

Whittier Alliance/NRP  
Graffiti Removal/Prevention  
Grant Request Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Business or Property Address \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Options for graffiti removal/prevention measures are given on the page attached. The NRP graffiti grant will reimburse you up to 1/3 of the amount of your project up to a certain amount, depending on the option chosen. You must submit a plan with proper documentation (as indicated under each option) to the NRP Steering Committee. If approved, funds will be reserved for your proposal. For reimbursement, work must be completed and paid invoices and/or receipts submitted to the Whittier Alliance office.

Option chosen: \_\_\_\_\_

Total estimated cost of your project: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated cost to be reimbursed (1/3 total cost up to the limit per option chosen) \_\_\_\_\_

The NRP Graffiti Grant, if available, will reimburse me 1/3 of the cost of my graffiti removal/prevention project up to the maximum indicated for the option I have chosen. I understand that it is my responsibility to pay for the cost of the project. I understand that I am eligible for the grant only once.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Whittier Alliance Use:

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ All documentation Received/Attached \_\_\_\_\_

Date Repair Complete and/or Final Bill Submitted \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of Reimbursement \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Reimbursement \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**The following options will be considered at the following percentages/amounts:**

- 1) Removal of graffiti by a professional removal company or graffiti removal supplies if an owner is to remove the graffiti themselves. If graffiti is painted over, it should match the existing paint or surface.

*Amount reimbursed by NRP funds: 1/3 of the cost up to \$200*

The proposer must submit the following: a) photo of the graffiti, b) police report or city inspection notice and c) invoice for the abatement measure taken

\*NRP funds will not be used for any abatement that is not initiated by the property owner.

- 2) Prevention of excessive damage from future graffiti with the application of a protective/preventative coating either by the owner or by a professional company.

*Amount reimbursed by NRP funds: 1/3 of the cost up to \$200*

The proposer must submit: a) an invoice for work done by the professional company or b) the receipts from the supplies purchased

- 3) Installation of lighting in vulnerable areas. Lighting should deter tagging and illegal activity but not create the inconvenience of light pollution to neighbors. Therefore, lighting with motion sensor capacity is encouraged.

*Amount reimbursed by NRP funds: 1/3 of the cost up to \$350*

The proposer must submit a) a plan for review and approval and b) an invoice or receipts of completed work.

- 4) Graffiti prevention through landscaping. Examples: Creeping vines on walls, decorative fencing and shrubbery that blocks access to surfaces but does not encourage criminal activity.

*Amount reimbursed by NRP funds: 1/3 of the cost up to \$2,000*

The proposer must submit a) a design plan and estimates, b) invoices and/or receipts of completed work.

- 5) Outdoor mural or mosaic. This option is especially encouraged as it improves the aesthetic of Whittier streets and alleys and potentially allows for exciting collaborations. As public art on a private building, pieces are encouraged to have a community/neighborhood focus and culturally and artistically complement the neighborhood. The aim is to foster a diversity of mural and mosaic styles.

*Amount reimbursed by NRP funds: 1/3 of the cost up to \$5,000*

The proposer must submit a) a plan that includes the budget, design, materials used, timeline and the project's artist(s) and b) invoices and receipts. As with all of the options, reimbursement is subject to approval of the submitted materials by the NRP steering committee and inspection of completed work.