



Adopt -A- Street

City of Holly Springs

Adopt -A- Street is a program that empowers VOLUNTEERS from Neighborhoods, Businesses, Organizations, and Groups to keep our City litter-free one street at a time.

Benefits of the Adopt-A-Street Program

- **Increases property values**
- **Reduces litter-removal costs**
- **Fosters pride (people litter less in clean neighborhoods)**
- **Frees up maintenance crews to perform other tasks**
- **Reduces instances of illegal dumping**
- **Lowers crime rates**
- **Fosters new relationships**

Commitment Forms are available at:

CITY HALL

160 S. Memphis Street, Holly Springs, MS 38635

Telephone: 662-252-4280

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ADOPT-A-STREET PROGRAM GUIDELINES

CITY OF HOLLY SPRINGS, MISSISSIPPI

The Adopt-a-Street Program is established to create public involvement in keeping our streets free of litter and debris. Civic-minded volunteer organizations and businesses are permitted to adopt a section of street for the purpose of controlling this litter and debris and to receive recognition for their participation in the program. Individuals interested can ask to join with an organization or business.

The following guidelines apply to the program:

- ❖ Adopt a minimum of four (4) city blocks.
- ❖ Adopt for a minimum of one (1) year.
- ❖ Adoption clean-up should occur at least once every two (2) months.
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- ❖ Adopting City will provide trash bags and will be responsible for the disposal of the litter and debris.
- ❖ Prior to clean-up day (at least 3 days prior), provide the Mayor's office with the clean-up date and time so proper safety considerations may be provided. The adopting organization should not proceed until safety measures are in place.

We also suggest wearing safety vests and/or bright colored shirts to make yourselves easily seen to vehicle traffic, residents, and others.

- ❖ Wear gloves, long pants, boots, or thick sole shoes.
- ❖ Always be vigilant to motor vehicles.
- ❖ Do not pick up heavy or hazardous materials.

Be sage and always use caution. At all times:

- ❖ Watch your footing, stay off rocky, steep or unstable slopes
- ❖ Avoid poison ivy, poison oak, blackberries, and other thorny plants.
- ❖ Watch for and avoid stinging and biting insects.
- ❖ Carry a box for broken glass and other sharp objects.
- ❖ Avoid over exertion, rest when needed.
- ❖ Drink plenty of water and use sunscreen.

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ADOPT-A-STREET PROGRAM
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Commitment Form

APPLICATION DATE: _____

OFFICIAL NAME OF
BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION: _____

CONTACT PERSON(S): _____

TITLE: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: OFFICE: _____ HOME: _____ CELL: _____

EMAIL: _____

PLEASE LIST THREE (3) SECTIONS OF CITY STREETS, IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE, THAT YOU WOULD
CONSIDER ADOPTING. YOUR ADOPTABLE SECTION WILL BE BASED UPON AVAILABILITY AND THE
RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE ADOPT-A- STREET PROGRAM.

STREET NAME: _____

DESCRIPTION: _____

1. _____ STREET BEGINNING _____
ENDING _____

2. _____ STREET BEGINNING _____
ENDING _____

3. _____ STREET BEGINNING _____
ENDING _____