

# COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES

## ABOUT US

The Department's mission is to provide professional assistance to the Town through its various boards and commissions and the Town Council in the formulation, adoption, and implementation of consensus-based community goals as expressed in the General Plan and specific plans and ordinances as adopted by the Wickenburg Town Council.

### Values:

- Recognize the importance of trust, commitment and authentic communication.
- Promote the culture of the Town of Wickenburg.
- We pursue honesty, transparency, and mutual respect through productive conversations.



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## Additional Resources:

The resources below provide information on Town and County ordinances.

Town of Wickenburg Code Compliance  
[wickenburgaz.org/1429](http://wickenburgaz.org/1429)

2012 International Property Maintenance Code

Maricopa County Environmental Services  
<https://www.maricopa.gov/631/Environmental-Services>

Yavapai County Environmental Services  
<https://yavapaiaz.gov/devserv/environmental-services-division>

Scan with your mobile device to visit our Code Compliance webpage.



Contact Us:

Code Compliance 928-668-0575



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## JUST THE FACTS

The state of Arizona defines manure as a solid waste that can become a public health hazard and an environmental nuisance.

- A condition or place which constitutes a breeding place for flies, rodents, mosquitoes and other insects which are capable of carrying and transmitting disease-causing organisms to any person.



## WHAT CAN'T I DO WITH MANURE?

- It must not be allowed to cross property lines and should never be deposited near a road, in a wash or near the banks of a wash.
- Never store manure near an adjacent property line or near a storm water runoff area.
- It is a criminal offense to dispose of anything in a wash or riverbed (Clean Water Act).
- Manure can not be stockpiled without following containment requirements.

## WHAT CAN I DO WITH MANURE?

It may be spread (not piled) and worked into arenas, pens and cleared open areas on your property as soon as it dries out for dust control and to improve the riding surface while providing greater comfort for your animals.

- The idea is to get the manure to dry out and break down rapidly to minimize odor and flies. If you are piling it or just spreading it too thick on the surface and not working it in, you are in violation. When working manure into the surface, the result must always be more dirt than manure.
- It must be stored in a manner where the waste does not create a nuisance. A containment receptacle is required by the regulations. Containment means covered at all times except when immediately adding or removing waste.
- Manage your waste responsibly and avoid excessive accumulation by hauling your waste on a regular basis to a landfill or by adhering to the soil amendment methods listed above.



## CODE OF THE WEST

Life in this western rural desert community is rich and rewarding, treasured by both Wickenburg residents who have been here for generations, and those who have recently moved here. The residents of Wickenburg are proud of their generation's long commitment to creating a true western town and a great place to visit and reside.

The Code of the West can help you avoid surprises and be a good neighbor when you're buying, building, and/or developing in the Town of Wickenburg.

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WICKENBURG TOWN COUNCIL  
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\*Available on the Town's website at [wickenburgaz.org](http://wickenburgaz.org)

*Be a good neighbor*

