

**HELP KEEP OUR CITY CLEAN  
SEE SOMETHING,  
SAY SOMETHING!**



# PREVENTING RODENT ACTIVITY ON YOUR PROPERTY



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**REPORT RODENT ACTIVITY**

Call 311 or 781-286-8311  
[rodents@revere.org](mailto:rodents@revere.org)



**SIGN THE RODENT CONTROL WAIVER**

**SCAN THE QR  
CODE:**



**MORE INFORMATION**

Questions about the Rodent Control Program or looking for additional tips for rodent activity prevention?

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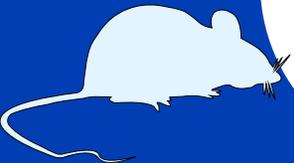
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# PREVENTION

- Keep your yard clean and maintain over growth.
- Keep outdoor plants trimmed so they don't touch the house or other buildings.
- Store garbage and recycling in heavy plastic containers with tight-fitting lids.
- Don't leave lids open on trash barrels at any time.
- Use appropriate city-issued trash barrels.
- Refrain from leaving food out for birds, stray cats, or other animals.
- Empty any sources of water, especially overnight, including bird baths, pet water bowls, or other items that can hold water.
- Seal cracks and small holes with sealant.
- Put screens on vents and replace or repair damaged screens.

**RATS CAN  
SQUEEZE THROUGH  
CRACKS AND HOLES  
AS SMALL AS A  
½ INCH.**



# LOOK FOR EVIDENCE

- **DROPPINGS**
- **BURROW HOLES**
- **GNAW MARKS**
- **RUNWAYS**



**WORK WITH NEIGHBORS TO CLEAN  
UP PROPERTIES TOGETHER SO THAT  
THE RATS HAVE NOWHERE TO GO**

*We are here  
to help!*

**THE CITY HAS CONTRACTED A  
PROFESSIONAL EXTERMINATOR  
TO RESPOND TO COMPLAINTS  
OF RODENTS FROM RESIDENTS.**

**B & B**

**Pest Control**

**PROPERTY OWNERS WHO  
CONTACT 3-1-1 AND PROVIDE A  
SIGNED WAIVER WILL HAVE  
THEIR PROPERTY INSPECTED  
BY AN EXTERMINATOR WITHIN  
14 DAYS. TREATMENTS ARE  
ONLY FOR EXTERIOR OF  
PROPERTY**