

NORTHEAST *Neighborhood Checklist*

GOAL: Keep our neighborhood free of crime, blight, and nuisance activity.

*Use this **Neighborhood Checklist** to note and report graffiti, abandoned cars, burned out street lights and any other conditions or violations that could keep NorthEast from being a clean, well-lighted neighborhood that is free of crime, nuisance activity, and code violations.*

Code Violations	Nuisance Abatement Hotline	(703) 836-0041
Location	Date Reported	
<p>A 24-hour phone number for residents and businesses seeking assistance with public nuisance issues that are violations of City Codes. The caller should state the nature of the problem and provide his or her name and telephone number. If the problem is urgent, a city agency will immediately dispatch personnel to investigate. If not, action will be taken no later than the next business day. Callers will be advised of actions taken. Examples of issues the hotline is designed to handle:</p>		
Abandoned cars in neighborhoods	Poorly maintained properties	
Accumulation of trash	Rodent problem	
Overcrowding of apartments		

Street Lights Out	VEPCO/Dominion Power	1-888-667-3000
Location	Date Reported	
<p>To report online: www.Customer_Service@dom.com/contact Action will be fastest when you can report:</p>		
<p>the condition of the light (fully out, intermittently out, or dim), the street address (or, if in an alley, the street address the light is behind), the number from the light post.</p>		

Cars Stored on Public Streets	Alexandria Police	(703) 838-4444
Location	Date Reported	
<p>Unless otherwise controlled by an official sign, parking of any vehicle in the same place on the streets of the city for more than 72 hours is prohibited. This provision does not apply on Saturday, Sunday, and holidays. When you report a violation, a police or parking enforcement officer will place a 72-hour check on the car before issuing a citation. Call this number for any type of parking complaint.</p>		

For police service: 703/838-4444 or 911

Patrol Watch Commander: 703/838-4744

Cars Stored on Private Property	Code Enforcement	(703) 838-4644 or 836-0041
Location	Date Reported	
<p>It is a violation to store a vehicle on private property If, the vehicle has expired license plates, has expired Virginia inspection decals, or appears to be inoperative. The vehicle is NOT in violation if it is shielded from view by a fence.</p>		

No City Decal on Vehicle	Alexandria Police	(703) 838-4444
Location	Date Reported	
<p>City residents are required to pay personal property tax on motor vehicles within 30 days of coming to Alexandria, and to display the decal issued after payment on the windshield. When you report a car without a personal property tax decal, a police or tag enforcement officer will monitor for 30 days before taking enforcement action. You may continue reporting as long as the violation continues. If after three citations the resident has not paid the tax, police will impound the car.</p>		

Graffiti	Alexandria Police	(703) 838-4444
Location	Date Reported	
<p>Property owners are required to remove graffiti on their property. When you report graffiti, a police officer will take a report, contact the property owner and follow up for 30 days to ensure the graffiti is removed. It is helpful to give a specific address.</p>		

Maintenance	City Parks: Recreation/Park Maintenance	(703) 838-4340
	Other City Streets/Property: T&ES*/Maintenance	(703) 838-4488
Location	Date Reported	
<p>Report muddy sidewalks, water pooling/failing to drain, debris, trees/bushes needing trimming for clear lighting and/or line of sight, signs in disrepair, and other unsightly or out-of-repair items. * Transportation & Environmental Services</p>		

Suspicious or Criminal Activity	Alexandria Police	(703) 838-4444/Emergency 911
Location	Date Reported	
<p>If you see any person or activity that looks suspicious to you (trust your intuition) or if you see nuisance activity such as drinking in public, please call the police so an officer can investigate. It is helpful to give exact location, direction of travel, clothing, and description.</p>		