

Continuum of Compassion: ENCAMPMENT PROTOCOLS



SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE

The City is dedicated to providing long-term solutions by connecting people with mental health services and alternative housing. City staff work hard to build the trust necessary to connect people with these resources before having to evict them.



ACCESS WESTMINSTER

To report a homeless encampment please visit www.cityofwestminster.us/AccessWestminster.

The City is committed to finding and maintaining a balance between meeting community needs and fulfilling statutory obligations to protect and preserve community lands and resources.

Special circumstances, such as weather and mental health emergencies can arise and require flexibility and unique solutions. The City recognizes that homelessness is a complex regional and national problem, and we neither have the resources nor the tools to solve this issue alone.



PRIVATE PROPERTY



CODE ENFORCEMENT



WESTMINSTER POLICE DEPARTMENT



PUBLIC PROPERTY



PARKS, RECREATION & LIBRARIES (PR&L) PROPERTY



PARK RANGERS, OPEN SPACE & PARKS STAFF

- Does not engage unhoused persons except where appropriate to provide support or information.
- Identify and document potential code violations.
- Identify appropriate locations, such as trailheads and busy corridors, to post signs with open space or park hours and rules.



UNHOUSED INDIVIDUAL/S REFUSE SERVICE



PARK RANGERS ISSUE TRESSPASS NOTICE



REFUSE TO VACATE
Westminster Police department is involved and a notice of abatement is issued.



STILL REFUSE TO VACATE
A contractor will document, store and bag property. WPD will escort them off the property.



NON-PR&L, CITY-OWNED PROPERTY



WESTMINSTER POLICE DEPARTMENT

9-1-1

Please only call 9-1-1 if there is an immediate threat to people or property.

 First responders



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