

ADOPT-A-STREET

LITTER CONTROL SAFETY GUIDELINES

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Safety Guidelines:

- 1. Hold safety meeting before each pickup.
- 2. Try to rideshare and take as few cars as possible to the pick up site.
- 3. Park vehicles clear of the roadway.
- 4. Work facing on-coming traffic.
- 5. Work during non-peak traffic hours when there are few vehicles on the road.
- 6. Stop work if weather gets bad.
- 7. Do not over exert yourself, especially on hot days.
- 8. Do not attempt to handle hazardous substances (e.g., car batteries, pesticide containers, needles).
- 9. Avoid noxious weeds (e.g., poison ivy).
- 10. Do not enter littered bridges, tunnels or overpasses.
- 11. Stay clear of construction activities.
- 12. Refrain from picking up trash on the street pavement, City street sweepers will clean the road surface.
- 13. Use caution as you work near any street.
- 14. Never step out into the street.
- 15. Cross streets only at crosswalks.
- 16. Wear light colored clothing and safety vests at all times.
- 17. Wear heavy gloves, and sturdy shoes or boots.
- 18. Wear a hat.
- 19. Have a first aid kit on-site.
- 20. Use a buddy system.
- 21. Look out for each other.
- 22. Have a cellular phone on hand.
- 23. Wear high visibility safety vests at all times.
- 24. Do not enter private property without prior permission in writing. Have permission with you at event.