## TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES

TOWN HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS

# SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING MINUTES WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 2025 – 9:11 A.M. – 10:15 A.M.



Meeting Audio Available Upon Request in the Office of the Town Clerk

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Amity Barnard, Special Magistrate, at 9:11 A.M. on Wednesday, March 19, 2025.

#### SWEARING IN OF OFFICERS, STAFF AND RESPONDENTS

#### ROLL CALL

#### **Staff Present:**

- Sammie Brown, FRA-RP, MEDP, Town Clerk Assistant
- John Suarez, Code Enforcement Officer
- Jeff Kurtz, Esq, Project Coordinator

## **Special Magistrate:**

Amity R. Barnard, Esq.

#### **Adjournment:**

Meeting adjourned at 10:15 A.M.

PLEASE SEE THE FOLLOWING SPECIAL MAGISTRATE ORDERS

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA.

CASE NO. 25020145

Petitioner.

V.

KANDOR FARM LLC,

Respondent.	
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#### ORDER FINDING VIOLATION

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOXAHATCHEE GROVES W 1/2 OF S 1/2 OF TR 4 BLK A

#### STREET ADDRESS:

1180 A Road Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

#### PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-41-43-17-01-104-0020

The Code Enforcement Special Magistrate heard testimony at the Code Enforcement Special Magistrate Hearing held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025 regarding the above-referenced case and based on the evidence presented at that hearing, enters the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent, KANDOR FARM LLC, is the owner of the above-described property.
- 2. Respondent was not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.

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#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

Respondent is hereby ordered to comply with Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves no later than April 18, 2025. This matter is set for a Fine Assessment Hearing on May 5, 2025 at 9:00 am at the Town of Loxahatchee Groves Town Hall, 155 F Road, Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470. At such hearing, a fine in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) may be assessed for each day that the violation continues to exist past April 18, 2025, the compliance deadline set by this Order.

Respondent is further assessed administrative costs in the amount of Two Hundred Thirty-Four Dollars and Five Cents (\$234.05) for prosecuting the March 19, 2025 hearing, payable within thirty (30) days of the date of this order.

Should a dispute arise concerning compliance, either party may request a hearing before the Code Enforcement Special Magistrate on the issue of compliance only.

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Upon complying in any code enforcement matter, it is always the responsibility of the Respondent to contact the Code Enforcement Department at (561) 793-2418 to request a reinspection of the property.

DONE AND ORDERED THIS 20th day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY:

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA,

CASE NO. 25020166

Petitioner,	
v.	
ALBERT R LEON,	
Respondent.	

#### ORDER FINDING VIOLATION

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOXAHATCHEE GROVES W 323 FT OF S 1/2 & SLY 10 FT OF WLY 323 FT OF N 1/2 OF TR 39 BLK D

#### STREET ADDRESS:

14220 Biddix Road Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

#### PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-41-43-17-01-439-0030

The Code Enforcement Special Magistrate heard testimony at the Code Enforcement Special Magistrate Hearing held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025 regarding the above-referenced case and based on the evidence presented at that hearing, enters the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

## **FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Respondent, ALBERT R LEON, is the owner of the above-described property.

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2. Respondent was not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.

3. At the hearing on March 19, 2025, John Suarez, the Town's Enforcement Officer, testified under oath and presented documentary and photographic evidence of the violation occurring on the property. The Town's documentary and photographic evidence were entered into the record as Composite Exhibit 1, without objection.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

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DONE AND ORDERED THIS 20th day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY:

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA,

CASE NO. 25020169

Petitioner,

v.

CHERNEY ASSOCIATES INC,

R	despondent.

## ORDER FINDING VIOLATION

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

## LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOXAHATCHEE GROVES S 1/2 OF TR 8 BLK C

## STREET ADDRESS:

1666 C Road Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

#### PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-41-43-17-01-308-0020

The Code Enforcement Special Magistrate heard testimony at the Code Enforcement Special Magistrate Hearing held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025 regarding the above-referenced case and based on the evidence presented at that hearing, enters the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent, CHERNEY ASSOCIATES INC, is the owner of the above-described property.
- 2. Respondent was not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.

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#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

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DONE AND ORDERED THIS 20th day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY:

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA,

CASE NO. 25020179

Petitioner,
v.
TAMARA SEELY,
Respondent.

## ORDER FINDING VIOLATION

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOXAHATCHEE GROVES W 252 FT OF E 3/4 OF TRS 45 & 46 BLK F

#### STREET ADDRESS:

13009 Collecting Canal Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

## PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-41-43-17-01-645-0040

The Code Enforcement Special Magistrate heard testimony at the Code Enforcement Special Magistrate Hearing held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025 regarding the above-referenced case and based on the evidence presented at that hearing, enters the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

## FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent, TAMARA SEELY, is the owner of the above-described property.
- 2. Respondent was not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.

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## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

Respondent is hereby ordered to comply with Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves no later than April 18, 2025. This matter is set for a Fine Assessment Hearing on May 5, 2025 at 9:00 am at the Town of Loxahatchee Groves Town Hall, 155 F Road, Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470. At such hearing, a fine in the amount of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) may be assessed for each day that the violation continues to exist past April 18, 2025, the compliance deadline set by this Order.

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DONE AND ORDERED THIS 20th day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY:

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA,

CASE NO. 25030004

Petitioner,

v.

PJG FLORIDA LAND TRUST,

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## ORDER FINDING VIOLATION

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOXAHATCHEE GROVES W 1/2 OF E 1/2 OF TR 5 BLK F

#### STREET ADDRESS:

13265 11<sup>th</sup> Lane North Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

#### PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-41-43-17-01-605-0030

The Code Enforcement Special Magistrate heard testimony at the Code Enforcement Special Magistrate Hearing held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025 regarding the above-referenced case and based on the evidence presented at that hearing, enters the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

#### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 1. Respondent, PJG FLORIDA LAND TRUST, is the owner of the above-described property.
- 2. Respondent was not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.

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#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

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DONE AND ORDERED THIS 20th day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY:

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA,

CASE NO. 25030016

Petitioner,

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AIDA HERNANDEZ,

Respondent.	

#### ORDER FINDING VIOLATION

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOXAHATCHEE GROVES WLY 131.05 FT OF ELY 565.30 FT OF SLY 326 FT OF TR 13 BLK B

#### STREET ADDRESS:

15347 Okeechobee Boulevard Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

#### PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-41-43-17-01-213-0080

- 1. Respondent, AIDA HERNANDEZ, is the owner of the above-described property.
- 2. Respondent was not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.
- 3. At the hearing on March 19, 2025, John Suarez, the Town's Enforcement Officer, testified under oath and presented documentary and photographic evidence of the violation occurring on the property. The Town's documentary and photographic evidence were entered into the record as Composite Exhibit 1, without objection.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

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DONE AND ORDERED THIS 20th day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY:

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA.

CASE NO. 25030023

Petitioner,	
V.	
STNURSERY LLC,	
Respondent.	
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## ORDER FINDING VIOLATION

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

13-43-40, S 329 FT OF N 638 FTOF E 1/2 OF E 1/4 OF N 1/2 A/K/A LT 39 LOXAHATCHEE WEST UNREC

#### STREET ADDRESS:

3995 A Road Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

#### PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-40-43-13-00-000-1130

- 1. Respondent, STNURSERY LLC, is the owner of the above-described property.
- 2. Respondent was not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.
- 3. At the hearing on March 19, 2025, John Suarez, the Town's Enforcement Officer, testified under oath and presented documentary and photographic evidence of the violation occurring on the property. The Town's documentary and photographic evidence were entered into the record as Composite Exhibit 1, without objection.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

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DONE AND ORDERED THIS 20th day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY.

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA,

CASE NO. 25030025

Petitioner,

v.

RAM DRYWALL SERVICES LLC,

Respondent.		
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## ORDER FINDING VIOLATION

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOXAHATCHEE GROVES N 289.87 FT OF SLY 920.03 FT OF E 300 FT OF W 791.82 FT OF TR 9 BLK I

#### STREET ADDRESS:

14405 Tangerine Drive Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

#### PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-41-43-17-01-809-0110

1. Respondent, RAM DRYWALL SERVICES LLC, is the owner of the above-described property.

2. Respondent was not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.

3. At the hearing on March 19, 2025, John Suarez, the Town's Enforcement Officer, testified under oath and presented documentary and photographic evidence of the violation occurring on the property. The Town's documentary and photographic evidence were entered into the record as Composite Exhibit 1, without objection.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

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DONE AND ORDERED THIS Zoth day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY:

Returned to: Town of Loxahatchee Groves 155 F Rd Loxahatchee Groves, FL 33470

## SPECIAL MAGISTRATE HEARING TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA (561) 793-2418

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA,

CASE NO. 25030063

Petitioner,

v.

LEIF AHO & MARISSA AHO,

K	espondents.	
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## **ORDER FINDING VIOLATION**

RE: Violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

## LEGAL DESCRIPTION

LOXAHATCHEE GROVES W 687.5 FT OF N 316.8 FT OF TR 18 BLK A

#### STREET ADDRESS:

2868 A Road Loxahatchee Groves, Florida 33470

#### PARCEL CONTROL NUMBER:

41-41-43-17-01-118-0010

- 1. Respondents, LEIF AHO & MARISSA AHO, are the owners of the above-described property.
- 2. Respondents were not present at the hearing; however, there was a finding of proper notice.
- 3. At the hearing on March 19, 2025, John Suarez, the Town's Enforcement Officer, testified under oath and presented documentary and photographic evidence of the violation occurring on the property. The Town's documentary and photographic evidence were entered into the record as Composite Exhibit 1, without objection.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The above-stated facts constitute a violation of Section 92-010 of the ULDC of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves.

#### **ORDER**

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DONE AND ORDERED THIS 20th day of March, 2025.

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE

BY: