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Regular property maintenance keeps Nanaimo clean for all residents to enjoy

Summary

Individual homeowners and businesses all have a role to play in helping Nanaimo look its best. By observing the following requirements outlined in the City's Property Maintenance Bylaw, challenges associated with poor property maintenance can be avoided.

- No person shall allow a property to become or remain unsightly by the accumulation of filth, discarded materials or rubbish that become or remain unsightly.
- No person shall allow brush, trees, noxious weeds or other growths to become or remain unsightly.
- No person shall allow property to be infested by caterpillars and other noxious or destructive insects.
- No person shall place graffiti on walls, fences or elsewhere on or adjacent to a public place.
- No person shall cause or permit water, rubbish or noxious, offensive or unwholesome matter to collect or accumulate around lands or buildings owned or occupied by them.
- No person shall throw bottles, broken glass or other rubbish in any open place.
- No person shall cause or permit rubbish to overflow from or accumulate around any container.

Strategic Link: These requirements are in place to ensure cleanliness is maintained throughout the City.

Key Points

- Residents are encouraged to keep properties clean and free of discarded debris.
- These requirements help control the unsightly conditions of properties.
- The City of Nanaimo reacts to concerns regarding poor property maintenance on a complaint basis.

Quotes

"Property maintenance keeps Nanaimo clean for all residents to enjoy. Everyone must do their part to ensure homes, buildings, yards and driveways are free of accumulated materials and debris."

Randy Churchill
Manager of Bylaw, Regulation & Security
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Quick Facts

- The City of Nanaimo Regional Landfill is located at 1150 Cedar Road, Nanaimo, BC. For more information call 250-722-2044

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