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The 5-Year Financial Impact of Reactive Portfolio Maintenance

Every reactive repair is a symptom of a larger portfolio performance challenge.
Here's what it costs a $4.0M NOI portfolio over a five-year hold.

-$260K
Annual NOI impact from reactive maintenance on a $4.0M NOI portfolio [1,2,3]

6.5%
Annual NOI reduction — the difference between proactive and reactive stewardship

$4.2M
Lost exit value at disposition, at a 6.25% cap rate [6]

WHERE THE $260K GOES

NOI IMPACT DRIVER	
Occupancy loss1	
Rent & renewal pressure[2]	-$40,000
Operational inefficiency & service disruption [3,4,5]	-$160,000
Total Annual NOI Impact	**-$260,000**

BASELINE MODEL

Annual portfolio NOI	**$4.0M**
Annual NOI impact	**-$260,000**
Annual NOI reduction	**6.5%**
Exit cap rate	**6.25%** [6]

Industry research indicates every **$1 of deferred maintenance can cost $3– $7 to remediate**, before factoring in the opportunity cost of reactive capital reallocation, NOI impact during repair windows, and the resulting hit to disposition value.[3,4,5]

SMALL ANNUAL LOSSES, COMPOUNDED OVER A 5-YEAR HOLD

Five-Year NOI Difference: $1.3M

NOI LOSS BECOMES VALUATION LOSS AT EXIT

PORTFOLIO	STABILIZED NOI	CAP RATE	EST. VALUE
A: Proactive	**$4.00M**	**6.25%**	**$64.0M**
B: Reactive	**$3.74M**	**6.25%**	**$59.8M**
Valuation Difference			**$4.2M**

Commercial property value is driven directly by NOI.[6] At a 6.25% cap rate, a $260,000 annual NOI reduction compresses estimated portfolio value by roughly $4.16M at disposition — a $4.2M gap between an asset managed proactively and one managed reactively.

Proactive maintenance is a strategy for protecting NOI, preserving asset performance, and defending long-term portfolio value.

Stop Reacting. Start Planning.

SITE gives CRE teams full CapEx visibility before repairs become emergencies — 20–30% reduction in emergency capital expense, 10x faster than traditional inspection.

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