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SUBJECT BYLAW CONTRAVENTION NOTICE – CONSTRUCTION NOT COMPLETED AS PER CONDITIONS OF BUILDING PERMIT – 206 FIFTH STREET

OVERVIEW

Purpose of Report

To obtain Council authorization to proceed with the registration of a Bylaw Contravention Notice on the property title of 206 Fifth Street.

Recommendation

That Council direct the Corporate Officer to file a Bylaw Contravention Notice at the Land Title and Survey Authority of British Columbia under Section 57 of the *Community Charter* for the property located at 206 Fifth Street for construction not completed as per the conditions of the building permit.

BACKGROUND

A building permit for construction of a basement suite; a rear two-storey addition, including ensuite; and a front porch addition was issued 2017-FEB-16. However, during an inspection 2018-MAR-16, the inspector observed that the main floor ensuite addition and the front entry addition had been constructed without the owner calling for the required inspections, in contravention of the Building Bylaw. As the owner is unwilling to deconstruct the recently-added additions in order to complete the construction with the required inspections, pursuant to Section 57 of the *Community Charter*, it is recommended that a notice be registered on the property title to reflect the contravention of “Building Bylaw 2016 No 7224”.

DISCUSSION

The purpose of registering a Bylaw Contravention Notice (Section 57 of the *Community Charter*) on the title of the affected property is to advise those with an interest in the property of the regulations contravened, to provide disclosure to future owners and to protect taxpayers against potential claims with regard to the regulations contravened.

SUMMARY POINTS

- Construction was not completed as per the conditions of the permit.
- Registration of a Bylaw Contravention Notice is required on the title of the affected property to advise those with an interest in the property of the regulations contravened, to provide disclosure to future owners and to protect taxpayers against potential claims with regard to the regulations contravened.

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