



Fairfax County Department of Code Compliance (DCC) Who are we and what do we do?



What is compliance? How does it work?

Compliance means following the rules and regulations that apply to properties in the County. DCC responds to reports of code violations and prioritizes cases where there is danger to the health and safety of the public.



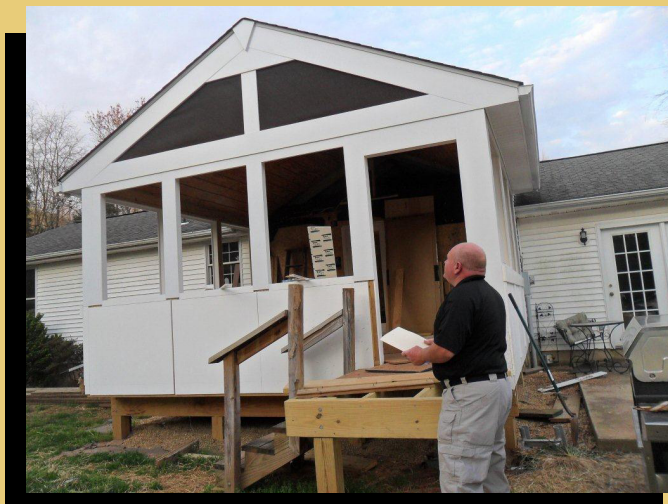
What rules should I know about?

DCC handles various code violations, such as: zoning; property maintenance & fire safety; construction without approval; tall grass; bamboo; noise; and illegal signs in the roadway.

What happens during an investigation?

Reports are received and assigned to investigators. If problems need to be fixed, we issue a "Notice of Violation," or NOV, which says what needs to be done by a deadline.

We work with the community to seek solutions and compliance. However, refusal to comply may result in legal actions.



Contact Us



We are here to help – if you have questions, want to make a report, or if you are the subject of enforcement and need to contact us. You can report problems online, reach us via email (codecompliance@fairfaxcounty.gov), phone (703-324-1300 / TTY 711), or visit us in person.

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To request this information in an alternate format, contact the Department of Code Compliance.
This Fairfax County, VA Publication (published 2023) summarizes a few regulations. See relevant codes for specific requirements.