

AN ORDINANCE

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AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT, AND NEIGHBORHOOD CONSERVATION (BUREAU OF NEIGHBORHOOD CONSERVATION) TO DEMOLISH AND CLEAN THE PREMISES OF VARIOUS STRUCTURES, PURSUANT TO ARTICLE III OF THE ATLANTA HOUSING CODE AND A HEARING CONDUCTED BY THE IN REM REVIEW BOARD ON

July 26, 2001

821 Beecher Street, SW	04
883 Booker Washington Dr., NW	03
683 D'Alvigny Street, NW	03
758 D'Alvigny Street, NW	03
444 Elm Street, NW	03
1660 Glenview Drive, SW	11
421 Holderness Street, SW	04
873 Hollywood Road, NW	09
1450 Marion Avenue, SE	01
7 Moury Avenue, SE	01
878 Murphy Avenue, SW	04
706 North Avenue, NW	03
1255 Northwest Drive, NW	09
547 Sunset Avenue, NW	03

WHEREAS, on March 16, 1987, the Council of the City of Atlanta adopted an Ordinance entitled, "The Atlanta Housing Code of 1987"; and the same was approved by the Mayor of the City of Atlanta on March 24, 1987; and

WHEREAS, on May 31, 2001, pursuant to the Atlanta Housing Code of 1987, Article III; entitled "In Rem Procedures", hearings were held after due notice to owner(s) of and/or parties in interest before the In Rem Review Board regarding certain structures believed to be unfit for occupancy or habitation and to be in violation of Article III; and

WHEREAS, May 31, 2001, The In Rem Review Board determined that the structures on the real property more fully identified hereinafter, were unfit for human occupancy or habitation and could not be improved, repaired, or altered at a cost of fifty percent (50%) or less of the value of structures, exclusive of the foundation and lots after the improvements have been made; and

WHEREAS, the In Rem Review Board did state in writing these findings of fact in support of such determination and the In Rem Review Board issued and caused to be served upon the owner(s) of and /or parties in interest, an Order requiring the owner(s) and/or parties in interest demolish such structures, clean the premises and plant grass on the lot pursuant to Section 33 (3) c of the Atlanta Housing Code; and

WHEREAS, a period of 30 days from the date of said Order was allowed for the owner(s) and/or parties in interest to comply with the Order; and

WHEREAS, the owner(s) and/or parties in interest of the properties failed to comply with the Order of the In Rem Review Board within the specified time.