Adopt-A-Street Frequently Asked Questions

How do I participate in Adopt-A-Street?
1. Read Adopt-A-Street FAQs (current page).
2. Read Adopt-a-Street Safety Tips (page 3).
4. Submit an Adopt-A-Street Registration Form (page 1 or online).
5. Schedule three Cleanup Events per year.
6. Request and pick up supplies if needed (email kgpb@gptx.org or call 972-237-8152).
7. Group leader must share Safety Tips (page 3) with group on the morning of the event.
8. All volunteers must sign a liability waiver (page 5) the morning of the Cleanup Event.
9. Group leader must submit Cleanup Report after event is completed (page 4 or online).

How long is an adoption? An adoption will be for 2 years with each year ending on March 8th. Renewals will take place on March 9th in observance of International Adopt-A-Highway Day.

How many times per year to we clean our street? Volunteers are asked to clean their street 4 times per year but are only required to turn in 3 Cleanup Reports.

How do we clean our street? Volunteers agree to cleanup both sides of the streets and medians. Volunteers are encouraged to pick up litter 12 feet from the back of the curb. If there is litter beyond 12 feet back from the curb and extreme enough to warrant it, members may call Code Enforcement at (972) 237-8296 to report the property.

What is a News Article? Submitting a Cleanup Report entitles the group to a News Article on the KGPB webpage (www.gptx.org/kgpb) featuring a photo and a caption containing up to 6 sentences. Photos and text may be edited as necessary by KGPB for the webpage. Any photos submitted may also be used in grant and award applications, other city publications/webpages, and/or social media.

How do we get supplies? If supplies are needed, email kgpb@gptx.org or call 972-237-8152 at least 5 business days before Cleanup Event. KGPB will provide up to 20 safety vests, up to 20 pairs of gloves, and 5 garbage bags per Cleanup Event. Supplies may be picked up and returned at the Grand Prairie Landfill, 1102 MacArthur Blvd, between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

How do we get our signs? Each half mile or greater adoption will receive two signs, one on either end of the adoption. Signs may not include logos, phone numbers or websites. Signs will be completed based on the ‘Sign Name’ indicated on the Adopt-A-Street Registration Form (page 1).

What does a sign look like? The Adopt-A-Street signs are two-part signs that include a ‘top sign’ featuring the Adopt-A-Street logo and a ‘bottom sign’ featuring the ‘Sign Name’ indicated on the Adopt-A-Street Registration Form.