

MILFORD HEALTH DEPARTMENT - ANTI-BIGHT ACTIVITIES

As of 7/26/2010, the Health Department received 161 complaints of blight, 27 of which are repeat complaints. Each complaint is in various stages of the process – some properties do not meet the criteria set up in the ordinance and are being investigated under the Housing or General Public Health codes. Others are in compliance and show no cause for enforcement action, while others are still in progress or under investigation. 15 properties have been issued blight warning letters as the first step in enforcement. After several inspections, reviews, and discussions with owners, 10 properties have been issued a notice detailing violations and are in the compliance time period.

12 properties have failed to comply with the orders defined in the Notice of Violation and have been referred to the City Attorney's office for enforcement action. The owners of these properties may be fined \$100 for each day the violation(s) continue to exist after the compliance date specified in the notice of violation.

Total # of blight complaints	Submitted by anti-blight complaint form	Submitted by other	Repeat complaints	Warning Letter Issued	Notice of Violation issued - OPEN	Under Investigation	Abated/remedied/closed	No cause for enforcement action	Referred to City Attorney
161	88	73	27	15	10	15	74	24	12