

# NOISE COMPLAINT FORM



## WASHINGTON COUNTY

Solid Waste & Recycling Program  
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**Email the completed form to:**  
[enforcement@co.washington.or.us](mailto:enforcement@co.washington.or.us)

## For use in reporting an alleged violation of the Noise Code Chapter 8.24

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

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Washington County Code Chapter 8.24.030 states that it is unlawful for any person to make, continue or cause to be made or continued, any noise, which unreasonably annoys, disturbs, injures or endangers the comfort, repose, health, peace or safety of any person of normal sensitivity in a noise sensitive unit (dwelling). This prohibition generally applies between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m., and all day Sunday for construction noise.

**Exemptions:** There are specific types of noises specifically exempted from the County Code and are outlined in Chapter 8.24.020. Generally, the noise ordinance does not apply to: **forestry, farming practices, organized athletic activities, sounds caused by emergency or emergency equipment, sounds caused by regular vehicular traffic on public streets, sounds regulated by federal and state law, including sounds caused by railroads and aircraft, sounds from lawn, garden or household equipment** associated with the normal repair or upkeep of property between the hours of 7 a.m. and 10 p.m.

If you think you are being, or have been subject to, noise that violates this standard, please provide the following information and submit this complaint to Washington County Solid Waste for review and response.

A. What is the LEGAL address of the property containing the alleged violation?

\_\_\_\_\_ *address number*

\_\_\_\_\_ *street name*

\_\_\_\_\_ *city*

B. Nearest cross street or landmark: \_\_\_\_\_

C. What is your name and address? \_\_\_\_\_  
*name*

\_\_\_\_\_ *address number*

\_\_\_\_\_ *street name*

\_\_\_\_\_ *city*

\_\_\_\_\_ *state*

\_\_\_\_\_ *zip*

\_\_\_\_\_ *daytime phone*

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

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D. Describe the alleged noise violation. Describe what is causing the noise, the volume and intensity of the noise, the time of day the noise occurs and its duration:

E. Who is the person causing the alleged violation? (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

F. Is the noise plainly audible from within your home?       Yes       No

H. This space is reserved for additional information:

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By submitting this complaint, I hereby acknowledge that pursuant to ORS 192.420, the information included in this complaint is subject to public inspection. For more information on Oregon public records law, visit [www.DDJ.state.or.us/Public\\_Records](http://www.DDJ.state.or.us/Public_Records)

**To submit this complaint:**

Click “save as” and attach it to an email to [enforcement@co.washington.or.us](mailto:enforcement@co.washington.or.us)

— or —

Click “print form” to print the complaint and mail it to: Code Enforcement  
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