



All Together Now!

Let's work together for safe, healthy, and livable communities!

The City wants to partner with residents, neighborhood associations, and local businesses to help make our neighborhoods a safe and clean place to live. Throughout the year, but especially in the spring and summer, inspectors from the Department of Regulatory Services will be going out into your neighborhood with a special focus on vacant properties or properties with repeated nuisance violations. Check out our website for a list of participating businesses offering home improvement discounts at minneapolismn.gov/regservices/.

Let's work together to make our community a better place to live!

Below are some of the most common violations our staff is on the lookout for:



Tall grass and weeds shall be maintained and kept under eight inches. Contractors may mow yards that have not been taken care of in a timely manner.



Inoperable vehicles may not be stored on residential property. This includes vehicles with flat tires and expired tabs. Properties in violation may be issued citations.



Vegetation shall not overhang the sidewalk, alley, or street. An overhead clearance of 7' for sidewalks and 14' for alleys and streets shall be maintained. Contractors will trim overhanging branches.



Yards shall be kept free of garbage, litter, and junk. Property upkeep shows that people care about the neighborhood. Contractors may remove excess trash and debris.



Brush and branches attract rodents, are a fire hazard, may not be stored in yards, and must be bundled for pickup. Contractors will remove brush that has not been disposed of properly.

Questions?

We are happy to help! For more information and details on what we look out for, check out our website at minneapolismn.gov/inspections/.

To report a property in violation, or for additional questions, call 311 or 612-673-3000 from phones outside of Minneapolis.