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# Legislation Details (With Text)

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Title: REQUEST FOR FINE REDUCTION STIPULATION AND AGREED RECOMMENDED ORDER

REGARDING THE CODE ENFORCEMENT CASE OF JOHN E. GERAL CASE NO.ENF2019080376

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**PLACEMENT:** Consent

TITLE:

REQUEST FOR FINE REDUCTION STIPULATION AND AGREED RECOMMENDED ORDER REGARDING THE CODE ENFORCEMENT CASE OF JOHN E. GERAL, CASE NO. ENF2019080376

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1.98B, General Ordinance, Martin County Code, the Board of County Commissioners is asked to consider approval of a Fine Reduction and Agreed Recommended Order regarding the Code Enforcement case of John E. Geral.

**DEPARTMENT:** Building

PREPARED BY: Name: Dawn Matias

**Title:** Business Operations Manager

REQUESTED BY: John E. Geral

PRESET:

**PROCEDURES:** None

# **BACKGROUND/RELATED STRATEGIC GOAL:**

John E. Geral Fine Reduction Request:

This Fine Reduction Stipulation and Agreed Recommended Order Involves a parcel located at 2475 NE Letitia Street, Jensen Beach, Martin County, Florida.

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On December 18, 2019, an Order Finding Violation was issued by the Code Enforcement Magistrate to John E. Geral, for the following violation(s): Section 105.1 FBC - Permits - Permits When Required Incorporated by Section 21.1, General Ordinances, Martin County Code.

Compliance was required by January 31, 2020. On April 24, 2020, an Affidavit of Compliance/Accrued Fines was issued reflecting an outstanding fine of \$6,100.00 plus costs in the amount of \$575.00.

Staff has determined a lien reduction is warranted. The respondent brought the property into compliance and has offered to pay \$1,185.00 to resolve the outstanding fines which have accrued.

# **ISSUES:**

None

## **LEGAL SUFFICIENCY REVIEW:**

This item has been reviewed for legal sufficiency to determine whether it is consistent with applicable law, has identified and addressed legal risks, and has developed strategies for legal defensibility.

# **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

#### RECOMMENDATION

Move that the Board accept the Magistrate's recommendation that the lien on the property be reduced to \$1,185.00 and accepted as full payment.

#### ALTERNATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS

*Pull* this item from the Consent Agenda and provide staff with further direction.

### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

### RECOMMENDATION

None

Funding Source	County Funds	Non-County Funds
Subtotal		
Project Total		

#### ALTERNATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS

None

### **DOCUMENT(S) REQUIRING ACTION:**

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