ScoutMyBuilding - Building report
1615 W COLUMBIA AVE
Chicago, IL
Winter habitability score: 35/100 (concerning) - Multiple habitability signals in public records
Open City violation records: 42 (heat-related open: 1)
311 rodent (24mo): 0 | 311 building (24mo): 0

Open City violation records (42):
- 2019-08-27 [CN190029] ARRANGE FOR REINSPECTION REGAR
- 2012-06-27 [CN198019] FILE BLDG REGISTRATION
- 2012-06-27 [CN190019] ARRANGE PREMISE INSPECTION
- 2010-08-30 [CN065014] REPAIR LINTELS
- 2010-08-30 [CN061014] REPAIR EXTERIOR WALL
- 2010-08-30 [CN015062] OBSTRUCTIONS IN EXIT WAY
- 2010-08-30 [CN062024] PARAPET
- 2010-08-30 [CN065014] REPAIR LINTELS
- 2010-08-30 [CN190019] ARRANGE PREMISE INSPECTION
- 2006-06-16 [CN193029] WATCHMAN
- 2006-06-16 [CN197079] REPAIR/REPLACE SMOKE DETECTORS
- 2006-06-16 [CN105025] REPAIR DOOR FRAME, MULLION
- 2006-06-16 [CN136016] ROACHES
- 2006-06-16 [CN135016] MICE/RODENTS
- 2006-06-16 [CN136026] INSECTS
- 2006-06-16 [CN105015] REPAIR DOOR, INT.
- 2006-06-16 [CN101015] REPAIR INTERIOR WALLS/CEILING
- 2006-06-16 [EL0018] DEFECTIVE OUTLETS
- 2006-06-16 [CN197019] INSTALL SMOKE DETECTORS
- 2006-06-16 [PL154027] SUPPLY HOT WTR MIN TEMP 120DEG
- 2006-06-16 [PL155027] PROVIDE HOT WATER TO FIXTURES *HEAT*
- 2006-06-16 [PL163017] REPLACE DEFECTIVE TOILET SEAT
- 2006-06-16 [CN105035] REPAIR DOOR HARDWARE
- 2006-06-16 [EL0020] SUPPORT FIXTURES
- 2006-06-16 [CN140016] DWELLING CLEAN AND SANITARY
- 2006-06-16 [CN138026] USE SANITARY REFUSE CONTAINERS
- 2006-06-16 [CN138056] DEBRIS, EXCESSIVE
- 2006-06-16 [CN141016] STOP SMOKE, NOXIOUS ODORS
- 2006-06-16 [CN192019] NOTIFY DOB, USE OF VACANT LND
- 2006-06-16 [CN193019] REPAIR/WRECK DANGER RESID PREM
- 2006-06-16 [CN066034] REPAIR BALCONY
- 2006-06-16 [CN070024] REPAIR PORCH SYSTEM
- 2006-06-16 [CN070014] REPAIR EXTERIOR STAIR
- 2006-02-16 [EL0001] DEFECTIVE LIGHTING SERVICE
- 2006-02-16 [EL0084] SEE INSPECTOR COMMENTS
- 2006-02-16 [EL0041] GROUNDING RECEPTACLES
- 2006-02-16 [EL0039] CORRODED CONDUIT & EQUIP
- 2006-02-16 [EL0025] SYSTEM III
- 2006-02-16 [EL0022] EXPOSED WIRING FIXTURES
- 2006-02-16 [EL0019] DEFECTIVE FIXTURES
- 2006-02-16 [EL0016] ADD RECEPTACLES
- 2006-02-16 [EL0010] TENANT ACCESS TO SERVICE

311 complaints (24mo):
None in the filtered 24-month window.

Score method:
* Start at 100 (better = higher).
* Minus up to 40 for open heat/boiler-related building violations (12 pts each).
* Minus up to 45 for other open building violations (2 pts each, plus extras above 20 and 100 open).
* Minus up to 20 for rodent-related open violations and 311 rodent complaints (4 pts each).
* Minus up to 15 for recent 311 building complaints (2 pts each).
* Extra -10 if 3+ open heat-related violations.
* Chicago 311 takes no-heat complaints, but the City's public 311 dataset does not publish them as a separate type, so heat here comes from open Department of Buildings heat-related violations (codes/descriptions, e.g. CN132016 HEAT UNIT ADEQUATELY). 311 building complaints are counted separately, not as heat.
* Public records only - not an inspection, appraisal, or legal advice.

About these City violation records, from the City of Chicago Building Violations dataset description: " informational only and does not necessarily reflect the current condition of the building or property. The dataset contains cases where a respondent has been found to be liable as well as cases where the respondent has been found to be not liable." (https://data.cityofchicago.org/Buildings/Building-Violations/22u3-xenr)

Not for real estate transactions. From the City of Chicago Building Violations dataset description: "These data are historical in nature and should not be relied upon for real estate transactions. For transactional purposes such as closings, please consult the title commitment for outstanding enforcement actions in the Circuit Court of Cook County or the Chicago Department of Administrative Hearings." (https://data.cityofchicago.org/Buildings/Building-Violations/22u3-xenr)

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