----

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> Sent: Wednesday, July 30, 2025 6:28 PM
> To: Nesbitt, Lindsey <LNesbitt@clackamas.us>; Barnes, Michael <MBarnes@clackamas.us>
> Subject: 23375 E Adel
> Warning: External email. Be cautious opening attachments and links.
> Thank you Lindsey for the response. I was looking for acknowledgment of the structure being a cabin, and
always having been a cabin. It seems that we can agree on that, so I am able to move forward with correcting the
lack of permits for the updates.
> This cabin has been used as such within the zoning of recreation/residential, always a dry cabin. Since it has never
been listed or filed as being a nonconforming cabin, moving forward with code enforcement and the building
department should be a straight forward process.
> I will be obtaining the required building and electrical permits for the updates made to the cabin as per county
records for the one room cabin built in 1939.
> I will also be contacting the property tax assessor to have them correct the property type back to cabin, as it was
obviously done in error and I would like to avoid this confusion in the future.
> Thank you for your help,
> Don Carpenter
> 503-209-1050
> Sent from my iPhone
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Aug 5 2025

I Don Carpenter am Requesting a Hearing For Violation Related to 2335 E Adel Rd, VOOZGIZE.

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