



Town of Apple Valley

CODE ENFORCEMENT



“Talking Trash”

January 2017

TIRE AMNESTY DAY



On Saturday, January 28, 2017 between the hours of 9:00am and 3:00pm, Code Enforcement Staff conducted Tire Amnesty Day at Lion’s Park. Code Officers as well as the weekend crew collected a total of 870 tires from 79 residents. Burrtec assisted by providing the dumpsters used to collect and dispose of the 11 tons of tires. The event is sponsored through the Government Waste Tire and Amnesty Event administered by Cal Recycle.

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Top “5” Code Violations in January

- Illegal Dumping
- Trash & Debris
- Graffiti
- Commercial Vehicle Parking
- Inoperative Vehicles

PROACTIVE AND REACTIVE CASES

246 Proactive Cases Were Opened by Officers

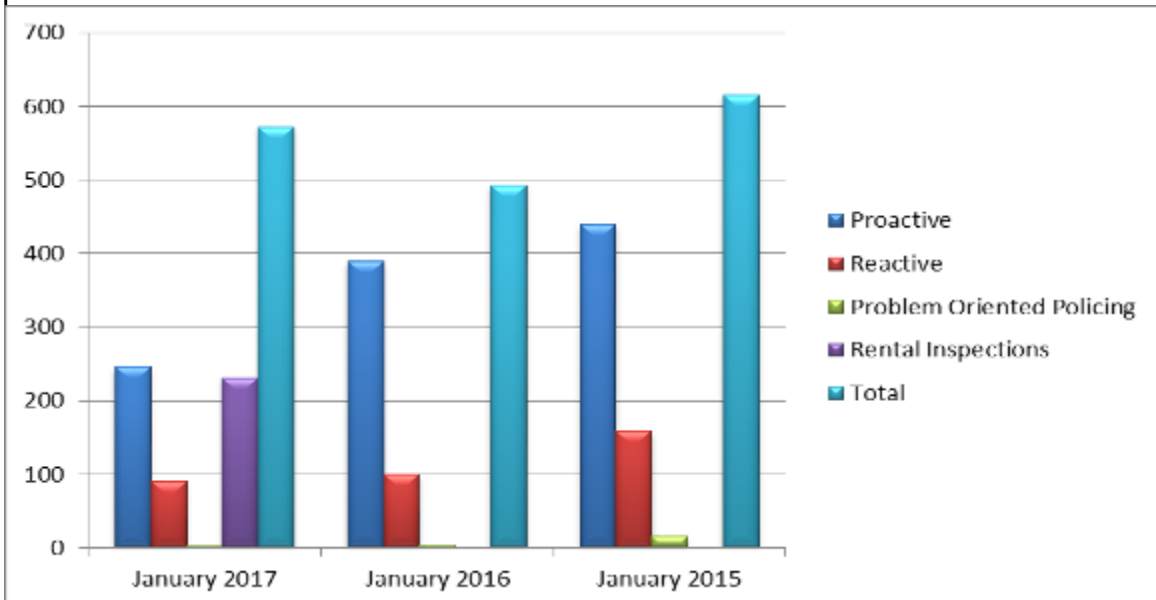
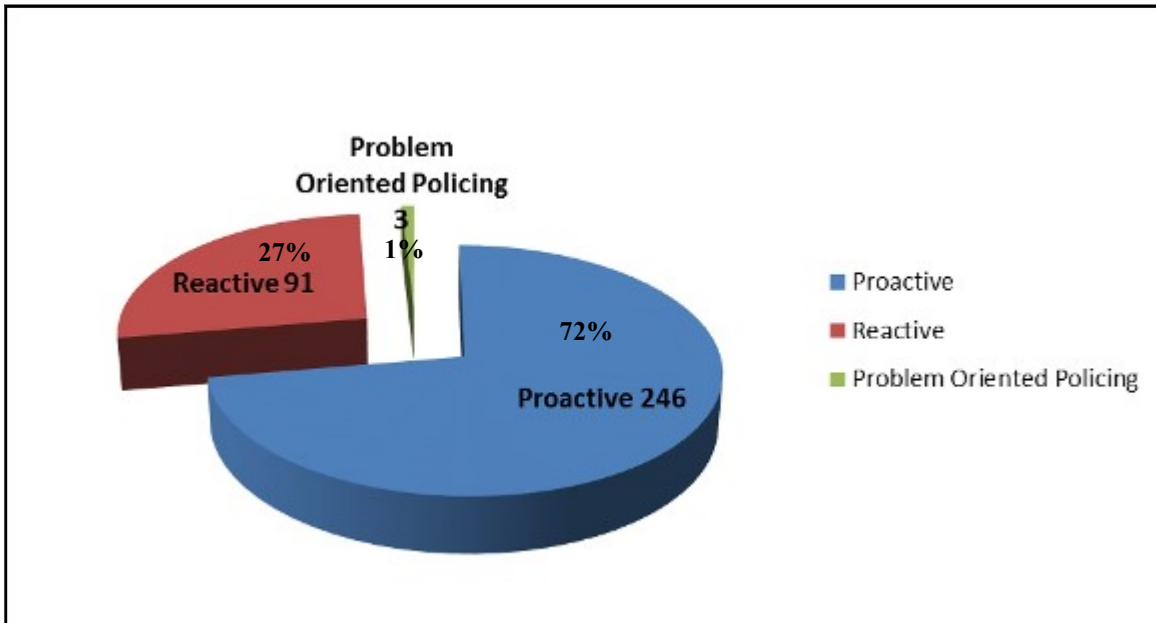
340 Total Code Enforcement Cases Were Opened in January

Officers Responded to 91 Reactive Cases

3 P.O.P. Cases Were Opened

Grand Total of 571 Code Enforcement Cases Were Opened in January

Officers Conducted 231 Property Maintenance Inspections



PROACTIVE AND REACTIVE CASES



60 Illegal Dump Cases



75 Trash & Debris Cases



27 Overgrown Vegetation Cases



21 Commercial Vehicle Parking



PROPERTY MAINTENANCE INSPECTION

Total Number of Properties Inspected	231
Passed First Inspection	222
Fees Collected	\$28,709.62

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.

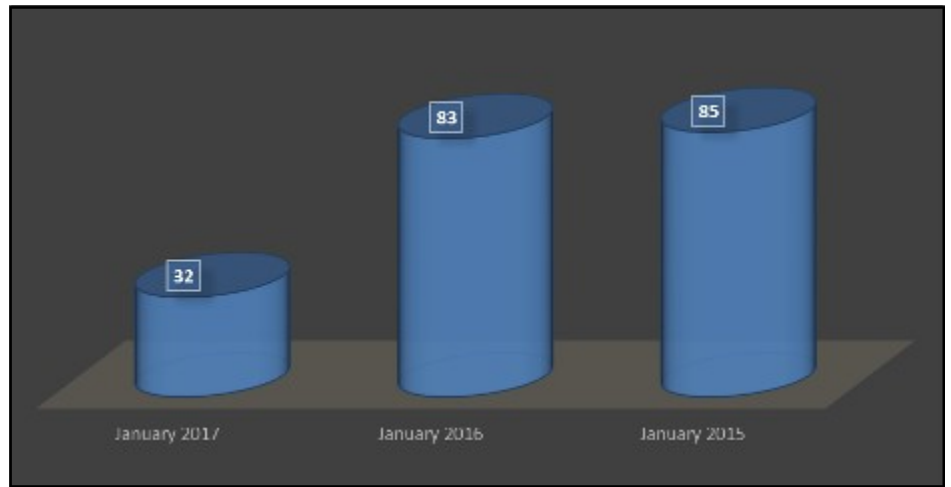


GRAFFITI ABATEMENT PROGRAM

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.

32 graffiti cases were opened

91% of the graffiti cases opened in January 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.

12,380 pounds of trash and debris was collected in January.



TRASH AND DEBRIS

On 10-19-15 a Code Enforcement Officer responded to a residence in the 12800 block of Iroquois on a complaint of piles of trash, discarded furniture, clothing, inoperative vehicles, dilapidated fence and other debris all around the property. The Officer contacted the property owner and due to excessive case history issued an administrative citation. Code Enforcement sent notices to all interested parties relating to this property and due to conditions worsening, the property was tagged uninhabitable in May of 2016. Continuous follow up's were conducted and on January 24, 2017 the Officer observed all violations had been abated.



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 "GORequest"

