



Town of Apple Valley

CODE ENFORCEMENT



"Talking Trash"

June 2016

NEIGHBORHOOD CLEAN-UP



Code Enforcement conducted a Neighborhood Clean-Up at Thunderbird Rd. & Rancherias Rd. on Saturday June 11th, 2016 between the hours of 9:00am and 3:00pm. During that time 105 citizens participated in the event bringing a total of 20 tons of trash & debris and 2.5 tons of recyclables. Twelve containers were utilized from Burrtec to collect the trash & debris and recyclables. Prior to the event, staff walked a designated area notifying residents of the upcoming clean up by handing out flyers. This program allows residents to remove potential blight issues voluntarily. This program is funded by a grant from Cal Recycle

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Top "5" Code Violations in June
• Trash & Debris
• Illegal Dumping
• Graffiti
• Overgrown Vegetation
• Inoperative Vehicles

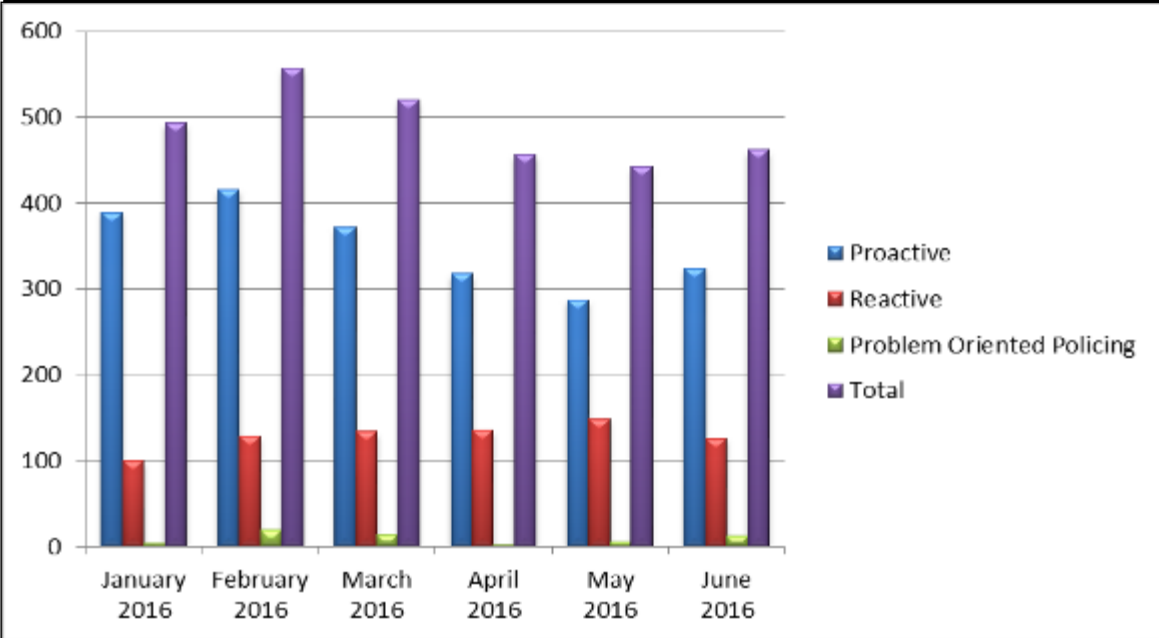
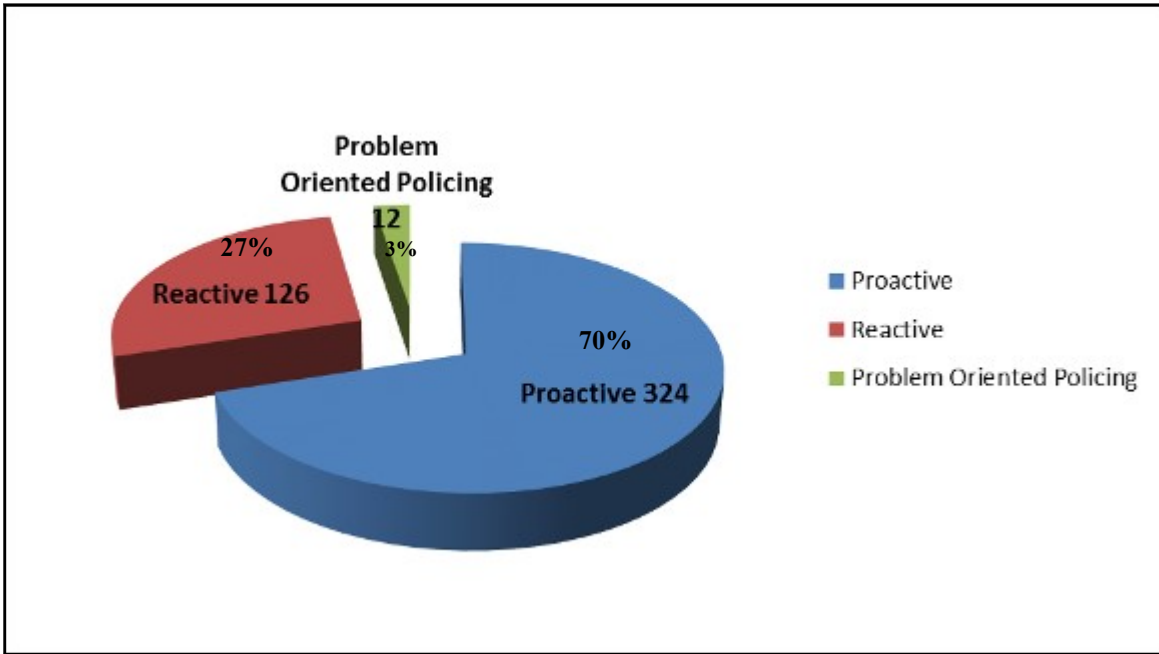
PROACTIVE AND REACTIVE CASES

324 Proactive Cases Were Opened by Officers

12 P.O.P. Cases Were Opened

Officers Responded to 126 Reactive Cases

442 Total Code Enforcement Cases Were Opened in June



PROACTIVE AND REACTIVE CASES



93 Trash & Debris Cases



22 Inoperative Vehicle Cases



50 Illegal Dumps Cases



10 Political Sign Cases



PROPERTY MAINTENANCE INSPECTION

Total Number of Properties Inspected	108
Passed First Inspection	85
Fees Collected	\$8,286.00

The Town of Apple Valley created the PMI (Property Maintenance Inspection) Program, which has set the standard for all single-family and multi-family rental properties in Town. The program ensures that all rental property owners continually maintain their property, which benefits the tenants and owners.

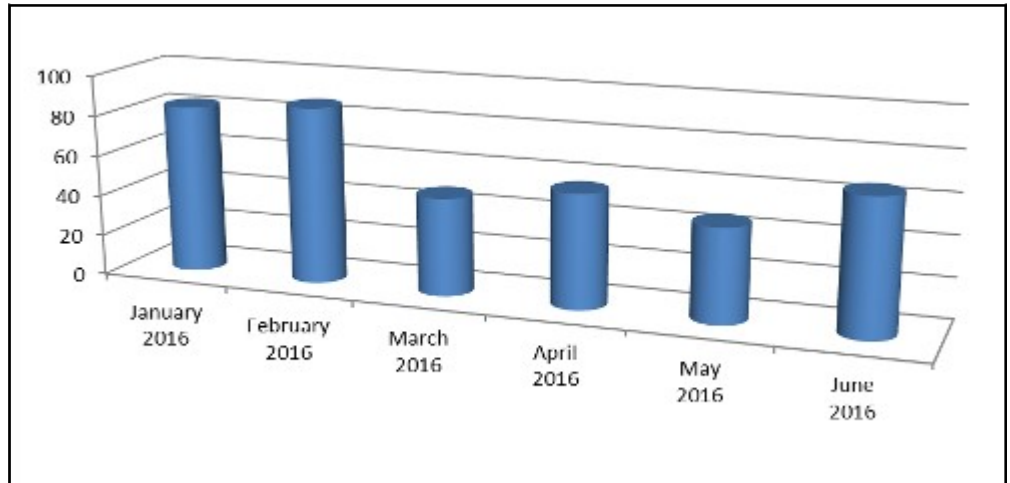


GRAFFITI ABATEMENT PROGRAM

The Town of Apple Valley offers an exceptional graffiti removal service town wide. This free color matched removal program eliminates the eyesore of graffiti and preserves the integrity of existing surfaces.

66 graffiti cases were opened

82% of the graffiti cases opened in June were opened proactively by officers.

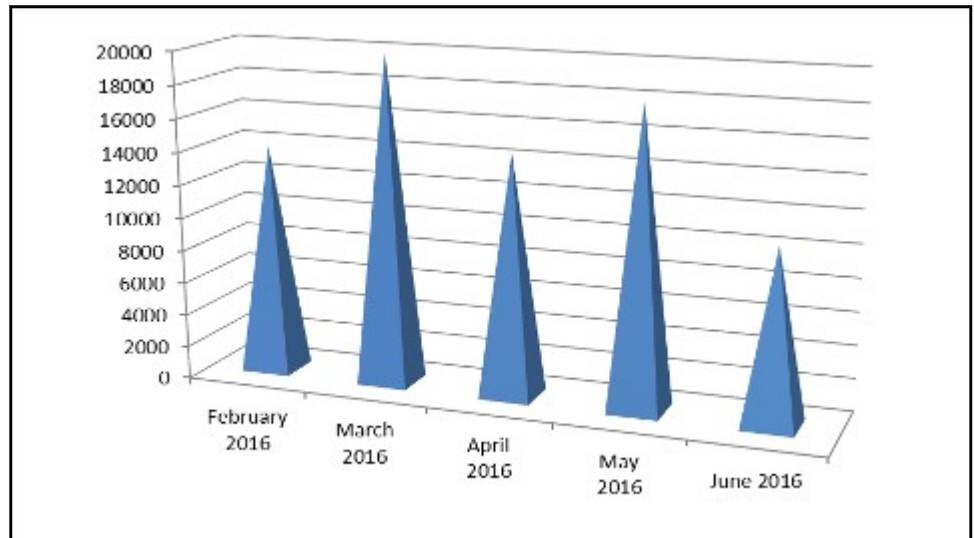


COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

The Community Enhancement Crew consists of one part-time Community Enhancement Officer and multiple work release inmates from the San Bernardino County Jail.

The Community Enhancement Crew removes illegal dumps from the desert when Code Officers cannot locate the individual(s) who dumped the items. They also assist with community enhancement events, Public Works, household hazardous waste and other functions throughout the town. The crew works on Saturday and Sunday.

10,500 pounds of trash and debris was collected in June.



CODE ENFORCEMENT SPOTLIGHT

TRASH AND DEBRIS

On June 3, 2016 Code Enforcement responded to the area of Bear Valley & Savage on a request from Apple Valley Police Department regarding a transient encampment. On the Officers arrival he made contact with Deputy's from the Apple Valley Police Department. The Officer observed a tent trailer, a tent, shopping carts filled with trash, and other piles of trash in the area. Officers determined no one was at location at the time and posted a Notice of Violation for camping prohibited and trash and debris. On June 9, 2016 Code Enforcement responded back to the location at the request of Apple Valley Police Department and made contact with a transient at the location who was taken into custody for an unrelated criminal issue. The Code Enforcement Officer made contact with the transient who advised the Officer the remaining items were trash and he did not want any of it. On June 15, 2016 Code Enforcement again responded to this location. On their arrival, Officer observed all trash and debris and tent trailer had been removed by the property owner.



CODE ENFORCEMENT IS ON THE WEB

Want to find out what's going on in Code Enforcement?

- How to file a complaint
- Community enhancement events
- Graffiti abatement program
- Code Enforcement's monthly report
- Foreclosure Registration Form for real estate agents

Visit us or contact us @ www.AVCode.org /
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CODE ENFORCEMENT COMPLAINTS WELCOME

Have you ever wondered why Code Enforcement hasn't addressed issues on your neighbor's property? Although Code Enforcement is proactive in searching for municipal code violations, 78 square miles is a large area to cover, and Code Enforcement Officers will not see everything. This is where you can help make Apple Valley a "Better Way of Life." If you see a violation, report it to Code Enforcement using one of the many available options.

When filing a complaint, your name, address and phone number are required. This information remains confidential and is used only for the Code Enforcement Officer to contact you for additional information or to update you on the case.

There are several methods available to file a complaint:

- Call Code Enforcement at **(760) 240-7560**
- Go to www.AppleValley.org and click on "Let us Know" at the top of every page
- Go to www.AVCode.org and click on "Let us Know"
- Use the Government Outreach app for smart phones. Search the App Store or Marketplace for "GORrequest"

