

Keeping PA Beautiful by Miles of Two!

PennDOT's Adopt-A-Highway Program offers Pennsylvanians an opportunity to show their pride in our beautiful state by caring for the environment. We all know that a litter-free Pennsylvania is better for visitors and more attractive to businesses.

Annually, tens of thousands of civic-minded and caring citizens freely give their time and effort to help keep Pennsylvania beautiful.

Thanks to their efforts, these volunteers have made Pennsylvania a recognized leader in the fight to keep our roadways litter free.

**With your help, we can
continue our commitment to
a cleaner, healthier and more
beautiful Pennsylvania.**



Adopt-A-Highway

District Coordinator telephone list:

DISTRICT 1 (814) 678-7125
Crawford, Erie, Forest, Mercer, Venango and Warren Counties

DISTRICT 2 (814) 765-0488
Cameron, Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Elk, Juniata, McKean, Mifflin and Potter Counties

DISTRICT 3 (570) 368-4220
Bradford, Columbia, Lycoming, Montour, Sullivan, Northumberland, Snyder, Tioga and Union Counties

DISTRICT 4 (570) 963-4010
Lackawanna, Luzerne, Pike, Susquehanna, Wayne and Wyoming Counties

DISTRICT 5 (610) 871-4555
Berks, Carbon, Lehigh, Monroe, Northampton and Schuylkill Counties

DISTRICT 6 (610) 205-6755
Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Philadelphia Counties

DISTRICT 8 (717) 787-7411
Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Perry, Lancaster, Lebanon and York Counties

DISTRICT 9 (814) 696-7104
Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Fulton, Huntingdon and Somerset Counties

DISTRICT 10 (724) 357-2886
Armstrong, Butler, Clarion, Indiana and Jefferson Counties

DISTRICT 11 (412) 429-5003
Allegheny, Beaver and Lawrence Counties

DISTRICT 12 (724) 439-7340
Fayette, Greene, Washington and Westmoreland Counties

Help keep Pennsylvania Beautiful **ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY**



Join the dedicated Pennsylvanian volunteers who help keep our roadsides litter free.

For more information on
PennDOT's Adopt-A-Highway Program,
please visit our website at:
www.penndot.pa.gov



Help fight dirty because
EVERY LITTER BIT MATTERS.
 Here's what we've found on PA roadways:

- 186 Million Cigarette Butts
- 1.8 Million Paper Fast Food Cups
- 39 Million Pieces of Food Packaging
- Nearly 1 Million Receipts
- More than 4.1 Million Plastic Water Bottles

In 2019, a study found more than 500 million pieces of litter distributed across Pennsylvania's roadways.

Cigarette butts, plastics and food packaging.

From the city to the countryside, this is the trash that many careless people leave on Pennsylvania's highways. It's not a pretty sight and it certainly does not make a good impression for the people who live here or who are traveling through Pennsylvania.

PennDOT's Adopt-A-Highway is an effective way to reduce the overall cost of litter pick-up in Pennsylvania. By volunteering to clean a two-mile section of state highway two times a year, you are helping to protect our state's natural resources and environment.

Here is how you can make a personal contribution to a cleaner environment:

◆ **The Program is simple . . .**

You, your civic or volunteer group sign a two-year agreement with PennDOT to adopt a two-mile portion of state highway and promise to pick up litter at least two times a year. In return, PennDOT will post signs along the highway giving you or your group full credit for your efforts.

◆ **Your safety is important . . .**

PennDOT will provide safety training for volunteers and upon request, we provide safety vests, gloves, trash bags and can coordinate removal of items afterward. Volunteers must be at least eight years old and participants under 18 must be accompanied by adults.

◆ **Take care of the environment . . .**

You can join a popular effort to clean up litter on Pennsylvania's collective front yard— its 150,000 acres of roadside. By helping to keep this great state clean for our own residents as well as for the millions of visitors who travel our roads every year, you are making an important contribution to protect our natural resources.

Visit www.penndot.pa.gov and search "Adopt-A-Highway" to sign up today or simply scan the code to get started!



How to Get involved...

If your group would like to participate in Pennsylvania's Adopt-A-Highway Program, contact the PennDOT District Coordinator listed on the back of this brochure, or apply on-line at adoptahighway.penndot.

Applying on-line ensures timely processing of your application, and you will be able to select your roadway. If assistance is requested, an Adopt-A-Highway county coordinator will contact you.

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Visit <http://dced.pa.gov/litter/> for anti-litter messaging materials!

