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Grass & Weed Abatement Frequently Asked Questions

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Q: When are grass & weeds considered a nuisance?

A: Grass or weeds that grows to a height exceeding eight inches (8”) is a violation of city ordinance.

Q: How do I register my complaint?

A: By calling the City of Yorkville’s Building, Safety, and Zoning Department at 630-553-8545.

Q: What information do I need to register a complaint?

A: For most efficient response time, please give an exact address, lot number, or location. General locations will be accepted, but may not be managed as quickly.

Q: What happens after I make a complaint?

A: City staff will investigate the complaint by onsite verification, if the complaint is in violation of a city ordinance a sign will be posted on the property, and the owner of property will have five (5) days to bring property into compliance from the date of posting.

Q: What if the property is not mowed within the posted timeframe?

A: If the property is not brought into compliance within the specified timeframe, the property owner will receive a City ordinance citation and the Public Works Department will mow the property at the property owner’s expense.