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## PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

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# City of Alamogordo

## Keep Alamogordo Beautiful - Weeds

**Alamogordo, NM Monday, February 25, 2019** It's that time of year when all that moisture from the previous season starts to bring on the weeds. Keep Alamogordo Beautiful is committed to the continued beautification of our community, but it takes all of us to ensure that this beautiful place we call home stays that way. Keep Alamogordo Beautiful wants to remind the community of the City of Alamogordo Municipal Ordinance 26-03-030- Unlawful Growth or Accumulation on Lots, that restricts the growth of weeds over 6" around your property. You can read the details of the ordinance at this link: [https://library.municode.com/nm/alamogordo/codes/code\\_of\\_ordinances?nodeId=PTIICOOR\\_CH26VE\\_ART26-03WE\\_26-03-030UNGRACLO](https://library.municode.com/nm/alamogordo/codes/code_of_ordinances?nodeId=PTIICOOR_CH26VE_ART26-03WE_26-03-030UNGRACLO)

Overgrown weeds are not only an eyesore, but can also be a hazard to our community's health. Bugs, rodents and other pests like to make their home in overgrown weeds. Also, snakes, including rattle snakes, are attracted to areas with overgrown weeds. Weeds can also cause damage to sidewalks and driveways. When weeds are kept under control it can help with the reduction of pollen in the air which can aggravate seasonal allergy sufferers.

The City of Alamogordo's Code Enforcement Division is out in our community to ensure we are all doing our part to Keep Alamogordo Beautiful! Lets all work together to make 2019 the first year the Code Enforcement Division does not issue any notifications for the violation this ordinance!

Thank you for your continued support of Keep Alamogordo Beautiful projects. Learn more at <http://ci.alamogordo.nm.us/221/Keep-Alamogordo-Beautiful>

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