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- An application must be completed, indicating all relevant contact information, group information. All volunteers will be asked to select an area that has a significant and identifiable need for litter reduction efforts.
 - A Liability Waiver form must be completed and be submitted for each volunteer at the same time the application is submitted.
 - All volunteers must sign up individually and submit separate Liability Waiver forms, even if you plan to pick up litter as part of a regular group effort.
 - All volunteers under the age of 18 will require parent/guardian signatures on sign-up and liability waiver forms. Volunteers under the age of 15 must be accompanied by adult supervision.
 - All volunteers will be expected to review and practice all safety recommendations (attached) provided by this public area adoption program. Safety is our primary concern.
 - All individuals and groups are expected to make a commitment for a minimum of 1 year. Your group is asked to remove litter and maintain your respective road MONTHLY and/or as needed. Volunteers are encouraged to work as part of a recognizable group. Volunteers are expected to collect stray litter, debris, etc and put it in a central place instructed to them by the Public Works Department.
 - Please inform the City of Forest Park in writing if you and/or your group is unable to keep your adoption commitment. Your location will become eligible for another group.
 - Areas are checked regularly. You will be notified if a particular problem develops in your adopted area.



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ADOPT A ROAD APPLICATION

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Date: _____

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact #: _____

Email address: _____

Group Affiliation: _____

Name to be placed on Adopt A Road Sign :

Desired Location(s) to Adopt:

Signature

Date

*** Consent of Parent or Guardian if Volunteer is Under Age 15 ***

Return application via mail:

Forest Park City Hall
Executive Office
Attention: Adopt A Road
745 Forest Parkway
Forest Park, GA 30297

Return application via email:

K'Sandra Thomas
Attention: Adopt A Road
ksanthomas@forestparkga.gov



ADOPT A ROAD WAIVER

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THIS RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY (the "Release") executed on this _____ day of _____, 20_____ by _____

_____ (the "Volunteer") in favor of CITY OF FOREST PARK, GEORGIA, a Georgia Municipal Corporation ("Forest Park"), its elected officials, officers, employees, and agents.

IN CONSIDERATION OF THE VOLUNTEER BEING ABLE to serve as a volunteer for the City of Forest Park in any activity which include but not limited to participation in the City's Adopt-A-Street program or any other volunteer program created by the City of Forest Park for the maintenance, improvement or work in or upon City facilities, or any other related City of Forest Park activity, the undersigned Volunteer and/or guardian do hereby freely, willfully, and without duress execute this Release and Waiver of Liability under the following terms:

1. **WAIVER AND RELEASE:** Volunteer and/or guardian does hereby release and forever discharge and hold harmless the City of Forest Park, its elected officials, officers, employees, board members, and agents and their successors and assigns from any and all liability and claims, demands, rights of action, or actions, of whatever kind of nature, either in law or equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from Volunteer's activities with the City of Forest Park; Volunteer and/or guardian understands and acknowledges that the execution of this Release discharges and will discharge the City of Forest Park from any liability or claim that the Volunteer may have against the City of Forest Park with respect to any bodily injuries, personal injuries, illnesses, death, or property damage which may result from Volunteer activities with the City of Forest Park. Volunteer and/or guardian further understands that the City of Forest Park assumes no responsibility for and is not obligated in any way to provide financial assistance or other assistance including but not limited to medical, health, or disability insurance, in the event of injury, illness, death, damage. Volunteer and/or guardian agree to hold harmless and indemnify the City of Forest Park from any legal matter, lawsuit, or litigation arising from this volunteer relationship.

2. **MEDICAL TREATMENT:** Volunteer and/or guardian does hereby further release and forever discharge the City of Forest Park and its elected officials, officers, employees, board members, and agents from any claim whatsoever which arises or may hereafter arise on account of any first aid, treatment, or service rendered in connection with the Volunteer's activities with the City of Forest Park. Volunteer and/or guardian understand and acknowledge that the execution of this Release will release the City of Forest Park from any financial or other assistance in the event of injury, or death, or property damage. All volunteers are encourage and expected to maintain their own medical and health insurance.

3. **ASSUMPTION OF THE RISK:** Volunteer and/or guardian recognized and understands that the activities with the City of Forest Park shall include but is not limited to, inherently hazardous activities such as picking up trash and debris along public road and streets, construction, loading and unloading, and transportation to and from the work sites. Volunteer and/or guardian hereby expressly and specifically assumes the risk of injury or harm in these situations and releases and discharges the City of Forest Park from and waives any and all liability for any injury, illness, death, or property damage resulting from the activities of the Volunteer with the City of Forest Park.

4. **INSURANCE:** All volunteers are expected and encouraged to arrive with their own health insurance plans in effect.

5. **OTHER:** Volunteer and/or guardian expressly agrees that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Georgia. Volunteer and/or guardian agrees that in the event that any clause or provision of this Release shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions hereof which shall continue to be enforceable. Volunteer hereby grant and convey unto the City of Forest Park all right, title, and interest in any and all photographic images and/or video or audio recordings made by any member of the City of Forest Park's staff during the volunteer's activities with the City of Forest park, including, but not limited to any royalties, process, or other benefits derived from such photographs or recordings. Volunteer and/or guardian understand that the City of Forest Park is not agreeing to employ said volunteer, and that no employer/employee relationship exists between the parties. Volunteer and/or guardian understand this is the complete and only agreement between the parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Volunteer has executed this Release as of the day and year first above written.

VOLUNTEER: _____
WITNESS: _____
DATE OF BIRTH: _____
Phone # _____

If volunteer is a minor (under the age of 18), parent/guardian signature is required. If Volunteer is under the age of 15, reasonable supervision by an adult (person age 18 or over) is required.

GUARDIAN: _____
In case of emergency, contact _____
Address: _____
Family Physician _____
Allergies (Medicine, Food, etc.) _____



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ADOPT A ROAD SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

- Carpool to the litter pick-up area if possible to keep vehicles to a minimum.
- Park vehicles away from the roadway.
- Keep work group to a manageable size.
- Closely supervise youth group. Volunteers age 12 and under should be discouraged from collecting litter in streets.
- Do not remove any hazardous materials found on the site.
- Stay clear of construction areas.
- Do not pick-up litter on bridges and overpasses or in tunnels.
- Attend mandatory safety meeting with group prior to litter pick-up activities.
- Do not pick-up litter during inclement weather, hours of darkness or hours of peak traffic.
- Be aware of possible contact with poisonous plants, stinging insects, fire ants and snakes.
- Consider the possibility of any participant's known allergies prior to litter pick-up.
- Do not allow participants to partake of, possess or distribute alcoholic beverages while involved in litter pick-up.
- Make participants aware that they are working in a potentially dangerous environment and caution them to act accordingly.
- Use gloves and protective clothing and urge all participants to do so.