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WELCOME TO THE TOWNSHIP OF UNION DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WEBSITE

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BUILDINGS & RECREATION DIVISION

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Oversees the maintenance and repair of all municipally owned structures, exclusive of those under the auspices of the Police, Fire, and the Board of Education. In addition, this Division assures that all playgrounds equipment is safely and properly maintained and upgraded.



Town Hall
1976 Morris Ave.
Union N.J. 07083
908-851-8500



Main Library
1980 Morris Ave.
Union N.J. 07083
908- 851-5450



Vauxhall Library
123 Hilton Ave.
Union N.J. 07083
908-851-5451



Senior Center
8 Bonnel Court
Union N.J. 07083
908-851-5290

Graffiti

DPW will paint out graffiti on public property and notify other agencies and private property owners of the presence of graffiti, so they can remove it.

Please provide the following with your service request:

- Location where service is needed (address or intersection)
- Nature of the graffiti (offensive, not offensive)
- Type of building or object that graffiti is on (house, news rack, etc.)

An ounce of prevention is worth more than a gallon of cover-up paint. Here are 3 tips that will help prevent graffiti on your property:

1. Quick removal

The best prevention is the quick removal of tags or graffiti, since the primary goal of graffiti vandals is for their "work" to be seen. If graffiti is removed quickly, there's less payoff for the risk and work involved.

2. Increase risk of discovery

By installing motion-sensing lights and removing shrubs or bushes that conceal graffiti vandalism in progress, you increase the risk for anyone considering tagging your property, thereby making your property less appealing.

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3. **Make it difficult and unappealing**

Repair broken fences and remove any objects that could make it easy to gain entry to your property. Install low, dense, thorny bushes around walls to make it difficult to get in close enough to tag. Plant ivy or other wall-climbing plants to make the "blank canvas" of your wall less appealing.