# CITY OF CLEVELAND FAÇADE INSPECTIONS

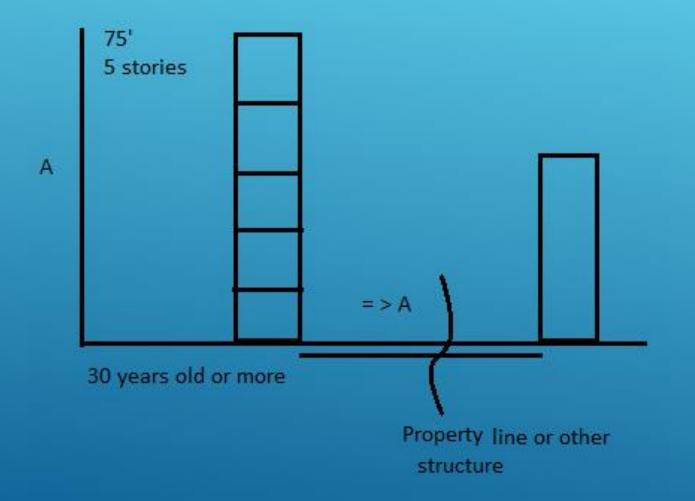
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#### THE WHAT

- Buildings over 30 yrs old
- Buildings 5 stories or more
- Buildings 75 ft tall or taller
- Buildings with a protected distance of = to or less than its height.



#### THE WHAT

- Conduct General inspections per ASTM E2270-14
- Create Inspection Report
- Submit Inspection report form to the City with the Fee.
- Maintain full inspection report on site for inspection
- Repeat for each renewal.

### THE WHEN ORDINANCE 1533-15 EFFECTIVE 6-6-16

- Buildings 50 years or older must submit their inspection form within 1 year of the effective date.
  - 6-6-17
- Buildings 30 to fifty years old must submit their inspection form within 1 year of the effective date.
  - 6-6-18

Renewals are due every five years prior to 6-6-XX of the renewal year.

#### THE WHO

- The Building owner is responsible for facilitating and submitting the inspection form.
- A qualified inspector shall conduct the inspection and create the report.
  - A Design Professional familiar with the building elements.
  - A Special Inspector or Agency Accredited as per the Ohio Building Code.
    - OBC Chapter 17

#### THE HOW

#### INSPECTION REPORTING

 The Department of Building and Housing will publish the Inspection Reporting form on the website by October 1st 2016

http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/Building Housing/FormsPublications

- Initial submittals will be processed and an electronic record created
- Renewal records will be submitted and tracked using the electronic record pumber.

#### THE HOW

INSPECTION REPORTING CONT.

- Structures found to be <u>"Safe with Repair & Maintenance Plan"</u> will require an application for building permit and approval of the maintenance plan.
- Once approved the permit will be monitored per the regulations for all building permit;
- The requirements of CCO 3143.02 will be considered met once the permit is issued.

#### THE HOW

#### INSPECTION REPORTING CONT.

- Structures found to be <u>"Unsafe/Imminent Danger"</u> will require immediate communication to the Building Official and will include corrective measures.
- A follow up inspection with a Building and Housing inspector will be required.
- A Violation Notice may be issued depending on the severity of the concern.
- A permit will be required to correct the issues and satisfy the VN.
- The requirements of CCO 3143.02 will be considered met once the permit is issued.

#### THE WHAT IF

- A portion of the structure is 15 years old and another is 50?
- · If the portions are structurally independent, they could be viewed as separate facades. If not it must all be inspected
- A portion of the building is 6 stories and another portion is 3 stories.
   If the portions are structurally independent, they could be viewed as separate facades. If not it must all be inspected.
- I just had my building renovated 3 years ago and the façade was inspected.

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- my Building had a complete façade replacement less than 30 years ago.
- · If the building is older than 30 years old it still requires an inspection even it the façade is not.

#### QUESTIONS