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News Release

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CODE SWEEP UNCOVERS 114 VIOLATIONS

Kenner, LA. – A code sweep on Thursday conducted in three different areas of the city resulted in the discovery of 114 violations, officials said.

The locations for the sweep included the 4400 block of Idaho and Georgia avenues, the 3000 to 3100 blocks of Utah and Washington avenues and the 700 to 800 blocks of Gerry and 29th streets. The areas were chosen based on multiple complaints regarding code issues.

"We simply will not put up with property owners who do not take care of their obligations," Mayor Ben Zahn. "We will continue these weekly code sweeps to send that message throughout the city."

"The 4400 block of Idaho and Georgia is the location of the recent shooting incident and the area is a constant issue," Zahn said. "Code officials, along with the Kenner Police Department and my office, are committed to addressing violators who hinder and threaten the welfare of our residents. Rest assured, it will not be tolerated.

The violations included:

Abandoned vehicles	13
Zoning violation	1
Address required	1
Boarding required	1
Slab removal	1
Building premises maintenance	11
Fascia/soffit issues	13
Fence repair	5
Permit required	2
High grass	10
Litter/debris	20

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Stagnant water	1
Repair or demolish	4
Unsafe electrical conditions	14
Unsafe plumbing conditions	6
Window/door/screen	3
Vermin/rodents	7
Humane violations	1

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