

## The Adopt-A-Roadway Program

The Adopt-A-Roadway Program is a community service opportunity sponsored by The Delaware General Health District's Keep Delaware County Beautiful Program.

This program allows individuals, families, local clubs, groups and organizations to adopt portions of county or township roadways in Delaware County. Adopting groups can take great pride in the fact that they are keeping our roadways clean and free of litter and that residents and visitors alike will appreciate their efforts.

The Adopt-A-Roadway Program is part of a continuing effort to educate both youth and adults and raise community awareness about environmental issues in our county.

We look forward to working with you in the near future.

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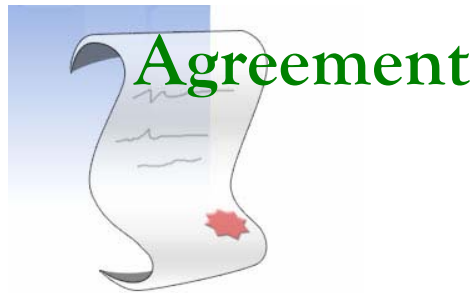
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# Benefits

Adopting a roadway benefits both you and the community in the following ways:

- A chance for your group to work as a team while building environmental stewardship
- Recognition of your group by passing motorists and possible media coverage of your groups efforts
- Personalized signs with your groups name at each end of your adopted stretch of road
- Making the communities more attractive to businesses, industries, and visitors
- A way for your group to make a valuable contribution to the community
- Reduce litter along the roadways
- Participants gain a feeling of pride



## You Agree To:

- Adopt a 2-mile stretch of a county or township road
- Hold at least three clean up events for that stretch of road during a one year period
- Commit 2-years of service to your adopted roadway
- Report your results to Keep Delaware County Beautiful
- All members of your crew will be 12 years of age or older
- Any youth group will have adult supervision

## We Agree To:

- Provide you with safety training and a first aid kit
- Provide personalized signs designating your adopted area
- Provide gloves, bags, safety vests, and 'Men Working' signs for your clean up events
- Maintain your file and all important paperwork

# Getting Started

Getting started is simple! All you need to do is make the decision that you, your organization, or business wants to adopt a county or township roadway.

Next you need to obtain an Adopt-A-Roadway Application, fill it out and return it to Keep Delaware County Beautiful (contact information is on the back of this brochure). You can obtain an application contacting Keep Delaware County Beautiful at 740-203-2077 or by downloading the application at [www.delawarehealth.org](http://www.delawarehealth.org) clicking on Environmental Health and following the Keep Delaware County Beautiful Links.

After your application has been sent in the rest is up to us.

