

February 4, 2020

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**ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

SUBJECT: Department of Local Services file no. **E09G0123**

**ROBERT LARSEN**  
Code Enforcement Appeal

Location: 31925, 31913, 31837 NE 100th Street, Carnation

Appellant: **Robert Larsen**  
[REDACTED]  
Carnation, WA 98014  
[REDACTED]

King County: Department of Local Services  
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On January 23, we mailed and emailed notice of today's conference. In no uncertain terms, we wrote:

After Mr. Larsen failed to participate in our May 20 conference, we rescheduled that conference, but explained that, in the event of another unexcused absence from Mr. Larsen, we would "likely" dismiss his appeal. Mr. Larsen did not appear for the January 22 conference either. However, as Mr. Larsen has appeared for

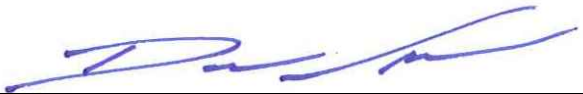
several intervening conferences, we use our discretion and elect not to dismiss his appeal today.

We will reschedule the conference to **10:00 a.m., on Tuesday, February 4, 2020.** To connect to the conference, please call the Hearing Examiner’s Office at **(206) 477-0860.**

If that time creates a conflict, promptly let the Examiner’s Office know. In the event of another unexcused Appellant absence, we will dismiss his appeal; such a dismissal acts as a final determination: of a civil code violation, that he is responsible for code compliance, and that if the violations are not timely remedied, penalties can attach.

We received no communication in response. Mr. Larsen’s failure to appear, yet again, constitutes abandonment of the appeal. We therefore DISMISS his appeal. However, we amend the “April 11, 2019” deadlines listed in the Department’s March 12 notice with new deadlines of “**March 20, 2020.**”

DATED February 4, 2020.



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David Spohr  
Hearing Examiner

### **NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL**

King County Code 20.22.040 directs the Examiner to make the County’s final decision for this type of case. This decision shall be final and conclusive unless proceedings for review of the decision are timely and properly commenced in superior court. Appeals are governed by the Land Use Petition Act, Chapter 36.70C RCW.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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I, Jessica Oscoy, certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that I transmitted the **ORDER OF DISMISSAL** to those listed on the attached page as follows:

EMAILED to all County staff listed as parties/interested persons and parties with e-mail addresses on record.

placed with the United States Postal Service, with sufficient postage, as FIRST CLASS MAIL in an envelope addressed to the non-County employee parties/interested persons to addresses on record.

DATED February 4, 2020.



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Jessica Oscoy  
Legislative Secretary

**Breazeal, Jeri**

Department of Local Services

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**Larsen, Robert**

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