



Commonwealth of Massachusetts
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To: All Local Housing Authority Executive Directors and Heads of Maintenance
From: James Marathas, Director of Facilities Management
Subject: Preventative Maintenance Monthly Reminders
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March Preventative Maintenance Task

1. Second Sunday, reset light timers and clocks for daylight saving time.
2. Monitor and issue on-going snow removal work orders.
3. Clean storage rooms and maintenance areas.
4. Touch up all common area paint.
5. Clean heater vents in all common areas.
6. Vehicle Inspection:
 - a. Check all fluid levels: crank case, transmission, etc.
 - b. Check antifreeze, radiator rust inhibitor, and thermostat.
 - c. Check windshield washer fluid.
 - d. Check belts and hoses.
 - e. Check plugs, wiring, battery, clean and grease terminals.
 - f. Clean out air cleaner.
 - g. Check wheel alignment and tire balance (signs of uneven wear).
 - h. Check heater and defroster.
 - i. Check wiper blades for wear.
 - j. Check underbody for corrosion and hose off.
7. Check Smoke and Carbon Monoxide detectors during annual inspections.

8. Clean/disinfect compactor and trash chutes.
9. Unit inspections – schedule so as to complete 100% each year.
10. Lease enforcement: Furniture, trash and debris free from exteriors.
11. Inventory of supplies and small parts.