

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

In January 2013, the City Council adopted a five-year strategic plan that was developed by a citizen committee and staff. This group

Mayor Kim V. Rolfe mittee and staff. This group spent more than a year gathering input from our citizens, businesses and other stakeholders on those things they felt most affected our quality of life. The City Council uses this strategic plan to help make policy decisions to guide our city.

Code enforcement emerged as a top priority from both residents and businesses because most people want to live and work in a place that is visually appealing. The city has codes or local laws to support this goal and help keep our neighborhoods safer, healthier, quieter and more attractive.

The Code Enforcement staff works hard to ensure each member of the community does his or her part to keep our community comfortable, clean and tidy. When people fail to do their part, contact Code Enforcement to help remedy the problem.

Thanks for doing your part to make West Jordan a great place to live and do business.



CITY OF WEST JORDAN CODE ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

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Code Enforcement

Development Services

To Report a Code Violation

Call the Hotline.......code@wjordan.com
In Person......Visit the 2nd Floor of City Hall



Code Enforcement

The Code Enforcement Division is responsible for enforcement of city ordinances. Working closely with the Fire Department, Public Works, Building Safety, Planning and Zoning, and the Attorney's Office, we work to bring you a cleaner, safer community, which in turn enhances the quality of life for the citizens and businesses of West Jordan.

The West Jordan City Council has adopted codes to keep your neighborhood safer, healthier, quieter and more attractive. The Code Enforcement Division enforces city codes and ordinances. Any officer can take a complaint of unsafe conditions or issue citations for violations. The Code Enforcement Division has one administrator, two enforcement officers, and an administrative assistant whose primary task is enforcing health and safety codes, and city ordinances.

Ordinances enforced by the Code Enforcement Division include: high grass, weeds, trash and debris accumulation, dismantled or inoperable vehicles, substandard/unsafe housing, sign regulations, and commercial vehicle parking. In addition to responding to complaints, Code Enforcement officers patrol the city and look for violations, assist in coordinating clean-up efforts, and issue notices, warnings, and citations.

Common Code Violations

Vehicle Violations

- Parking of RVs, boats or trailers is prohibited on public streets. These types of vehicles must be parked on a solid surface and cannot be parked on lawn or dirt.
- Storage of abandoned or inoperable vehicles in open spaces is prohibited. All inoperable vehicles must be stored in an enclosed structure.

Seasonal Parking Enforcement

No person shall park a vehicle or semitrailer upon a street when it is snowing or snow is on the street from November 1 and ending April 30 of the following year. This allows snowplows to plow the street. Vehicles on the street may be towed or cited.

Weeds

Weeds over 12 inches in height are prohibited and considered a nuisance and a fire hazard.



Trash and Debris

No person shall store, leave or accumulate junk, garbage, trash, debris, or inoperable, abandoned or unused equipment, appliances, furniture or other tangible personal property in



any yard, open space or other land.

Tree Clearance and Visibility

- 1. Trees adjacent to pedestrian walkways shall have a minimum canopy clearance of 8 feet above sidewalk.
- Tree canopies that extend over street travel ways shall be pruned to provide canopy clearance of at least 15 feet above street pavement in travel lanes and 10 feet above pavement in parking lanes.

Illegal Signs

Signs can't be posted in the public right-of-way, on utility poles, fences, street signs etc.

