

I'm Interested! What Next?

- Report graffiti vandalism and obtain a case number from the Nampa Police Department by calling 465-2257
- Contact Community Development staff to complete a Graffiti Clean-Up Program application to determine eligibility
- Community Development staff will photograph the graffiti prior to removal
- Obtain a voucher for the Clean-Up Kit to redeem at Kwal Paint in Nampa
- Use kit to promptly and completely remove graffiti
- Contact Community Development staff when the graffiti is removed for follow-up

The Graffiti Clean-up Program was established to provide Graffiti Clean-Up Kits at no charge to victims of graffiti who are unable to afford the costly clean-up of the crime. Through citizen awareness, reporting graffiti and immediately removing it, *the goal of the program is to have a positive impact on keeping the area graffiti-free and improving the lives of the city's residents.*

*Rapid Removal is the Best
Graffiti Prevention*



For Further Information Contact:
Community Development Specialist

Phone: (208) 468-5472

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Community Development

**Been Victimized
by Graffiti?
Let Us Help!**

**Graffiti Clean-Up
Program**

Helping to

Wipeout

Graffiti in Nampa

The Graffiti Clean-Up Program



- The City has purchased Graffiti Clean-Up kits, to provide at no charge to victims of graffiti who are unable to afford the costly clean up of the crime.
- Each kit contains various solvents for removing graffiti on a variety of surfaces, eye protection, gloves, scrub brush and towels.
- The kits are available to the community on a volunteer basis to assist with graffiti clean up in residential neighborhoods.



Eligibility Requirements

- Must meet income guideline
- Home is within the city limits of Nampa
- Must be a residential property
- Homeowner or rental property
- Qualifying structures include; single-family homes, duplexes, condominiums, or manufactured homes

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO COMPLETE AN APPLICATION FOR THE GRAFFITI PROGRAM, CALL (208) 468-5472

Income Guidelines for Nampa Area Median

2009 HUD Income Guidelines for Nampa Area Median Income	
Number in Household	Not to Exceed
1	\$35,000
2	\$40,000
3	\$45,000
4	\$50,000
5	\$54,000
6	\$58,000

- For larger households, contact City of Nampa for income guidelines.
- Income limits are adjusted on a yearly basis in or about April and are based on household size.
- All gross income including retirement, child support, unemployment, social security, alimony, etc. must be reported, whether taxable or not.
- Income of **ALL** adults in the household, are to be included when calculating household income to determine income eligibility.

The City of Nampa is committed to partnering with the community in the fight against graffiti through community empowerment, community education, eradication and enforcement.

Don't Let Graffiti Take Over

Graffiti has a negative impact on the community. It gives the appearance that our community is unsafe, which creates fear and devalues property. Some steps you can take:

Control access & thru traffic

- Use fences, controlled entrances and other barriers to discourage through traffic
- Incorporate shrubs, thorny bushes and vines to restrict access to a potential graffiti target wall
- Limit access to roofs by moving dumpsters away from walls and cover drainpipes and ladders to prevent vandals from scaling them

Step Up Security

- Install lighting around your property. Use motion sensors in remote areas
- Install security camera
- Organize a Neighborhood Watch; call Nampa Police Department at 468-5571
- Use darker colored paints in problem areas. Dark colors do not provide a good backdrop for graffiti markings.
- Use products designed to repel graffiti, allowing for easier clean-up on high target areas

Graffiti hurts! Defacing public and private property is a crime and is not a form of accepted art.