

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

If you are interested in adopting a highway, call or write the Winona County Highway Department for more details.



WINONA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

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WHAT IS ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY?

It's a public service program for volunteers to pick up litter along Winona County's highways.

It's a way for citizens to make a personal contribution to a cleaner environment.



HOW DOES IT WORK?

Community groups, businesses or individuals agree to adopt a segment of County Highway and keep it litter free for a minimum of two years.

Adopt-a-Highway groups agree to:

Adopt a highway for a minimum of four years,

Select a segment of highway, recommend at least 2 miles in length,

Pick up litter at least 2 times a year.

Winona County Highway Department will:

Provide high visibility vests, trash bags and safety information,

Remove filled bags from the road-sides; remove large, heavy or hazardous items,

Erect a highway sign to recognize your cleanup efforts.

WHAT ELSE SHOULD I KNOW?

The County Highway Department will help your group select a highway to adopt. Roads that have heavy traffic or are inaccessible to pedestrians will not be eligible.

Your group's representative will sign an agreement on behalf of your entire group.

All participants must review the safety information provided.

Participants must be at least 12 years old, unless specifically permitted by the County. Participants under 18 years of age must have adequate adult supervision.

Groups shall arrange pick up dates in advance. Work may not be allowed on or near holidays.

Groups shall leave filled trash bags along the roadside. Groups are encouraged to recycle materials for their own benefit.