

City of Beech Grove

DEPARTMENT OF COMPLIANCE

802 Main Street
317-803-9099

Beech Grove, Indiana 46107

Year End Compliance Report for 2015:

667 Addresses were inspected with violations found (17% decrease from 2014)

25 addresses were issued a court summons (17% decrease from 2014 - 17 for nuisances, 1 hotel operating without a license, 3 for improper disposal of waste, 2 for building numbering, 1 for contractor operating without a license or permits, and 1 for vegetation overgrowing into the street)

Total of 1480 Inspections (including reinspections) were conducted (decrease of 12% from 2014)

79% of all violations were corrected after the first notice

98% of all violations were corrected before receiving a court summons

Several hundred signs removed from the right-of-way

Approximately 70 vehicles were reported to the police for being abandoned, inoperative, or lacking plates on public roads

All firework vendors were checked and properly licensed

Several dozen solicitors without permits were asked to leave the city, no repeat offenders were found

Began assisting the Building Commissioner with various tasks including some completion inspections and ensuring contractors were properly licensed, bonded and had the correct permits

Several dozen contractors were found operating without permits, licensing, or bonding. All except one contractor resolved those issues - the one violator was issued citations.

105 Vacant homes were monitored - this list is shared with the police and fire departments and updated regularly

New Compliance Officer Mark Rihm was hired