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Building Condition Assessment Survey 2023 - 2024

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Asset: P.S. 253 - BROOKLYN, 601 OCEAN VIEW AVENUE, New York, 11235

Inspection Id	Inspection Type	Time In	Last Edited
ME : K253	Mechanical	2024-03-14 8:38 AM	2024-04-09 6:45 PM

Asset Data

Question	Answer
Are there fuel tanks?	No
Total # of water main service entries to the asset	2
MERs/Fan Rooms Locations	Basement MER, Basement Fan Room
Are there any spaces with Missing or Defective CO Detectors?	No
Are there any Emergency Stop Switches with Missing Hammers?	No
Are there any Painted/Obstructed Sprinkler Heads?	Yes
Location(s)	Boiler Room Storage, Paint Storage, Gymnasium Book Storage Room
Have any Systems/Major Building Components been upgraded?	Yes
	Systems: Fixtures - Staff and Other: Lavatory/Sink (90%), Toilets (65%); Fixtures - Student: Lavatory/Sink (90%), Toilets (90%), Urinals (30%)
	Years: 2022
	Systems: Fixtures - Student: Urinals (70%)
	Years: 2020
	Systems: Heating Plant
	Years: 2016
	Systems: Sump Pumps; Steam Condensate Return Pumping System; Kitchen - Grease Trap
	Years: 2015

Priority Condition

Priority Condition Exist Last Year?	Priority Category	Condition Description	Component Affected	Location Description	Person(s) Notified	Person(s) Title	Status	PhotoImage
No	Defective Boiler Safety Auxiliary	Defective Low Water Cutoff	HEATING PLANT Boiler System Steam Boiler	Boiler Room	Fuad Ahmed	Custodian	Sent to DSF	
Yes	Defective Emergency Stop Switch	Broken Glass Cover	HEATING PLANT Boiler Auxiliaries Boiler Emergency Stop Switch	Boiler Room Staircase C Entrance (Broken Glass Cover)	Peter Demartino	Cleaner	Sent to DSF	

Inspection

Question	Response
Mechanical	
AIR CONDITIONING	Does not Exist
CENTRAL ACID WASTE NEUTRALIZING TANK	Does not Exist
CLIMATE CONTROL SYSTEM	Inspected
BMS	Does not Exist
Pneumatic System	Inspected
Instance	Throughout
Instance Condition	3 - Fair
Instance Quantity	1
Instance Quantity Uom	EACH
Building Area Covered by Operational System	61-80%
Deficiency	DEFECTIVE TEMPERATURE CONTROL THERMOSTAT
Deficiency Location/Instance	Gymnasium, Room 128 and Other Locations

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CLIMATE CONTROL SYSTEM	
Pneumatic System	
Deficiency Quantity	20
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	MAINTENANCE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Hybrid System	Does not Exist
Electric System	Does not Exist
COMPACTOR	Does not Exist
CONVEYING	Does not Exist
DOMESTIC WATER SYSTEM	
Domestic Cold Water System	Inspected
Gravity System	Does not Exist
Pressure Booster System	Does not Exist
Water Service	Inspected
Instance	Gas Meter Room
Instance Condition	3 - Fair
Instance Quantity	1
Instance Quantity Uom	EACH
Deficiency	WATER MAIN: MISSING BACKFLOW PREVENTION DEVICE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Gas Meter Room
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	INSTALL
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Instance	Boiler Room
Instance Condition	4 - Between Fair and Poor
Instance Quantity	1
Instance Quantity Uom	EACH
Deficiency	WATER MAIN: DEFECTIVE VALVE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Boiler Room
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	REPLACE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Deficiency	WATER MAIN: MISSING BACKFLOW PREVENTION DEVICE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Boiler Room
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH

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DOMESTIC WATER SYSTEM	
Domestic Cold Water System	
Water Service	
Potential Action	INSTALL
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Domestic Hot Water System	
	Inspected
Domestic Hot Water Remote Storage Tank	
	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Domestic Water Heat Exchanger	
	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	NOT IN USE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Basement Crawlspace
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	NO ACTION
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 1
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 1
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Electric Domestic Water Heater	
	Does not Exist
Heat Pump Domestic Water Heater	
	Does not Exist
Gas Fired Domestic Water Heater	
	Inspected
Instance	Boiler Room
Instance Condition	3 - Fair
Instance Quantity	1
Instance Quantity Uom	EACH
Instance Manufacturer	Laars
Equipment	N/A
Capacity/Size Quantity	500
Capacity/Size UOM	MBH Input
Capacity/Size2 Quantity	0
Capacity/Size2 UOM	Gallons
Source of Capacity/Size	Documented
Installation Year	2011
Source of Installation	Documented
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Oil Fired Domestic Water Heater	
	Does not Exist
Domestic Water Distribution Piping	
	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
DRAIN/WASTE/VENT AND STORM SYSTEM	
Interior Storm Piping	
	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	DEFECTIVE/LEAKS
Deficiency Location/Instance	Basement

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DRAIN/WASTE/VENT AND STORM SYSTEM	
Interior Storm Piping	
Deficiency Quantity	10
Quantity Uom	L.F.
Potential Action	REPLACE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Sewage/Waste/Vent Piping	
Condition	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	SEWAGE/WASTE PIPING: DEFECTIVE VALVE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Boiler Room/ defective backwater valve
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	REPLACE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 4
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	35643451X
Deficiency	HOUSE TRAP: DETERIORATED/LEAKS
Deficiency Location/Instance	Basement MER, Boiler Room
Deficiency Quantity	2
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	REPLACE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 4
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	35643451X
Deficiency	SEWAGE/WASTE PIPING: DEFECTIVE/LEAKS
Deficiency Location/Instance	Basement MER
Deficiency Quantity	10
Quantity Uom	L.F.
Potential Action	REPLACE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Sewage Ejector Pump	Does not Exist
Sump Pump	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
DUAL TEMPERATURE SYSTEM (CHILLED AND HOT WATER)	
Does not Exist	
FIXTURES	
Inspected	
Staff And Other	
Inspected	
Janitor Sink	
Inspected	
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Lavatory/Sink	
Inspected	

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FIXTURES	
Staff And Other	
Lavatory/Sink	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Toilet	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Urinal	Does not Exist
Student	
Drinking Fountain	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Lavatory/Sink	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Locker Room Shower	Inspected
Instance on 4th Floor	Inaccessible
Sink And Fountain Combo Unit	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Toilet	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Urinal	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
GAS FIRED FURNACE	Does not Exist
GAS SERVICE	Inspected
Gas Distribution Piping	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Gas Meter Room Exhaust Fan	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Gas Meter Room Vent	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Gas Pressure Booster	Does not Exist
CO/Gas Leak Detection	Inspected
Instance	Boiler Room, Gas Meter Room
Instance Condition	3 - Fair
Instance Quantity	1
Instance Quantity Uom	EACH
Installation Year	2012
Source of Installation	Inspector Estimate
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
HEATING	
Heating Coil In Ductwork	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair

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HEATING	
Heating Coil In Ductwork	Inspected
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Hydronic Heating	Does not Exist
Radiator/Convactor/Fin Tube	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Steam Heating	Inspected
F&T/Steam Drip Trap	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
MER Steam and Condensate Piping	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Steam Condensate Return Piping	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Steam Condensate Return Pumping System	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Steam Piping	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Terminal Unit Thermostatic Trap	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Steam supplied by External Sources	Does not Exist
Unit Heater/Cabinet Heater	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
HEATING PLANT	
Replacement Quantity	12,668
Replacement Uom	MBH Net
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Burner Type	Gas
Heating Plant Oil Number	N/A
Is there a water meter on the boiler make-up water piping?	Yes
Observed Operational?	Yes
Burner Exists?	Yes
Burner Manufacturer	Webster
Burner Model Number	JB3G-100-LMV37-S-M.40VGD-UL/IRI
Boiler Auxiliaries	Inspected
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Boiler Auxiliary Piping	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Boiler Emergency Stop Switch	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	DEFECTIVE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Boiler Room Staircase C Entrance (Broken Glass Cover)

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HEATING PLANT	
Boiler Auxiliaries	
Boiler Emergency Stop Switch	
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	MAINTENANCE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 5
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 6
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Boiler Feedwater System	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Boiler Feedwater Treatment(Automatic)	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	DEFECTIVE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Boiler Room (Leaks)
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	MAINTENANCE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Boiler Flue Exhaust	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Boiler Make-up Water Backflow Preventer	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Boiler Room Steam And Condensate Piping	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Boiler Safety Valve	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Boiler System	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Coal-fired Boiler	
Instance on Basement	Does not Exist
Hot Water Boiler	
Instance on Basement	Does not Exist
Modular Boiler	
Instance on Basement	Does not Exist

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HEATING PLANT	
Boiler System	
Steam Boiler	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Instance	Boiler Room
Instance Condition	1 - Good
Instance Quantity	6,334
Instance Quantity Uom	MBH Net
Cast Iron Boiler?	No
Instance Manufacturer	Burnham
Equipment	994-01
Capacity/Size Quantity	8,158
Capacity/Size UOM	MBH Gross
Source of Capacity/Size	Documented
Installation Year	2016
Source of Installation	Documented
Deficiency	LEAKY/PLUGGED TUBES
Deficiency Quantity	10
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	REPLACE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Instance	Boiler Room
Instance Condition	1 - Good
Instance Quantity	6,334
Instance Quantity Uom	MBH Net
Cast Iron Boiler?	No
Instance Manufacturer	Burnham
Equipment	994-02
Capacity/Size Quantity	8,158
Capacity/Size UOM	MBH Gross
Source of Capacity/Size	Documented
Installation Year	2016
Source of Installation	Documented
Deficiency	DEFECTIVE SAFETY AUXILIARY: LOW-WATER CUT-OFF, WATER COLUMN ASSEMBLY
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	MAINTENANCE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 5
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 6
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Deficiency	LEAKY/PLUGGED TUBES
Deficiency Quantity	10
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	REPLACE

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HEATING PLANT	
Boiler System	Inspected
Steam Boiler	
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Fuel System	Inspected
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Boiler Fresh Air Louver/Damper	
Do Boiler Combustion Air Louvers exist?	Yes
Type	Automatic
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	DEFECTIVE ACTUATOR
Deficiency Location/Instance	Boiler Room
Deficiency Quantity	1
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	MAINTENANCE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Burner/Burner Control Panel	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Fuel Oil Storage/Supply System	
Instance on Basement	Does not Exist
Gas Trains And Vent At The Boiler	
Instance on Basement	Inspected
Condition	1 - Good
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Enclosed IDF Room	Does not Exist
KITCHEN	
Instance on 1st Floor	Inspected
CO Detector	Not Required
Instance on 1st Floor	Not Required
Gas System	Does not Exist
Instance on 1st Floor	Does not Exist
Grease Trap	Inspected
Instance on 1st Floor	Inspected
Condition	2 - Between Good and Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Hood	Does not Exist
Instance on 1st Floor	Does not Exist
Hood Exhaust Ductwork	Does not Exist
Instance on 1st Floor	Does not Exist
Hood Exhaust Fan	Does not Exist
Instance on 1st Floor	Does not Exist

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KITCHEN	
Hood Fire Suppression System	Does not Exist
Instance on 1st Floor	Does not Exist
Hot Water Temperature Booster	Does not Exist
Instance on 1st Floor	Does not Exist
Kitchen Sink	Inspected
Instance on 1st Floor	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
MDF Room	Inspected
Instance on Room 306	Inspected
Dedicated A/C Equipment	Inspected
Instance on Room 306	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
SCIENCE DEMO ROOM	Does not Exist
SCIENCE LAB	Does not Exist
SCIENCE PREP ROOM	Does not Exist
SPRINKLERS, STANDPIPE, FIRE SYSTEM	Inspected
Dry Sprinkler Alarm Valve Assembly	Does not Exist
Wet Sprinkler Alarm Valve Assembly	Does not Exist
Fire Booster Pump Assembly	Does not Exist
Roof Tank	Does not Exist
Siamese Connection	Does not Exist
Sprinkler Head	Inspected
Condition	4 - Between Fair and Poor
Deficiency	DEFECTIVE/DETERIORATED
Deficiency Location/Instance	Boiler Room Storage, Paint Storage, Gymnasium Book Storage Room
Deficiency Quantity	6
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	REPLACE
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 5
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 6
Deficiency Photo	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Sprinkler Piping	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Standpipe System	Does not Exist
Water Gong	Does not Exist
SWIMMING POOL	Does not Exist
VENTILATION	Inspected
Is the building mechanically ventilated?	Partial
Exhaust Fan	Inspected
Approximate Total # of Fans	1-25
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	NOT IN USE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Room 401
Deficiency Quantity	1

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VENTILATION	
Exhaust Fan	
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	NO ACTION
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 1
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 1
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.
Heating And Ventilating Unit	
	Does not Exist
Metal Ductwork	
	Inspected
Are there any uninsulated ductwork by design in Mechanical Rooms?	Yes
Are there chain operated dampers?	No
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Supply Fan	
	Inspected
Approximate Total # of Fans	1-5
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	No deficiencies recorded
Unit Ventilator	
	Inspected
Condition	3 - Fair
Deficiency	DEFECTIVE
Deficiency Location/Instance	Room 327, Dance Room
Deficiency Quantity	2
Quantity Uom	EACH
Potential Action	REPAIR
Urgency of Action	PRIORITY 3
Purpose of Action	LEVEL 2
Deficiency Photo1	No photo recorded
Violations	No violations recorded.