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# CITY OF POMONA

# COUNCIL REPORT

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February 2, 2026

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Anita D. Scott, City Manager

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**SUBJECT: RECEIVE AND FILE A REPORT BACK ON CODE COMPLIANCE  
NUISANCE ABATEMENT PROCESS FOR VACANT BUILDINGS  
AND PROPERTIES**

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## **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the City Council take the following action:

- 1) Receive and file a report back on Code Compliance nuisance abatement process for vacant buildings and properties.

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

At the City Council meeting of January 5, 2026, the City Council requested that staff report back on the Code Compliance Division's process on how nuisance abatement of vacant buildings and properties are addressed within the City. Staff's presentation will include the following:

- Top 5 Negative Impacts of Abandoned and Vacant Buildings
- The Code Compliance process to address nuisances created by vacant buildings and properties:
  - Notice of Violation
  - Administrative Citations
  - Notice of Abatement and Abatement Warrant process
  - Legal actions and receiverships
- Property Maintenance Requirements and Vacant Property Registration Program
- Police Department No Trespass Form
- Examples of nuisance properties that have been abated

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends that the City Council receive and file a report back on the Code Compliance nuisance abatement process for vacant buildings and properties.

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