

Noise Complaint

Noise annoyances and disturbances from leaf blowers, and other sources of excessive neighborhood noise, should be recorded. As a first step, if practical, talk with the individual(s) making the noise and tell them about the annoyance. If that doesn't work, it's important make a record of the noise and collect the following information:

Name

Date(s) and approximate time(s) of disturbance(s)

Address where the disturbance occurred

Whether the noise source is from the homeowner, a tenant, or a landscaping company (or worker for hire)

If noise due to commercial landscape work (or worker for hire), include name and any contact information for the company or individual (if available)

If noise due to car noise, include year, make, model of car and license plate number (if available)

Is this the first time you have observed annoying or disturbing noise from individual (if the answer is no, list other times observed)?

Describe in detail the annoying or disturbing noise

We strongly suggest you email council members to ask for legislation to reduce noise from the inappropriate and excessive use of gas-powered leaf blowers, and other sources of inappropriate and loud neighborhood noise.

- Radios, phonographs, musical instruments and similar devices are addressed at Pensacola Mun. Ord. Sec. 8-1-16(b)(2) of the Pensacola noise ordinance.
- Animals and birds at Sec. 8-1-16(b)(4)
- Loud car exhaust at Sec. 8-1-16(b)(5)
- Construction noise at Secs. 8-1-16(b)(7) and 8-1-16(b)(9)