

NOISE CONTROL

Noise Control During Rebuilding

Temporary Change to the Los Angeles County Noise Control Ordinance

Public Health has modified the Noise Control Ordinance to allow for extended construction hours on weekdays, Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.

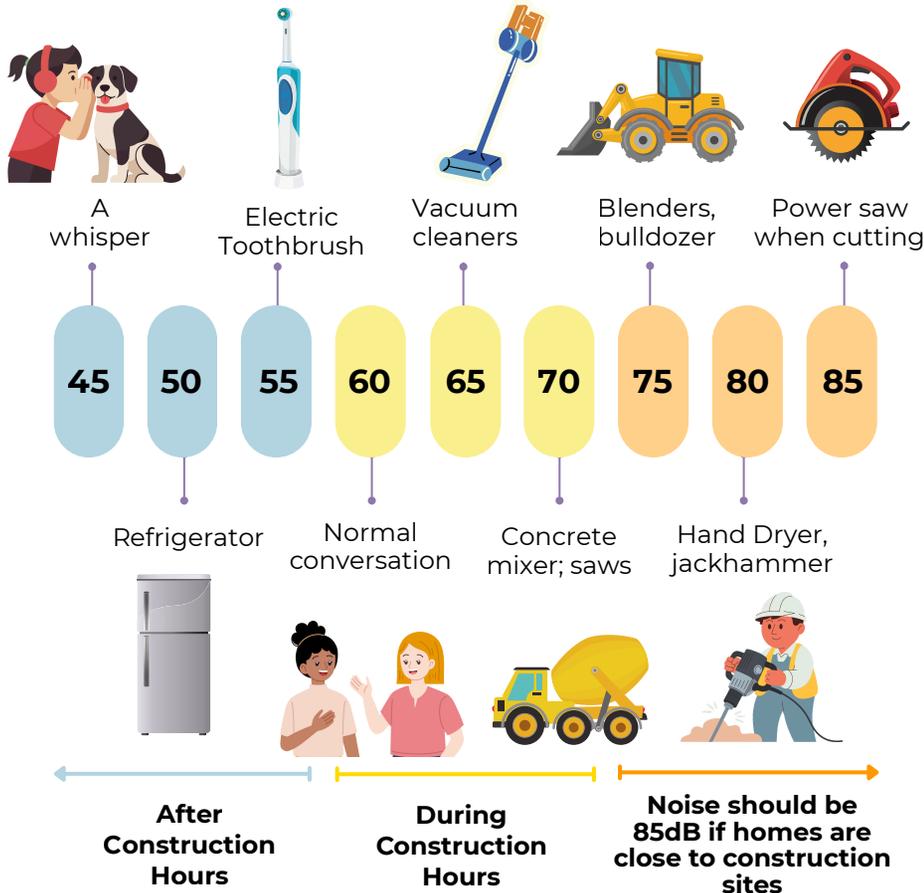


This change aims to support residents and builders, by providing more construction hours while making sure the community is safe and comfortable and bringing the community closer to being rebuilt.

SOUND LEVELS

Noise should be below **85 dB** from **7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

Noise should be below **45 dB** from **8:01 p.m. to 6:59 a.m.**



MODIFIED PUBLIC HEALTH CONSTRUCTION LAW

- Construction noise will be allowed:
 - **7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.**
 - **Monday - Saturday**
 - **7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.**
 - **Sundays and Holidays**
- **No construction** allowed:
 - **8:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. every day**



Best Practices

TO REDUCING NOISE

Let neighbors know the date and time that work will happen and what types of noises they might hear.



Add devices to help reduce sound to all construction equipment.



For homes that are next to construction sites, add temporary sound barriers to help reduce noise.

Place loud machines like generators, compressors, and concrete mixers as far from homes as you can.



Do not leave equipment on when it is not being used.



Work on the loudest activities during mid-day.



Plan when very loud equipment is used; do not use the equipment for back-to-back days.

Do not work on loud activities in the early mornings, evenings, school drop-off times, and church times.



Try not to yell or play loud music.

For questions regarding these guidelines, please contact Environmental Health at **(888) 700-9995** or **scan the QR Code**

