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PROPERTY SUMMARY SHEET
FEBRUARY 5 & APRIL 5, 2026
DETERMINATION & CERTIFICATION HEARING

15. 424 W Greenwich St., Jaime E & Maribel Ramos, owner, 239 Carpenter St Reading, Purchased 1990
I, Linda A. Kelleher, am employed by the City of Reading in its
City Council Office and in my capacity as an employee of and
custodian of records for the City of Reading, after reviewing the
affidavits submitted for this property, find that the following
conditions exist:

	Determination	Certification
Notice Mailed First Class to Property Owner on	<u>12/31/25</u>	_____
Notice Posted on Subject Property on	<u>1/6/26</u>	_____
	Determination	Certification
Delinquent Water	Amount: <u>\$1453¹⁷</u> Status: <u>8/20/14</u> (water, sewer, trash, recycling fees)	Amount: _____ Status: _____
Delinquent Taxes	Amount: <u>\$1516⁰⁸ 2024-25 AS</u>	Amount: _____
Electric Utility Status:	<u>Account Seized</u>	_____
Gas Utility Status:	_____	_____
Liens	Amount: _____	Amount: _____
Building Trades Condition Determination: _____		

Building Trades Condition Certification: _____		

Property Maintenance Condition Determination:		
<u>1 Nov \$260 unpaid 400L trash 200L frozen furn outdoors</u>		
<u>100L Snow</u>		
Property Maintenance Condition Certification:		



CITY OF READING, PENNSYLVANIA

BLIGHTED PROPERTY REVIEW COMMITTEE
815 WASHINGTON STREET
READING, PA 19601-3690

December 31st, 2025

DETERMINATION HEARING **REGARDING POTENTIALLY BLIGHTED PROPERTY**

JAIME E & MARIBEL RAMOS
JAIME E & MARIBEL RAMOS
READING, PA 19602

RE: 424 W GREENWICH ST
Parcel #: 15530763336180

Dear JAIME E & MARIBEL RAMOS,

Please be advised that this property has been identified by City staff as a potentially blighted property pursuant to the City of Reading Codified Ordinance Chapter 23, Part 9, Sections 23-903A, 904 and 906, available on the City's website at www.ReadingPA.gov.

Notice is hereby given that a blight determination hearing will be conducted by the Blighted Property Review Committee to determine if the conditions at the property meet the legal definition of "blight" and whether further action is warranted under applicable laws and ordinances.

THE BLIGHT DETERMINATION HEARING WILL BE HELD ON

February 5th, 2026 at 6:00pm
Location: 815 Washington St, Reading PA
2nd Floor, Council Chambers

At this hearing, you or your authorized representative will have the opportunity to present evidence, provide testimony, and respond to any findings or documentation presented by the City of Reading and the Committee regarding the condition of the property.

Failure to appear at the hearing may result in a determination being made in your absence and may lead to enforcement actions, including but not limited to abatement procedures, fines, placement of liens on the property and eventual taking of the property through eminent domain proceedings.

For additional information or to register for the hearing, you may contact Heather Scheuring, Blight/Transfer Officer at Heather.Scheuring@readingpa.gov or 610-655-6311, within 24 hours of the hearing. **If you require an interpreter, please provide 7-day notice.**

We encourage your cooperation and look forward to your participation in the upcoming hearing.

Sincerely,

Signed by:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jamie L. Keith".

Jamie L. Keith – BPRC Chair

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Linda Kelleher".
Linda Kelleher - Secretary



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December 31st, 2025

AUDIENCIA DE DETERMINACIÓN **RESPECTO A PROPIEDADES POTENCIALMENTE DETERIORADA**

JAIME E & MARIBEL RAMOS
239 CARPENTER ST
READING, PA 19602

RE: 424 W GREENWICH ST
Parcel #: 015530763336180

Estimado JAIME E & MARIBEL RAMOS,

Tenga en cuenta que el personal de la ciudad ha identificado esta propiedad como una propiedad potencialmente deteriorada de conforme con la Ordenanza Codificada de la Ciudad de Reading, Capítulo 23, Parte 9, Secciones 23-903A, 904 y 906, disponible en el sitio web de la Ciudad en www.ReadingPA.gov.

Por la presente se notifica que el Comité de Revisión de Propiedades Deterioradas llevará a cabo una audiencia para determinar si las condiciones de la propiedad cumplen con la definición legal de "deterioro" y si se justifican la adopción de medidas adicionales en virtud las leyes y ordenanzas aplicables.

LA AUDIENCIA DE DETERMINACIÓN DE DETERIORO SE CELEBRARÁ EL

February 5th, 2026 en 6:00pm
Ubicación: 815 Washington St, Reading PA
Piso dos, Sala del Consejo

En esta audiencia, usted o su representante autorizado tendrán la oportunidad de presentar evidencia, brindar testimonio y responder a cualquier hallazgo o documentación presentada por la Ciudad de Reading y el Comité con respecto a la condición de la propiedad.

La falta de comparecencia a la audiencia puede tener como resultado que se tome una determinación en su ausencia y puede dar lugar a acciones de cumplimiento, incluidos, entre otros, procedimientos de reducción, multas, colocación de gravámenes sobre la propiedad y eventual toma de la propiedad a través de procedimientos de dominio eminente.

Para obtener más información o inscribirse en la audiencia, puede comunicarse con Heather Scheuring, Oficial de Traslados y Deterioro, a Heather.Scheuring@readingpa.gov o al 610-655-6311, dentro de las 24 horas posteriores a la audiencia. Si necesita un intérprete, por favor, avísenos con 7 días de anticipación.

Agradecemos su cooperación y esperamos contar con su participación en la próxima audiencia.

Atentamente,

Signed by:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jamie Lee Keith".

Jamie Lee Keith – BPRC Presidente

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Linda Kelleher".
Linda Kelleher - Secretaria

☐ Any premises which:

1. is ascertained to be a public nuisance due to physical condition or use and regarded as such at common law and deemed to be a danger to public health, safety and welfare or public nuisance as regulated by a locally adopted property maintenance code or, if no such code exists, any compatible code enacted by the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L. 491, No. 45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act; or
2. the condition of which contains an attractive nuisance created by physical condition, use or occupancy, including abandoned water wells, shafts, basements, excavations and unsafe fences or other structures, or which contains an unauthorized entry, unsafe equipment, or other safety risk.

☐ A dwelling that has been condemned or otherwise deemed unfit for occupancy or use by the local authority having jurisdiction due to dilapidated, unsanitary, unsafe or vermin infested condition or that is lacking in the facilities and equipment required by the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act.

☐ A structure determined by the local authority having jurisdiction to be a fire hazard or otherwise that could easily catch fire or cause a fire and endanger public health, safety and welfare.

☐ A vacant or unimproved lot or parcel of ground located in a predominantly developed neighborhood that has become a place for the accumulation of trash and debris or a haven for rodents and other vermin by reason of neglect or lack of maintenance.

☐ A property that is vacant and has not been rehabilitated within one (1) year from receipt of notice for corrective action as issued by the local authority having jurisdiction, except a property where valid construction permit is in place.

☐ A vacant or unimproved lot or parcel of ground that is subject to a municipal lien for the cost of demolition or a structure previously located on the property and for which no payments on the lien have been made for a period of twelve (12) months.

☐ A vacant or unimproved lot or parcel of ground on which the total municipal liens for delinquent real estate property tax or any other type of municipal claim are greater than 150% of the fair market value of the property as established by the board of assessment appeals or other body with legal authority to determine the taxable value of the property.

☐ A property that has been declared abandoned in writing by the owner, including an estate that is in possession of the property.

PROOF OF POSTING

This notice shall confirm that the Blighted Property Public Hearing Notice was posted at 424 W GREENWICH ST, Reading PA on the 6th day of January, 2026, as required per City of Reading Blighted Property Review Committee Ordinance:


Signature

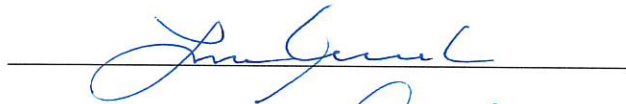
Heather Scheuring
Print Name

Blight/Transfer Officer
Position

State of Pennsylvania
County of Berks

Subscribed and sworn or affirmed before me on this 23 day of Jan, 2026

Notary Public



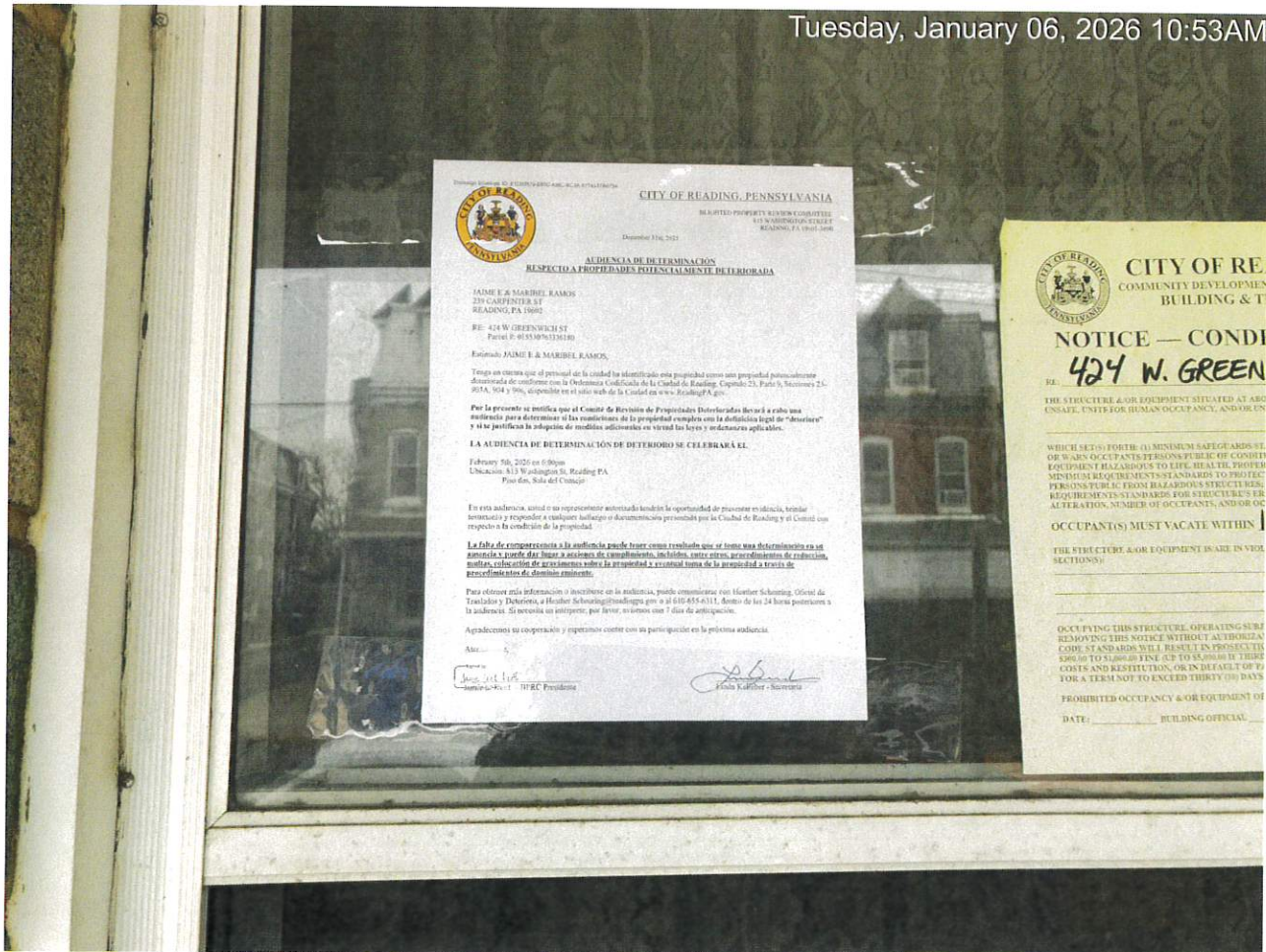
Commission Expires on April 17 2028

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal
Linda A. Kelleher, Notary Public
Berks County
My commission expires April 17, 2028
Commission number 1083048
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

Tuesday, January 06, 2026 10:53AM



Tuesday, January 06, 2026 10:53AM



Determination Hearing

February 5th, 2026

SWORN AFFIDAVIT

424 W GREENWICH ST

Owned By: JAIME E & MARIBEL RAMOS
239 CARPENTER ST
READING, PA 19602

State of Pennsylvania

County of Berks

I Juana Santos am employed by the Reading Area Water Authority and in my capacity as an employee of and custodian of records for the Reading Water Authority the following information regarding water service for 424 W GREENWICH ST is true and correct to the best of my knowledge:

Water service status:

Off

Delinquent Water Amount:

14,513.17

Date of Last Water Service:

7/22/2014

Trash/Recycling Delinquent Amount:

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 day of Jan, 2026 by _____ (Name), who personally appeared before me, is personally known to me and did take an oath.

Signature of Affiant:

Juana Santos

Notary Public:

Linda A. Kelleher

My Commission Expires on

April 17 2028

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Linda A. Kelleher, Notary Public
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COUNTY OF BERKS, PENNSYLVANIA

Tax Claim Bureau

Services Center, 2nd Floor
633 Court Street
Reading, PA 19601

Phone: 610.478.6625
Fax: 610.478.6644
E-mail: taxclaim@berkspa.gov

NICOLE E. BLANDING, Tax Claim Director

January 13, 2026

I, **Ada Navarro**, in my capacity as an employee of the Berks County Tax Claim Bureau, which is the custodian of delinquent Berks County Tax records, certify the attached Statement of Accounts are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Each statement provides complete details of the requested property location, and outlines the delinquent balances owed, along with the years to which they pertain.

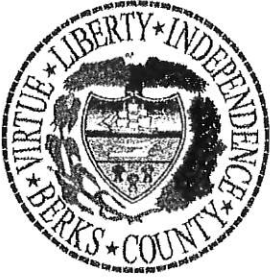
If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 610-478-6625, ext:5645. During normal business hours Monday-Friday, from 8am-4pm.

Best regards,

Ada K Navarro
Berks County Tax Claim/Treasurer

Dedicated to public service with integrity, virtue & excellence.

www.berkspa.gov



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NICOLE E. BLANDING, Tax Claim Director

Owner: RAMOS JAIME E & MARIBEL
239 CARPENTER ST
READING, PA 19602-1807
Location: 424 W GREENWICH ST

PIN: 15530763336180
District: CITY OF READING - 15
School District: READING
Description: 3 STORY BRICK/MASONRY

Current A.V.
24,000
Deed Book / Page
2135 / 1425

Tax Year 2023 (Regular)

RAMOS JAIME E & MARIBEL

	<u>Face</u>	<u>Penalty</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Paid/Refund</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	<u>Balance 3rd P.</u>
County	183.77	18.38	30.24	369.00	601.39	596.08	0.00	5.31
District	435.10	43.51	71.47	0.00	550.08	537.51	0.00	12.57
School	430.32	43.03	70.67	0.00	544.02	531.59	0.00	12.43
Total 2023 Taxes Due:								30.31

Tax Year 2024 (Regular)

RAMOS JAIME E & MARIBEL

	<u>Face</u>	<u>Penalty</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Paid/Refund</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	<u>Balance 3rd P.</u>
County	200.28	20.03	14.85	234.39	469.55	0.00	0.00	469.55
District	435.10	43.51	32.31	0.00	510.92	0.00	0.00	510.92
School	430.32	43.03	31.95	0.00	505.30	0.00	0.00	505.30
Total 2024 Taxes Due:								1,485.77

Total Delinquent Taxes Due: **1,516.08**

GOOD THROUGH 01/13/2026

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

<u>Rcpt # / Trn #</u>	<u>Tax Year</u>	<u>Date Paid</u>	<u>Amount Paid</u>	<u>Payment Type / Reference</u>	<u>Payor</u>
<u>Payment Type:</u>					
102504 / 124139	2023	01/02/2026	832.59	Online Credit	Maribel Ramos
Total Payment Type:			832.59		
<u>Payment Type: Check</u>					
100580 / 122249	2023	09/09/2025	832.59	Check 6811002578	
Total Payment Type: Check			832.59		
Receipts Grand Total:			1,665.18		



Determination Hearing
February 5th, 2026

SWORN AFFIDAVIT
424 W GREENWICH ST

Owned By: JAIME E & MARIBEL RAMOS
239 CARPENTER ST
READING, PA 19602

I, Heather Scheuring, am employed by the City of Reading in its Property Maintenance Division and in my capacity as an employee of and custodian of records for the City of Reading Property Maintenance Division, the following information regarding codes violations for **424 W GREENWICH ST** is true and correct to the best of my knowledge:

(0) Work Orders (0) Unpaid (0) Paid

(1) Notice of Violation – See Attached

Inspection Status:

Passed: NIA

Failed: NIA

Placarded: NO

Housing Fees Unpaid: \$ 0

Amount in Collections: \$ 0

Miscellaneous Fees Unpaid: \$ 260.00

Amount in Collections: \$ 0

() CSC Calls/Complaints: See attached

Owner in contact: (Y) (N)

(4) QOL.001 – Accumulation of Trash

() QOL.002 – Animal Maintenance and Waste

() QOL.003 – Disposal of Trash/Rubbish

() QOL.004 – High Grass/Weeds

() QOL.005 – Littering/Scattering Rubbish

() QOL.006 – Motor Vehicle Nuisance

() QOL.007 – Operating a Food Cart Illegally

() QOL.008 – Operating/Vending Without Permit

(2) QOL.009 – Outdoor Placement of Indoor Furniture

() QOL.010 – Illegal Dumping

() QOL.011 – Littering by Private Advertising Matter

(1) QOL.012 – Snow/Ice Removal

() QOL.013 – Storing of Waste Containers

() QOL.014 – Storing of Appliances in Public View

() QOL.015 – Storing of Hazardous Material

() QOL.016 – Storing of Recyclables

() QOL.017 – Storing/Serving Potentially Hazardous Food

() QOL.018 – Swimming Pools in Good Repair

() QOL.019 – Violating Terms of Vending Lease

() QOL.020 – Failure to Obtain Permits in Historic District

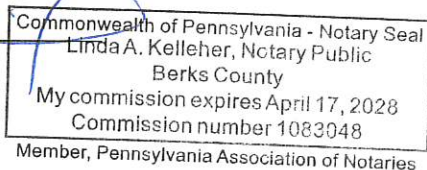
() QOL.021 – Satellite Dishes in Public View – Hist. Dist.

() QOL.022 – Failure to Have Licensed Trash Hauler

() QOL.023 – Unregistered Dumpster

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23
day of Jan, 2026 by Heather Scheuring,
who personally appeared before me, is personally
known to me and did take an oath.

Signature of Affiant:



Notary Public:

My Commission Expires on:

April 17 2028

BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
 PARCEL: 15530763336180
 RAMOS JAIME E & MARIBEL

01 - CITY OF READING
 S19 - READING SCHOOL DISTRICT
 424 W GREENWICH ST
 READING

Site Location: 424 W GREENWICH ST
 Description: 3 STORY BRICK/MASONRY

Land Use Code: 117R - 3 STORY BRICK
 ONE FAMILY ROW HOME
 Municipality: 15 - CITY OF READING
 Taxing District: 01 - CITY OF READING
 School District: S19 - READING
 Class: R - Residential

Current Assessment

Tax Year	2025
Homestead	
Actual Land	6,100
Actual Building	17,900
Actual Total	24,000
Taxable Land	6,100
Taxable Building	17,900
Taxable Total	24,000

Ownership

Owner 1 RAMOS JAIME E &
 MARIBEL
 Owner 2
 Care Of
 Mailing Address 239 CARPENTER
 ST
 READING, PA
 19602
 Resident/Non-Resident

Sales and Deed Information

Sale Date	Sale Price	Validity Code	Instrument #	Deed Book	Deed Page
04/29/1990	\$27,500	00 - VALID SALE		2135	1425

ADDL DEED 1 BK/INST:
 ADDL DEED 1 PAGE:

ADDL DEED 2 BK/INST:
 ADDL DEED 2 PAGE:

ADDL DEED 3 BK/INST:
 ADDL DEED 3 PAGE:

Lot #:

Id	Request Type	Description	Address	Date Created
825434	Trash Enforcement	TRASH PILED OUT BACK	424 W Greenwich St, Reading, PA, United States, Reading, PA, 19601	2015-05-08 15:44:09
2288637	Roofs/Drainage	VACANT PROPERTY HAS HUGE HOLE IN ROOF AND WATER IS DAMAGING THE PROPERTY AT 422 W GREENWICH ST.	424 W Greenwich St, Reading, PA, United States	2017-01-24 14:51:32
8775176	Unsecured/Open Property	A neighbor was on his roof and noticed huge holes on the roof of this property. The building is also vacant and unsecured.	424 W Greenwich St, Reading, PA, USA	2020-09-18 14:07:17
9684223	Trash Enforcement	There is trash on the porch and they are also putting trash on the neighboring property at 424 W Greenwich Street	422 West Greenwich Street, Reading, PA, USA	2021-03-10 11:03:55
PMD3336	Structure	The roof of this property is collapsing the resident in the neighboring property wouldn't be able to get out of their home fast enough it it would completely collapse and take neighbors property with it . Please also contact Debra Cooper (sister) 484-769-2008	422 West Greenwich Street, Reading, PA, USA	9/13/2024 10:37am

City of Reading
Property Maintenance Division
Inspection Report

Case: 214220

Inspection: 431691

Insp Type: N.O.V.

Date: 01/22/2026

Address: 424 W GREENWICH ST, READING 19601-

Owner Information:

Name: RAMOS JAIME E & MARIBEL

Address: 424 W GREENWICH ST

READING PA 19601-2612

Property Information:

of Commercial Units: 0

of Units: 1

of Rooms: 0

Owner Occupied Unit? N

Listed below are violation(s) of City Ordinance

DAYS TO COMPLY	LOCATION	SECTION	COMMENTS	STATUS

This is to certify that a property inspection has been performed by:

Inspector: No name available

Phone:

I also understand that I have the right to file an appeal concerning this inspection within 15 days of receipt.

OWNER/AGENT:

Please be advised that repairs or alterations to any electrical, mechanical, or plumbing system will require a Building and Trades permit issued to a contractor licensed by the City of Reading. Likewise, any repairs or alterations to any structural element or means of egress components (stairs, doors, handrails, etc.) will also require a Building and Trades permit. Property owners will be expected to supply proof of permit issuance at the time of re-inspection. For any clarification regarding building permit requirements, call Building and Trades at 610-655-6284 or stop by City Hall at 815 Washington St., Room 1-27, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8:00AM and 4:00PM. Any exterior alterations to be undertaken at properties located in a locally designated historic district require review and approval by the Historic Preservation Specialist/Officer or the Historical Architectural Review Board (HARB).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Approved By:

Date/Time: