Jonesboro Land Bank



History

Established by City Council in December 2017

Commissioners were appointed in April 2018

First meeting was held May 2018

Approved our first acquisition December 2018

Commissioners

- **Dr. Bob Warner**; Chair; Ward 1 Rep
- James Hollywood; Vice Chair; Ward 2 Rep
- Becky Durham; Ward 3
- Jeffrey Herndon; Low Income Housing
- Brent Martin; Officer of a Financial Institution
- Corey Mills; Citizens Fair Housing Board

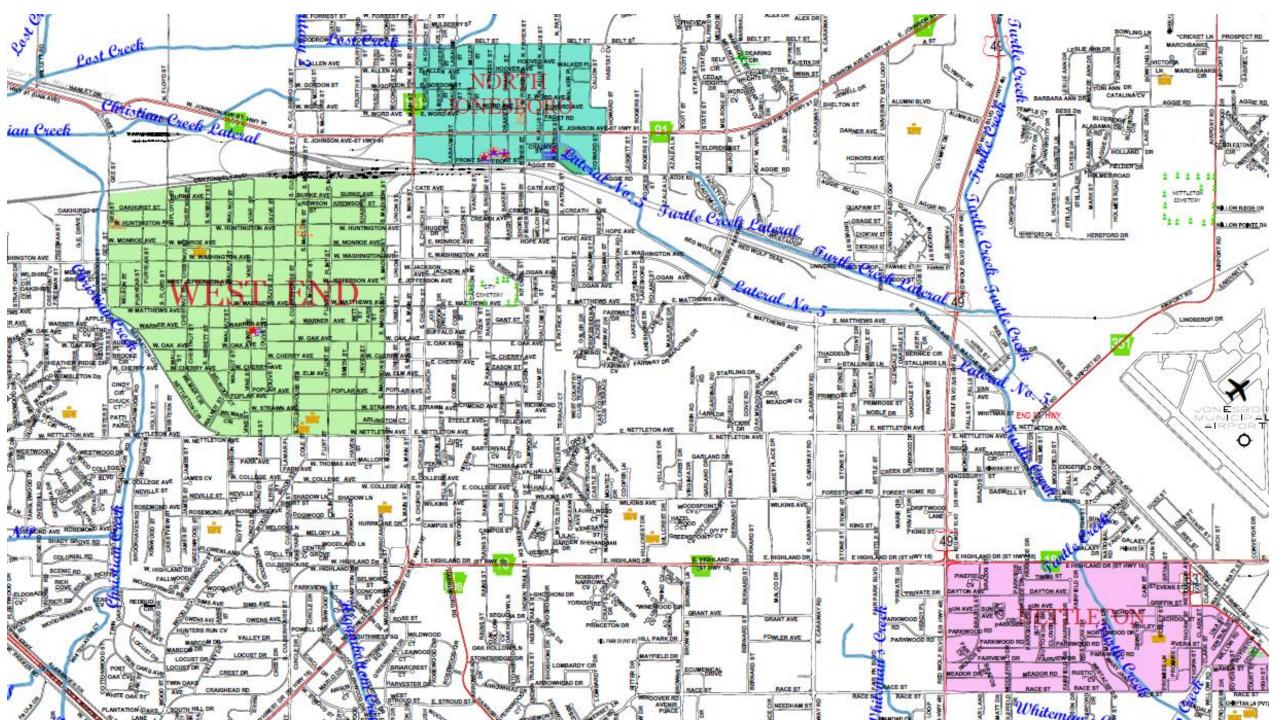
- Ray Osment; Housing Industry
- Jeremy Moore; Ward 4 Rep
- Dennis Zolper; JURHA
- Heather Owens; City Attorney
- Deanna Hornback; Finance
- Jonathan Smith; Director

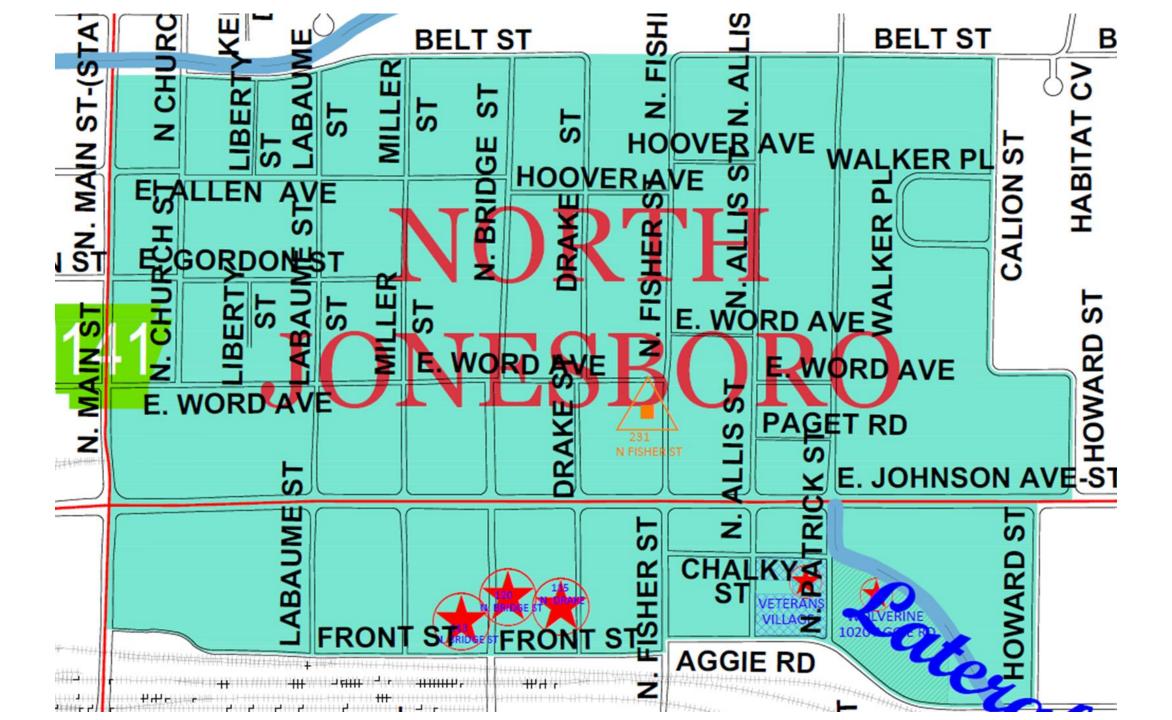
The purpose of the Commission is to reverse urban blight, increase homeownership and the stability of property values, provide affordable housing, improve the health and safety of neighborhoods within the city, and maintain the architectural fabric of the community

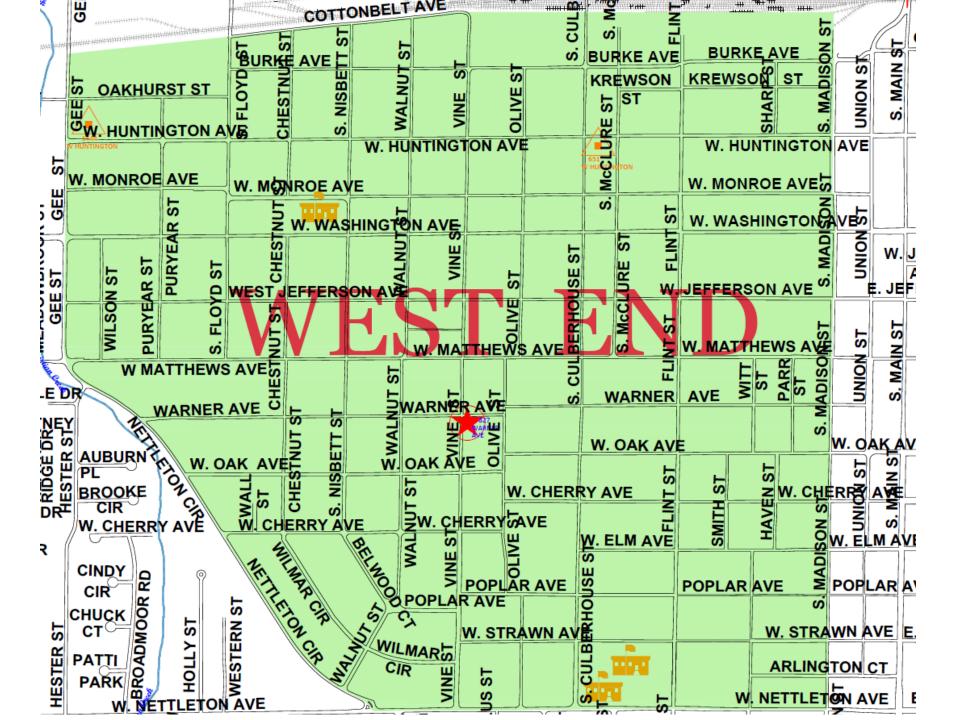
Concentrating our resources

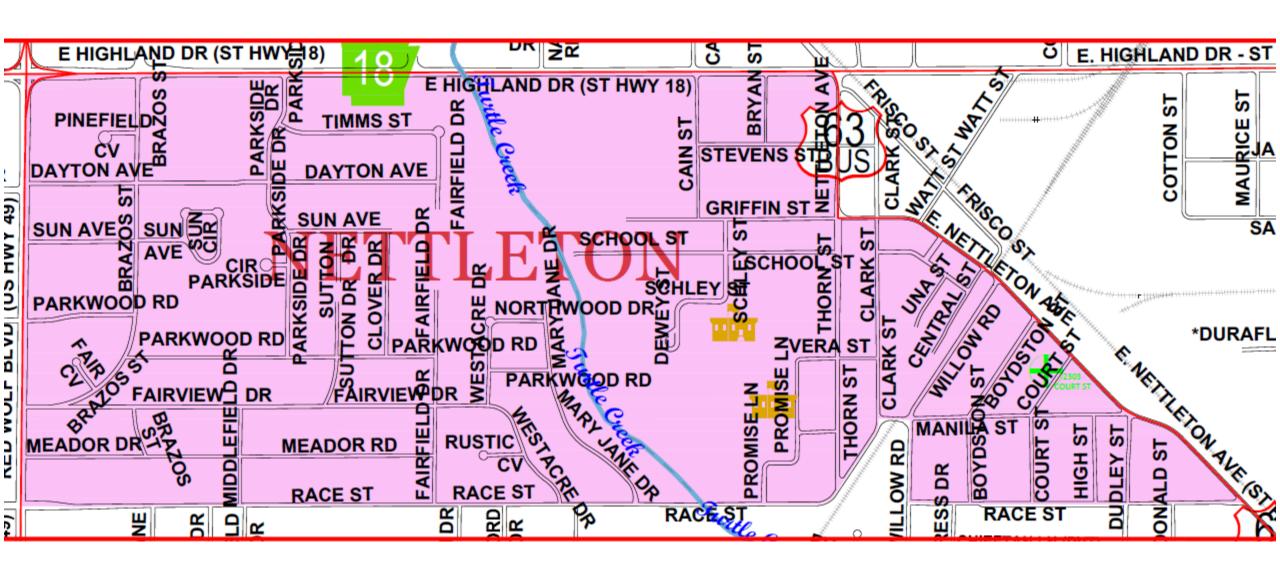
- Established 3 "focus areas"
 - North Jonesboro
 - West End
 - Old Nettleton Area

- Why these areas?
 - Recommended in the Master Land Use Plan
 - Areas of high concentration of liens and existing code violations
 - Established neighborhood associations







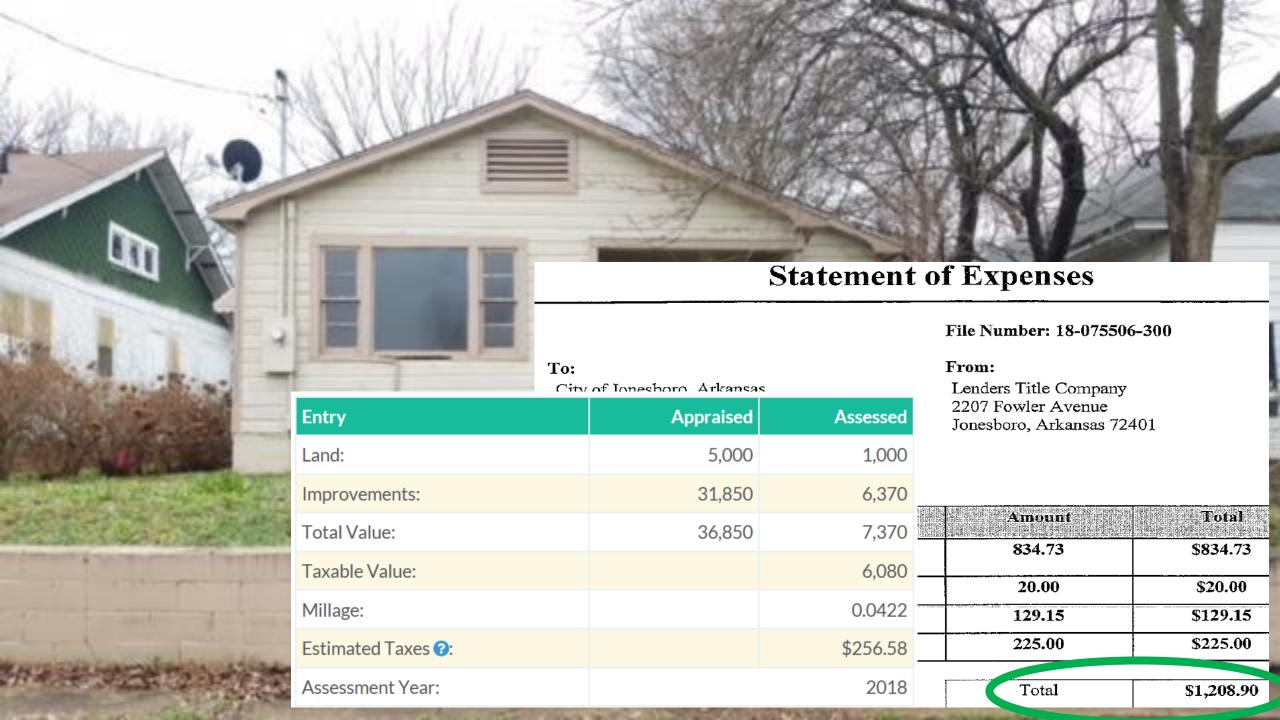


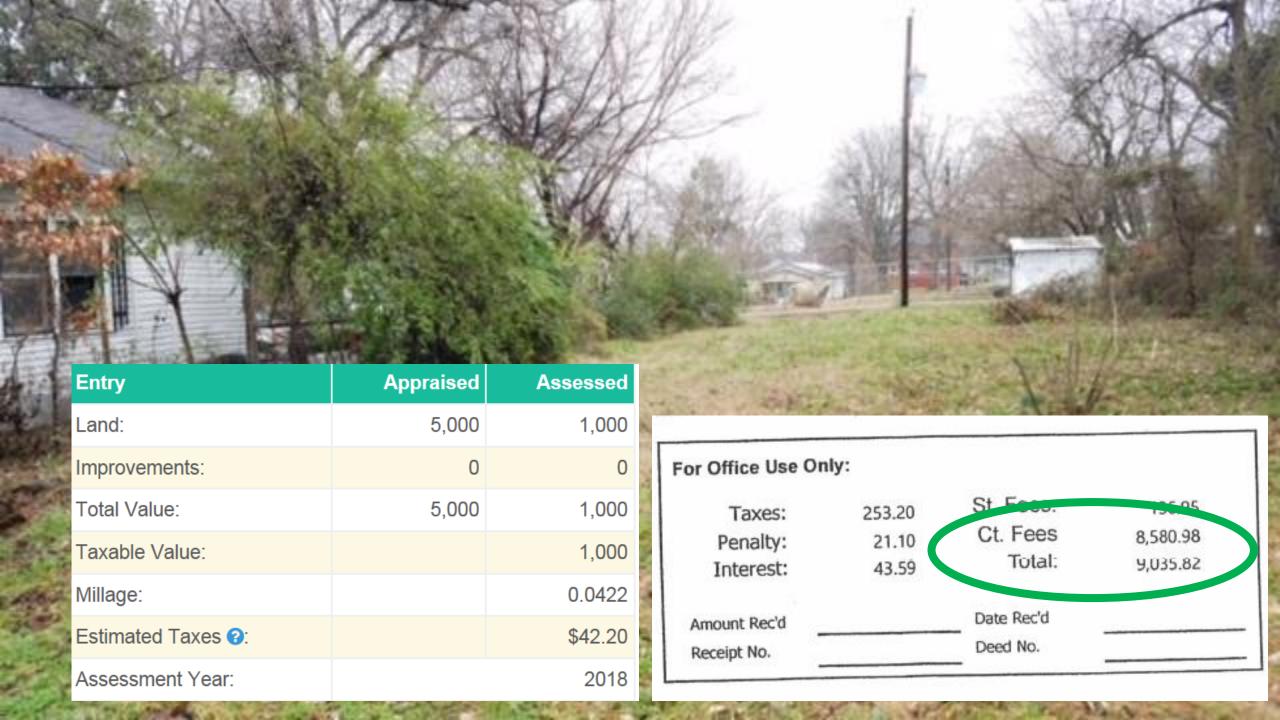
Property in our Inventory

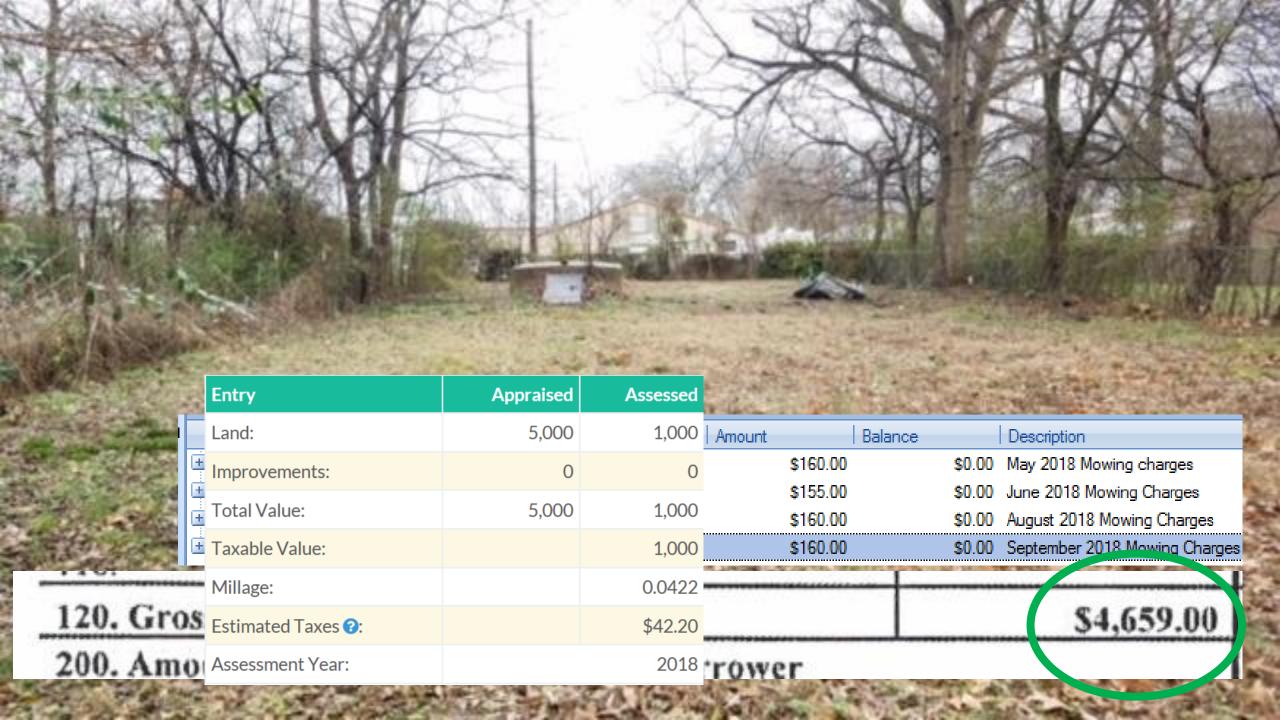
- 115 North Drake (Donation)
- 120 North Bridge (Liens, Delinquent Taxes)
- 113 North Bridge (Liens)
- 827 Warner (Abandon house)













TRUE COST TO THE CITY

ADDRESS	COST
115 NORTH DRAKE	\$1,208.90
120 NORTH BRIDGE	\$9,035.82 - \$ <u>8,580.98</u> \$454.84
113 NORTH BRIDGE	\$4,659.00 - \$635.00 \$4024.00
827 WARNER	\$10,962.82

501 MARSHALL (\$3,030.88)

TOTAL TO DATE \$15,570.56

NEXT STEPS



Lien Foreclosures

 Draft an ordinance to address boarded-up and abandon houses

Continue to look for additional inventory

 Encourage the adoption of future Land Use Committee Recommendations; specifically Form Based Codes and Redevelopment Areas

