

City of Sarasota Code Compliance Division 1575 2nd Street 3rd Floor Sarasota, FL 34236 Phone: (941) 263-6417 Fax: (941) 954-4187

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Petre Kratchmarov 3663 Quiet Dr Sarasota, FL 34240-2716 Date: 3/10/2025 Case No. 2025-00368

Summary:

Our Inspection of: 1626 22nd St

Details of the alleged violation appear in this Notice of Violation. If you have any questions about the violation(s) cited or this notice, contact the Code Compliance Divisions at (941) 263-6417.

To avoid a hearing with the Special Magistrate, and the possible imposition of fines against you and your property, you must correct these violations within 10 day(s) from receipt of this notice and call the Code Compliance inspector at (941) 263-6417 so compliance can be verified.

Please read this entire Notice. It includes important information about your rights and responsibilities, and instructions on how to avoid incurring fines, and how to attend a code hearing to contest the alleged violation(s).

Si usted necesita ayuda con entender esta carta, por favor llame (941) 263-6417.

Dear Owner,

The Mayor and the City Commission are greatly concerned about the need to keep all houses and properties located within the City of Sarasota, Florida, in a safe, sanitary and useable condition. To promote these goals, on-site inspections are performed regularly by City Inspectors. These inspections are performed in the interest of the safety and public welfare of all citizens. This program has resulted in an inspection of the property referenced in this Notice of Violation.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that Case No. 2025-00368 has been opened on the property described below:

Legal Owner: KRATCHMAROV PETRE,

Property ID: 2024070057

As a result of the inspection of the above referenced property conducted on 02/27/2025 the City contends that the property is in violation of the provisions of the following code section(s):

Violation Listings:			Number of Violations Listed: 2
Violation Number	Violation Date		Violation(s):
001	2/27/2025		<u>City Code 16-49(c) Heavy, dense, rank overgrowth prohibited.</u> Undeveloped or vacant lots. It shall be unlawful for any owner to maintain or to permit heavy, dense or rank overgrowth of weeds, grass, underbrush or other vegetation upon any vacant or undeveloped real property in the city in a manner which might communicate fire or serve as a breeding place for or harbor insects, rodents, snakes or other pests or vermin, or otherwise constitute a nuisance which is detrimental to the general health, safety and welfare of the city and its inhabitants. Owners shall maintain the entire parcel in accordance with this subsection up to the edge of any paved roadway or city- maintained traveled way abutting the parcel although some portion thereof may be encumbered by an easement for public right-of-way or other public purposes. This requirement to maintain shall not apply to any median within an abutting roadway. For purposes of this paragraph, "heavy, dense or rank overgrowth" shall mean growth of grass, weeds or other plant materials which are not cultivated or regularly tended and which reach a height in excess of twelve (12) inches. This paragraph shall not apply to any lot or parcel over one (1) acre in size which is in a natural state of vegetation and which has never been cut or mowed.
		Infraction:	Heavy, dense, rank overgrowth on the property. Overgrowth exceeding twelve inches.
		Corrective Action:	Remove all heavy, dense, rank overgrowth from property and maintain.
002	2/27/2025		<u>Standard Housing Code 1997 Edition 305.15 Accessory</u> <u>Structures</u> Garages, storage buildings and other accessory structures shall be maintained and kept in good repair and sound structural condition.
		Infraction:	Fence in disrepair.
		Corrective Action:	Repair, replace, or remove fence. This may require a permit. Please contact the Building Department at 941-263-6494 for permitting questions.

The alleged violation(s) **shall be corrected within 10 days** from receipt of this Notice of Violation. If any of the alleged violation(s) continue(s) beyond that number of days, a hearing will be set in front of the Special Magistrate, and fines and costs could be imposed against you and your property if you are found to be in violation.

It is your responsibility to contact the Code Compliance Inspector at (941) 263-6417 when all violations have been corrected and the property has been brought into compliance. Schedule this inspection as soon as you have corrected the violation(s) in order to negate the need for a hearing and the possible imposition of costs and/or fines against you. If you correct the violation(s) within the stated time and the Code Compliance Inspector has verified that the property

is in compliance, there will be no hearing and no fines or costs imposed, except for repeat violations.

Failure to correct the alleged violation(s), will result in the City scheduling a hearing to allow the Special Magistrate to hear the case and to enter an Order imposing the fines and costs which have accrued if a violation is found. You will receive a notice by certified mail regarding the specific date and time of the administrative hearing. You must attend the hearing, present evidence, and testify to any mitigating circumstances regarding the alleged violation. You will be liable for the costs imposed by the Special Magistrate which include costs of the investigation, prosecution and the administrative hearing should you be found guilty of the violation(s) by the Magistrate. You shall also be responsible for a one percent (1%) fee for all fines paid to fund certification and training programs.

All fines and costs imposed by the Special Magistrate's Order shall be recorded as a lien against your personal and real property and shall bear interest at the maximum rate allowed by law.

If you have any questions regarding the notice or the violations, please contact the Code Compliance Division at (941) 263-6417 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, or address correspondence to City of Sarasota Code Compliance Division, 1575 2nd Street, Sarasota, Florida 34236. Our Code Compliance Inspectors are generally available between 8:00 – 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 – 2:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, to address questions/concerns. Please indicate the case number and property address on all correspondence.

Dated this 10th day of March, 2025.

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Diane Kennedy Code Compliance Manager

cc: Case File

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I do hereby certify that this Notice of Violation has been furnished by certified mail, hand delivery or posting to Petre Kratchmarov on this 10th day of March, 2025.

Sally Jennings Administrative Specialist II