

**POLK COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY PERMIT**

(CHECK ONE)

- () Adopt-a-Highway without signs (no charge): The group agrees to pick up litter at least three times a year for a minimum of two years.

Approximate Dates _____, _____ and _____

- () Adopt-a-Highway with sign (\$50.00 charge per sign): The group agrees to pick up litter at least three times a year for a minimum of two years.

Approximate Dates _____, _____ and _____

- () Pick-a-Highway. The group agrees to pick up litter one time only.

Approximate Date _____

We request permission to pick up litter on _____
for a total of _____ miles.

The Polk County Highway Department reserves the right to refuse, cancel, or revise this agreement if in its sole judgement the nature of the group or its sign is political, controversial or in questionable taste, or if the group is not meeting the terms and conditions of this agreement. By signing this agreement, the group acknowledges the hazardous nature of the work and agrees to comply with the terms and conditions herewith to the satisfaction of the Polk County Highway Department.

Except for the negligent acts of the County, its agents and employees, the volunteers or their agents shall assume all liability for, and save the County, its agents and employees, harmless from any and all claims for damages, actions or causes of action arising out of the work to be done herein.

Any and all volunteers of the group or other persons while engaged in the performance of any work or service performed under this agreement shall not be considered employees of the County, and any and all claims that may or might arise under the Worker's Compensation Act of Minnesota on behalf of said employees or other persons shall so engaged, and any and all claims made by any third party of the group's volunteers or other persons while so engaged on any of the work or services to be rendered shall in no way be the obligation or responsibility of the County.

Name of group _____
(PLEASE PRINT)

Name of group representative _____

Signature _____

Address _____

Phone # (home) _____ (work) _____

Name to appear on the sign _____

Special provisions _____

Polk County Highway Engineer

Date

***** PLEASE CONTACT THE POLK COUNTY HWY. DEPARTMENT FOR ROADWAY LOCATIONS THAT ARE AVAILABLE FOR ADOPTION BEFORE SUBMITTING THIS APPLICATION.**

POLK COUNTY HWY DEPARTMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS

POLK COUNTY AGREES TO:

1. Provide high visibility vests, trashbags and safety training materials.
2. Arrange to remove filled trashbags from the adopted highway.
3. Arrange to remove large, heavy or hazardous material from the adopted highway.
4. Coordinate publicity with the group to solicit local media coverage.
5. Erect a highway sign at the group's expense (\$50.00 per sign) or otherwise recognize the group's clean-up efforts. Highway signs shall be erected only for groups that agree to adopt a highway for a minimum of two years. The name on the sign shall be limited to two lines of eight.