

A Plus Garage Door Repair Highlights Safety Checks During National Garage Door Safety Month

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A Plus Garage Door Repair emphasizes the importance of preventive garage door maintenance as June marks National Garage Door Safety Month, a time when homeowners are encouraged to inspect their garage door systems before peak summer heat and travel season begin.

The West Valley City-based company notes that garage doors are among the most frequently used components of homes, often cycling multiple times daily as families come and go. Despite this heavy usage, garage door maintenance frequently gets overlooked until problems arise, potentially creating safety hazards or leaving homeowners unable to access their vehicles when they need them most.

Garage door systems contain multiple components that require regular inspection, including high-tension springs, cables, rollers, sensors, and automatic openers. Each element plays a critical role in safe operation, and deterioration of any single component can compromise the entire system. Springs under extreme tension can snap without warning, cables can fray, and safety sensors can fall out of alignment, all creating potential

hazards for families and their property.

"Summer brings increased garage door usage as families embark on vacations and weekend activities, making June the ideal time for homeowners to schedule inspections," said Carrie Kelsch, Founder and CEO at A Plus Garage Door Repair. "We often see minor issues like worn rollers or loose hardware that, when caught early, can be addressed quickly and affordably. However, when these same issues go unnoticed, they can lead to complete door failure at the worst possible moment, such as when trying to leave for work or returning from a trip."

The timing of National Garage Door Safety Month coincides with rising temperatures that can affect garage door components. Metal springs and cables expand and contract with temperature changes, while extreme heat can impact the performance of electronic openers and safety sensors. Additionally, summer storms common in Utah can cause power surges that affect garage door opener circuits and safety features.

Professional technicians recommend homeowners perform visual inspections monthly, looking for signs of wear such as fraying cables, rust on springs, or doors that appear uneven when closed. Unusual sounds during operation, including grinding, squeaking, or popping noises, often indicate components that need attention. Safety features should be tested regularly by placing an object in the door's path to ensure the auto-reverse function activates properly.

Beyond safety concerns, properly maintained garage doors contribute to home energy efficiency during summer months. Doors with worn weather seals or damaged panels can allow hot air to enter garages, increasing cooling costs for attached living spaces. Regular maintenance helps ensure doors seal properly, maintaining comfortable temperatures and reducing energy consumption.

A Plus Garage Door serves West Valley City and surrounding Salt Lake County communities with comprehensive garage door services. The company maintains a showroom at 2475 Decker Lake Blvd where residents can explore various door options and learn about proper maintenance practices. With over 27,000 five-star reviews, the company has established itself as a trusted resource for both residential and commercial garage door needs throughout the region.

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A Plus Garage Door Repair has provided trusted garage door installation, repair, and maintenance since 2005. Locally owned by Carrie Kelsch, the company is known for prompt service, quality craftsmanship, fair pricing, and personalized care.

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