



✕ Violation Notice and Order to Correct

L&I File Number: CF-2025-005217



DISTRICT OFFICE

Fire Safety Central West District
3RD FLR
667 N Broad St
Philadelphia, PA 19123
215-685-3917

PROPERTY IN VIOLATION

5401-05 SPRUCE ST, Philadelphia, PA 19139-4061

DATE OF NOTICE

01/29/2025

On 01/28/2025 the Department of Licenses and Inspections inspected/investigated the property in violation and found the following condition(s) or activity which violate the Philadelphia Code. Based on these the property is deemed:

IN VIOLATION

The property will remain in this status until all the violations below are corrected and the Department of Licenses and Inspections has verified the corrective action. You are the person responsible for the correction of these violations.

Any permit or license obtained to comply a violation of working without or in excess of a permit or a license will result in an additional inspection fee equal to the cost of the permit or license. (Phila. Code § A-901.13)

YOU ARE ORDERED TO MAKE THE NECESSARY REPAIRS AND/OR TAKE THE NECESSARY ACTION(S) TO CORRECT THE CITED CONDITIONS PRIOR TO 03/04/2025

VIOLATIONS

PHILA. CODE § F-906.2	FINE AMOUNT \$300.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE Portable fire extinguishers shall be selected, installed and maintained in accordance with this section and NFPA 10.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION HAVE ALL FIRE EXTINGUISHERS INSPECTED AND TAGGED BY A LICENSED CONTRACTOR		
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PHILA. CODE § F-305.1	FINE AMOUNT \$300.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE A clearance of at least 3 feet (914 mm) or greater where required by another section of this code or the manufacturer's instructions, between ignition sources, such as luminaires, heaters, flameproducing devices and combustible materials, shall be maintained in an approved manner.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION REMOVE COMBUSTIBLE STORAGE FROM AIR COMPRESSOR		
LOCATION 5401-05 SPRUCE ST - SALS AUTO REPAIR LLC: INTERIOR		

PHILA. CODE § A-301.1/65	FINE AMOUNT \$300.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE A use registration permit is required for every new use commenced on any land or in any structure. Return the subject premise to its approved usage or secure the proper permit for its present use.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION OBTAIN REQUIRED USE REGISTRATION PERMIT FOR AUTO STORAGE IN FRONT LOT OBTAIN REQUIRED USE REGISTRATION PERMIT FOR AUTO REPAIR		
LOCATION 5401-05 SPRUCE ST - SALS AUTO REPAIR LLC		

PHILA. CODE § A-301.1/65	FINE AMOUNT \$300.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE A use registration permit is required for every new use commenced on any land or in any structure. Return the subject premise to its approved usage or secure the proper permit for its present use.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION OBTAIN REQUIRED USE REGISTRATION PERMIT FOR SPRAY PAINTING OR REMOVE PAINTS AND ACCESSORIES		
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PHILA. CODE § F-1031.3	FINE AMOUNT \$1,000.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE A means of egress shall be free from obstructions that would prevent its use, including the accumulation of snow and ice.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION KEEP FRONT EXIT DOOR CLEAR OF VEHICLES		
LOCATION 5401-05 SPRUCE ST - SALS AUTO REPAIR LLC		

PHILA. CODE § F-308.1.9	FINE AMOUNT \$300.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE Portable heating and cooking equipment that produces a flame is not permitted in a building.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION REMOVE TORPEDO HEATERS		
LOCATION 5401-05 SPRUCE ST - SALS AUTO REPAIR LLC: INTERIOR		

PHILA. CODE § F-2311.2.3.2	FINE AMOUNT \$300.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE Self-closing metal cans shall be used for oily waste.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION OBTAIN SELF-CLOSING METAL CAN FOR OILY WASTE		
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PHILA. CODE § F-5303.5.3	FINE AMOUNT \$300.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE Compressed gas containers, cylinders and tanks shall be secured to prevent falling caused by contact, vibration or seismic activity.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION SECURE ALL COMPRESSED GAS CYLINDERS, CONTAINERS, AND TANKS		
LOCATION 5401-05 SPRUCE ST - SALS AUTO REPAIR LLC: INTERIOR		

PHILA. CODE § F-505.1	FINE AMOUNT \$300.00	SCAN QR CODE FOR HOW TO RESOLVE 
PHILA. CODE LANGUAGE New and existing buildings shall be provided with approved address identification. The address identification shall be legible and placed in a position that is visible from the street or road fronting the property. Address identification characters shall contrast with their background. Address numbers shall be Arabic numbers or alphabetical letters. Numbers shall not be spelled out. Each character shall be not less than 4 inches (102 mm) high with a minimum stroke width of 1/2 inch (12.7 mm). Where required by the fire code official, address identification shall be provided in additional approved locations to facilitate emergency response. Where access is by means of a private road and the building cannot be viewed from the public way, a monument, pole or other sign or means shall be used to identify the structure. Address identification shall be maintained.		
CONDITION IN VIOLATION OBTAIN APPROVED ADDRESS IDENTIFICATION		
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Failure to timely correct the violations listed above by or before the correction date listed above will result in the stated fine amount being imposed against you. The fines will be imposed on a per day basis for each violation that remains uncorrected AFTER the stated correction date. Phila. Code § A-601. If you timely correct each violation by the stated correction date, no fines will be due.

In addition to the fines listed above, failure to timely correct the violations will result in you being charged:

- Labor and material costs for any work performed by the City, such as a demolition; sealing of windows or doors; clearing of weeds, trash or debris; relocation expenses for removing occupants, costs associated with cease operations orders. Such costs are subject to an additional administrative fee of 21% (Phila. Code § A-503);
- An additional \$100 fee for repeat abatement work (Phila. Code § A-503.2); and
- Reinspection fees as follows: \$100 for the third inspection, \$200 for the fourth inspection, and \$350 for any additional inspections (Phila. Code § A-901.12.2).



YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPEAL THIS NOTICE. YOUR APPEAL MUST BE FILED BY 02/28/2025.

IF YOU DO NOT TIMELY FILE AN APPEAL THEN YOU WAIVE YOUR RIGHT TO LATER CHALLENGE ANY PART OF THIS NOTICE. This includes waiving your right to argue: whether the violations existed, whether you were responsible to correct the violations, whether you had enough time to correct the violations, whether the City should have abated the violations, and whether the City can impose fines, fees, or costs against you.

For more information on filing an appeal and/or to obtain the approved form visit the appeals section of the Department of Licenses and Inspections website at www.phila.gov/li or the Boards Administration Unit, 11th Floor Municipal Services Building, 1401 J.F.K. Blvd., Philadelphia PA.

Appeals of the Technical Codes, such as the Zoning Code and/or Fire Code, need to be submitted to the appropriate Technical Appeal Board such as the Zoning Board of Adjustment and/or the Board of Safety and Fire Prevention. For additional information call 215-686-8686.

IF YOU HAVE ANY LEGAL QUESTIONS YOU SHOULD CONSULT WITH AN ATTORNEY.

If you do not have an attorney, you can contact the Philadelphia Bar Association Referral and Information Line at 215-238-6333 to have an attorney referred to you. You can also find a list of legal aid service providers at <http://palegalaid.net/legal-aid-providers-in-pa>.



The Philadelphia Code may be found online for free at www.phila.gov under "Open government."

If you have any questions regarding this notice or would like to schedule a re-inspection, please contact: Elijah Ellis Elijah.Ellis@phila.gov or the district office noted above.

ATTENTION: This is an important notice! For information in your language, call 215-686-8686

ATENCIÓN: ¡Este es un aviso Importante! Para recibir información en su idioma, llame al 215-686-8686

注意: 这是重要通知! 如果您需要以您的语言获得此信息, 请致电 215-686-8686

CHÚ Ý: Đây là thông báo quan trọng! Nếu bạn cần thư này bằng ngôn ngữ khác, vui lòng gọi 215-686-8686

주의: 중요 통지입니다! 이 서신을 귀하의 언어로 받고 싶으시면 215-686-8686번으로 전화하시기 바랍니다

توجہ فرمائیں: یہ ایک ضروری اطلاع نامہ ہے! ترجمے کی خدمات کے لیے 215-686-8686 پر کال کریں

ATTENTION: Cet avis est important! Si vous avez besoin de cet avis dans une autre langue, appelez le 215-686-8686