

BEFORE:

Cleaning Up and Securing a Foreclosure in Spring Valley

County Code Enforcement recently helped clean up an abandoned, foreclosed home in Spring Valley after responding to neighbor complaints that the home was left open to squatters and inundated in trash.

Visiting officers found the back door wide open, trash and junk strewn inside and out and evidence that people had been camping out inside. Code Enforcement quickly declared the home a public nuisance and worked with the bank that held title to arrange to have it cleaned.

A four-person crew hired by the bank was able to haul away the junk and trash and clean up the property --- including mowing overgrown weeds and grass --- within a day and a half, to the delight of neighboring residents. They also re-locked the home to keep it safe.



Cleaning, and Cleaned Up:

