

**\$250.00
REWARD**

**\$250.00 Reward
for information leading
to the apprehension,
arrest and conviction of
anyone responsible for
vandalism or graffiti in
the City of Corona.**

**REPORT SUSPICIOUS
ACTIVITY IMMEDIATELY!**

(951) 736-2333

OR

**DIAL 9-1-1
IN AN EMERGENCY**

REPORT GRAFFITI!

WHEN GRAFFITI IS "OCCURRING NOW"

If you are a witness to graffiti or vandalism as it is happening, call 9-1-1 immediately. Give as much information as you can about the suspects and the location.

WHEN GRAFFITI APPEARS

If you see graffiti in the neighborhood, on your property or someone else's, report it as soon as possible, to the Graffiti Removal Hotline at (951) 817-5841.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Corona Police Department	
General Information.....	736-2330
Emergency.....	9-1-1
or.....	736-2333
Non-Emergency.....	736-2334
Graffiti Removal.....	817-5841
Mentor Program.....	279-3542
Neighborhood Watch Hotline...	279-3571
PACE Program.....	279-3578



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400 S. Vicentia Avenue

Corona, CA 92882

(951) 736-2400 ~ Information Line

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*Anti-Graffiti Poster & Sign Contest Winner
Ronny Young, Corona Fundamental Intermediate School*

GRAFFITI PREVENTION & REMOVAL



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WHAT IS GRAFFITI?

GRAFFITI is defined as writing, drawing or symbols applied to any surface without the consent of the property owner, or authorized agent.

Graffiti has a negative effect on a resident's feeling of safety in their neighborhood. It creates a perception (whether factual or not) that crime is on the rise and gangs are moving into the area. When graffiti appears and is left up indefinitely, it sends a signal that people just don't care, which in turn attracts other forms of crime and delinquency to the neighborhood.

REPORT IT!

The City of Corona documents graffiti as a means to track criminal activity, including gangs and for evaluation and intelligence gathering. If you observe graffiti in your neighborhood contact the Graffiti Hotline (951) 817-5841. Make sure to leave your name, specific location of graffiti and a phone number where you may be contacted for further information.



GRAFFITI HURTS EVERYONE!

PREVENTION STRATEGIES



Most effective graffiti prevention efforts involve a combination of community education, citizen involvement and efficient removal methods. In addition to laws and ordinances that are strictly enforced, a commitment to engage at-risk youth in positive activities within the community is crucial.

Whether graffiti is a random act of vandalism or deliberate communication between gang members, it is important to remove the graffiti as soon as it appears.

ADOPT A SPOT in your neighborhood and ensure it stays clean and free of graffiti. For Graffiti Removal call (951) 817-5841 ~ a free service for Corona residents and businesses.

ENCOURAGE AND ENGAGE at-risk youth in positive activities. Consider becoming a mentor. Call the Corona Police Youth Mentor Coordinator at (951) 279-3542.

GET EDUCATED! In turn, you can help educate others about the importance of reporting and cleaning up graffiti.

JOIN A NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PROGRAM. Neighborhood Watch helps to strengthen communities by encouraging residents to look out for one another and to work closely with law enforcement to address crime and suspicious activity. The Corona Police Department hosts monthly Neighborhood Watch meetings, at Corona City Hall. To attend the next meeting call the Neighborhood Watch Hotline at (951) 279-3571.



BECOME A VOLUNTEER with the City of Corona PACE Program (Parks and Code Enforcement). Citizen Observation Patrols actively patrol all City parks in a marked vehicle to observe and report, with no suspect contact. Call (951) 279-3578.

QUICK ACTION IS THE KEY ~ REPORT GRAFFITI IMMEDIATELY!