



Senior Programs – Munson Center
 975 S. Mesquite Street, Las Cruces, NM 88001
 Phone: 575-528-3000
LCPD—Codes Enforcement
 550 Sonoma Ranch, Las Cruces, NM 88011
 Phone: 575-528-4100



Eligibility Guidelines

The City of Las Cruces Yard Assistance Program is a partnership of Codes Enforcement and Senior Programs and is meant to assist seniors in our community who, due to a physical handicap have had difficulty in maintaining their yards. It is meant to be a preventative program that connects seniors to groups of volunteers led by Codes Enforcement prior to issuing a Codes Violation.

Eligibility: To be eligible for this program you must meet the following criteria:

- Participants must be seniors, ages 60 or over.
- Participants must own only one property and be the owner of that property. Participants must be living on the property of which work is requested.
- Participants must live within the city limits.
- Participants must fill out the Yard maintenance application / Release of liability form completely and turn it into either Codes Enforcement (550 N. Sonoma Ranch Blvd.) or Senior Programs at the Munson Senior Center (975 S. Mesquite St.).

Approval,

If your application is approved, Codes Enforcement will schedule a time for a courtesy clean-up. Once a courtesy clean-up is scheduled, Codes Enforcement will work with The Network Volunteer Center and other programs to assign volunteer groups to the clean-up, and then come with that group to your residence on the scheduled date and time.

Personal Information

Date of Referral: _____

Title (check one): Mr. Mrs. Ms. _____ Date of birth: _____ Age: _____

Name (first, middle, last): _____

Address: _____ City: Las Cruces Zip: _____

Email address: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Please state what are your challenges in the upkeep of your yard and/or home? (i.e. physical challenges, etc.)

What maintenance is need in your property (light yard maintenance only)? **Please check all that apply.**

- Grass Cutting & Weed pulling
- Trash collection
- Tree trimming and pruning
- Other (please describe in detail)

Filling out this form does not guarantee that you will receive assistance. This program attempts to arrange a courtesy clean-up of yards for seniors in need. Assistance is provided based on the availability of staff and volunteers to provide the service, and whether the property can be maintained by a volunteer group in one clean-up event. The City of Las Cruces Senior Programs Section will work closely with the Codes Enforcement Section to help connect city of Las Cruces residents to necessary services. Services are only provided for light outdoor yard maintenance and not for indoor spaces nor house repairs. **PLEASE NOTE: PROPERTY MAINTAINCE IS ULTIMATLY THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PROPERTY OWNER, AND IS NOT THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE GOLDEN SHIELD YARD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM. THE PROGRAM SHALL NOT SERVE AS THE PRINCIPAL MEANS OF YARD MAINTENACE, BUT SIMPLY AN OCCASIONAL COURTESY ASSISTANCE.**



LAS CRUCES POLICE DEPARTMENT
CODES ENFORCEMENT SECTION
550 N. SONOMA RANCH LAS CRUCES, NM 88011 (575) 528-4100

Date _____

Client Name(s) _____

Address: _____

Telephone _____

I have requested and agree to accept the above services, and agree not to hold the city of Las Cruces Police Department/Codes Enforcement Section or any project volunteers liable for any injury, or other damage of any kind, including incidental or consequential. I further understand that this program is strictly voluntary and I will not be assessed a charge for this one-time service.

Client Signature _____

Date _____

Comments
