

GREATER SMITHVILLE SUPER SWEEP VOLUNTEER GUIDELINES

Super Sweep Headquarters:

Keep Smithville Beautiful (KSB)

Greater Smithville Chamber of Commerce

106 N.E. 1st Street, Smithville TX 78957

512-237-2313

Business hours: 10a to 4p, Monday to Friday

Pick up supplies from the Chamber offices during business hours a day or two before you need them.

SUPPLIES provided by Keep Smithville Beautiful (thanks to Bastrop County and Keep Texas Beautiful)

- Clear litter bags for recyclable plastic bottles or aluminum cans
- Black litter bags for everything else
- Safety vests (**limited quantity: please return to the Chamber**)
- Litter pickers (**limited quantity: please return to the Chamber**)
- Latex gloves

SAFETY TIPS

- Wear gloves
- Wear thick-soled, closed-toe shoes or boots. Wear long pants and otherwise dress for the weather; layering if necessary.
- Wear sunscreen and bug repellent.
- Work with others as a team.
- Be aware of your surroundings and any potential hazards, especially traffic.
- Practice COVID-19 precautions, as needed.
- Wash hands well after the cleanup.
- Take breaks; stay hydrated.
- Ensure your phone is charged, in case of emergency.

SUGGESTIONS / GUIDELINES

- Park at one end or in the middle of your road segment.
- In teams, work one side of the roadway to the end, cross to the other side, and work your way back.
- Optionally, collect recyclable aluminum cans and plastic bottles in separate clear bags. Collect everything else (trash) in black bags. Consider designating some crewmembers to collect recyclables and others to collect trash.
- Note where you find bulky trash items that you leave behind.
- Drop off full trash bags into the dumpster behind the Smithville Recreation Center (106 Royston St) or Fire Stations. Drop off bags of recyclables at the Smithville Recycling Center (404 Royston St).
- Let us know if you can leave full bags of trash or recyclables in visible locations but out of the way on the roadway shoulder for city or county crews to collect later.
- Return leftover supplies (vests or litter pickers) to KSB during Chamber business hours, 10a to 4p, Monday to Friday.
- After cleaning up, please report the following to wwraine@gmail.com:
 - Road segments that you cleaned
 - Where you left any bags of trash or bulky items
 - Numbers of volunteers, average number of hours each volunteer worked, and the numbers of bags of trash and bags of recyclables your group collected