



## PLI news & updates

This edition of the newsletter includes new job postings, bulletins on code interpretations for common applications, new inspector ward assignments, third party agency info, and fun events PLI will be attending!

Visit our Website

We are hiring!

We've posted a new position for Construction Plans Examiner. Fill out an application [here](#).

We are also hiring an Electrical Inspector. Fill out an application [here](#).

### Code Interpretation Bulletins

Our plans examiners often see similar issues arise on building permit applications. In order to help architects, developers, and City residents understand PLI's position on these code requirements, we have created standard bulletins.

[Clarification of the definition of townhouse](#)

[Clarification of building code required for groups of townhouse](#)

[Clarification of requirements for building across lot lines](#)

The screenshot shows the website's navigation menu at the top: Home, Mayor, City Council, City Controller, Public Safety, City Directory, 311, Resources, AskPGI, Search. Below the navigation is the 'DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS, LICENSES, AND INSPECTIONS' header. The main content area is titled 'PLI BULLETINS' and includes a sub-header 'Below are Bulletins providing additional information regarding PLI procedures, code interpretations, or enforcement. Please click link reading.' The 'Procedures' section lists several bulletins with links, such as 'Standard Permit Application Requirements', 'General Occupancy Application', 'Temporary Procedures for Third Party Agency', 'Landscaping Special Inspection', and 'Approved Permit Procedures'. The 'Informational' section lists 'Commercial Building Plan Review Checklist', 'Sever and Curbside Monocle Alerts', 'Code Violations', 'Accessible Route Cost Verification Form', 'Residential Deck Application', and 'Commercial Building Permit Form'. The 'Code Interpretations' section lists 'Townhouse and Definition of Attached', 'Townhouse and Group', and 'Buildings across Lot Lines'. On the right side, there are 'PLI Main Links' (PLI Home, Construction and Permits, City of Pittsburgh Licenses, Code Violations and Information, Public Code and Regulations, Building Standards and Codes, City Division Information, 311, PLI Bulletin), 'Citywide Links' (Citywide Permits and Licenses, PLI News, Department Contacts, More User, 311-225-5175, Permit Center, 311-225-2111, Licensing, 311-225-2100, City Council Resolutions and Ord. Text), and a 'Share this page' section with 'Print' and 'Email' buttons.

[Check back often for more interpretations!](#)

### Third Party Agencies

We have been vetting companies that would like to be approved Third Party Agencies for certain City inspections and permits.

That process is now complete and beginning September 1, 2016, we will only accept reports from those that have been approved.

If you want to learn more about when TPAs are necessary, [please visit our website.](#)

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## New Inspector Ward Assignments

We've had some ward assignment changes. [Check out the latest for your area.](#)

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## Girls Rock Science

The City of Pittsburgh is proud to be a part of [Girls Rock Science at the Carnegie Science Center](#) on September 24th and 25th.

The event brings together companies and groups that demonstrate skills and showcase opportunities that exist in science, tech, engineering, and math which many children and adults may not know about.

This event will give the chance for girls to interact with hands on activities in robotics, accounting, building plans, and design to open doors to careers that may not have seemed possible.



[Take a look at KDKA's promo of last year's event to learn more!](#)

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## Pittsburgh's Blight Bootcamp

Are you tired of seeing overgrown lots and abandoned buildings littering your neighborhood? Ever wonder what you could do about it but had no idea where to start?

Join the City of Pittsburgh, GTECH, Neighborhood Allies, Design Allies, PCRG, and the URA on October 7-8th for our 2nd Blight Bootcamp in Hazelwood!

There will be sessions for all types of community driven initiatives that can help improve your neighborhood.

REGISTER TODAY | BLIGHT BOOTCAMP CONFERENCE 2016  
OCTOBER 7TH-8TH 2016 | HAZELWOOD

AN EVENT TO LEARN ABOUT HOW TO IMPROVE AREAS OF YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD WHERE LAND OR BUILDINGS ARE ABANDONED OR NEGLECTED AND HOW TO INCREASE THE IMPACT OF COMMUNITY LED BLIGHT ELIMINATION EFFORTS.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 7TH 3PM-7PM  
2ND AVENUE AT HAZELWOOD AVE.  
PITTSBURGH, PA, 15207  
3-5PM WORKDAY IN HAZELWOOD  
5-7PM NETWORKING EVENT  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8TH 8AM-4PM  
PROPEL | 5401 GLENWOOD AVE.  
PITTSBURGH, PA 15207

VISIT [WWW.LOTSTOLOVE.ORG/BLIGHT-BOOTCAMP-2016-2/](http://WWW.LOTSTOLOVE.ORG/BLIGHT-BOOTCAMP-2016-2/) TO REGISTER!

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