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Dear Granite Falls Resident:

Springtime and the month of May are clean up time for the city of Granite Falls. In cooperation with the city public works department, Olson Sanitation and West Central Sanitation, the Police Department will be assisting with the city-wide clean-up effort aimed at removing debris and demolition within the community. Once again the Police Department will be out identifying areas where residents are in violation of City Ordinances. We will be looking for violations such as, **Ordinance 90.04 Junk cars, furniture, household furnishings and appliances stored on public or private property, Ordinance 90.05 Prohibited use and parking of trailers and Ordinance 130.01 Storage, deposit and disposal of refuse.**

The letter you are receiving today is a **WARNING LETTER ONLY!** You will be given 10 days from the time it was issued to correct the violation or you could face possible charges from the city as well as any expenses the city has incurred to clean it up.

As noted in the Advocate Tribune: The refuse haulers (Olson Sanitation or West Central Sanitation) have designated Friday, May 5th from 8:00 a.m. until completion to pick up the following items: debris and demo material will be picked up at \$10.00 per cubic yard (which is the cost for disposal); appliances and household furnishings will be picked up at cost of \$20 per item; and bagged leaves and grass clippings will be picked up free of charge. Also junked vehicles will be removed by the refuse haulers free of charge if a clear title is provided for the vehicle. The city crew will also be picking up brush and branches from the boulevards and alleyways on Tuesday mornings in May free of charge.

Please take advantage of the services being offered on May 5th, to keep your property clean of debris and help the City of Granite Falls reach the goal of being a clean and presentable community in which to live and visit. Any questions regarding this letter should be directed to the Police Department at 320-564-2129. Thank you for all of your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Chief Brian Struffert