



Agreement of Terms and Conditions
City of Grants Pass
Adopt-A-Street

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
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PURPOSE:

The City of Grants Pass Adopt-A-Street Program is part of a joint effort between your City government and City residents to keep our right-of-ways and neighborhoods litter free. The program is voluntary and is designed for organizations, businesses and individuals to express their pride and commitment to the community. Each volunteer adopting group assumes responsibility for a section of street and agrees to remove litter and trash a minimum of four times per year, for at least a two-year period. The City of Grants Pass will work with the adopting group to select the specific section of street to be adopted. Some streets may not be considered due to safety concerns, or may not be a City street. The City of Grants Pass will provide signage recognition for their time and efforts spent beautifying our City.

The City of Grants Pass and _____ hereinafter referred to as “Adopters” recognize the need and the desirability of litter-free streets and both are entering into this agreement to permit Adopters to contribute toward the effort of maintaining a litter-free street located at _____.

AGREEMENT CONDITIONS:

Adopted Area and Time Frame:

- Adopters will adopt a section of street within the city limits of Grants Pass if it meets the required guidelines of this program and shall be no less than 2 city blocks.
- The Adopt-A-Street agreement is in effect for a period of two years from the date signed below. At the end of the period of this agreement, there will be an automatic renewal unless otherwise indicated.

Litter Pick-Up:

- Litter pick-up should be a minimum of **4 times per year** during the adoption period. One pick-up must occur during each quarter (Jan-Mar, Apr-Jun, Jul-Sep and Oct-Dec).
- The City of Grants Pass will be responsible for supplying trash bags and some safety vests for most members of the group.
- The City of Grants Pass will pick up and dispose of the trash bags filled by Adopter after they complete each cleanup. The filled trash bags must be left in a neat pile easily accessible by City personnel. The Adopter shall notify the City Public Works Department to arrange pick up of the trash by calling 541-450-6110.
- Should any large items such as old furniture, large appliances, etc. be found during litter pick up, Adopter should note the location of the large items and notify the City of Grants Pass Public Works Department. If a shopping cart is located and you cannot return it, please call 888-552-2787 (Shopping Cart Retrieval).
- Should any hazardous waste be found during litter pick up, Adopter should note the location and type of hazardous material then notify the City of Grants Pass Public Works Department. Adopter should not handle or move hazardous waste/materials of any kind.
- The City reserves the right to terminate this agreement with Adopter in cases where litter is not reasonably picked up according to Adoption guidelines or for violation of any of the guidelines established herein.
- Adopter Signs are posted only during active Adopt-A-Street participation, once the adopter no longer wants to continue the signs will be removed.

Safety:

- Adopter agrees to obey and abide by all applicable safety standards, OROSHA, and any Federal, State, County, or City laws. (The City of Grants Pass will furnish Adopter with *Safety Guidelines*). In addition, forms are always available on the City of Grants Pass website.
- All participants 11 years of age or younger must be accompanied by an authorized adult supervisor, who will ensure that adequate safety measures are taken during the cleanup. Authorized adult supervisors are responsible for the behavior, safety and general welfare of their juvenile participants.

Signage:

- In exchange for a two-year commitment of organizing litter pickup, a customized sign will be installed at each end of your adopted street to announce the name of your group to honor your community service.

By signing this agreement, Adopter acknowledges the hazardous nature of the work and assumes the risks posed by traffic and any hazardous materials that may be found on City walkways.

If in sole judgment of the City of Grants Pass, it is found that, the adopting group is not meeting the terms and conditions of this agreement, within 30 days' notice by the City of Grants Pass, the adoption agreement may be terminated. The City of Grants Pass reserves the right to modify or cancel the program at any time.

_____ Date _____ Signature of Group's Adopt-A-Street Representative

_____ Date _____ City of Grants Pass

This Agreement will remain in effect until _____ APPROVED YES NO

ADOPTER INFORMATION:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Email: _____

Street Adopted _____