

GRAFFITI WATCH Stopping Graffiti In Your Neighborhood

Graffiti means someone painting or writing on your wall without your permission. That is a crime!

Rapid and efficient removal or cover-up of graffiti can reduce the recurrence of graffiti crime.

We can win when all parts of the community join together toward a common goal.

Do you have a suggestion for making the schools, parks, and homes in your neighborhood more secure from graffiti/tagging?

GRAFFITI HOTLINE 505-955-2255

REPORT TAGGING IN PROGRESS 505 - 428 - 3710

CALL CRIME STOPPERS 505 – 955 - 5050 and earn a \$1000 reward.

Graffiti Prevention: Community Tips

- 1. Get educated. Learn about graffiti, how it impacts your community, and who is responsible for graffiti prevention and clean-up in your area.
- 2. Report graffiti to the appropriate authorities.
- 3. Organize a paint-out. Local paint dealers are often willing to donate paint and brushes for volunteers to use for graffiti clean-up.
- 4. Coordinate a graffiti awareness campaign at your school or in the community.
- 5. Make a presentation on graffiti prevention to your school class or neighborhood group.
- 6. "Adopt a wall" in your school or community and make sure it stays clean and free of graffiti.
- 7. Plant trees or other greenery near a graffitiplagued wall.
- 8. Ask your community to install lighting in areas that are dark and often hit with graffiti.
- 9. Contact Keep Santa Fe Beautiful and volunteer to help keep your community clean.

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