

Attention!



Within three weeks

The Chapel Hill Police Department and the Inspections Department will be actively enforcing the following Ordinance:

Excerpt from Town of Chapel Hill Code of Ordinances

Sec. 11-26. Junked, dilapidated vehicles

It shall be unlawful for any person to allow or permit to remain on a lot owned, occupied or controlled by him, any exposed motor vehicle or part thereof in a junked or dilapidated condition for more than thirty (30) days after written notice by the town manager to remove same. Such notice shall not be given except upon a finding by the health department or the building inspector that such situation exists and constitutes or will be likely to constitute a health or safety hazard. Health or safety hazard as used herein shall include, but not be limited, to the accumulation of rubbish, underbrush, or weeds around said vehicle, the presence of snakes, rats or other similar animals, the accumulation of stagnant water therein so as to serve as a breeding ground for insects, or such physical conditions as may be likely to cause injury to persons coming in contact therewith. An owner of a vehicle towed under the provisions of this section may request a hearing under Article IIIA, Chapter 21 of this Code of Ordinances. In the event said junked or dilapidated vehicle or part thereof is not removed within said thirty (30) day period, the town manager shall have the authority to remove and dispose of same.

Junked Vehicles must be removed within thirty days of written notice.

Many Towing Companies are available in the local phone book.



Feel free to call Police Officer Phil Smith at 968-2760 or Zoning Officer Maggie Bowers at 968-2718 with questions about this ordinance.

