

Poquoson Adopt•A•Spot

What is Adopt•A•Spot?

Adopt•A•Spot is a litter prevention and beautification program. The program is operated cooperatively with the Virginia Department of Transportation and other state agencies.

A "Spot" can be a street in your neighborhood, your schoolyard, a park, a traffic corner, boat landing or section of shoreline. In fact, it can be any area in Poquoson that you are interested in keeping litter free.

Maintenance of your "Spot" requires a commitment from you or your group to do a clean up a minimum of 3 times each year. We recommend the months of April, June and October. The benefits to you and others include:

- ▣ The proud feeling of adopting a spot
- ▣ The beauty added to the area
- ▣ The positive impact on our community
- ▣ A personalized recognition sign

Who May Adopt•A•Spot?

Anyone is invited to adopt including individuals, families, youth groups, faith communities, schools, organizations, governmental agencies and businesses.

Some Spots may require more commitment than others, so choose one that fits your capabilities. If you have limited time, for example, you might choose to focus just on regular litter removal in your neighborhood. Other more intensive spots such as along a remote shoreline may require a greater commitment.





**City of Poquoson
Permit Application**

Those person(s) associated with the group named below intend to enhance the environment and improve the appearance of our community through organized litter pickups, and request permission to "Adopt-A-Spot".

Name of Group/Individual: _____

Type of Group (Please circle closest match): Family/Friends -- Individual -- Business

School Group -- Community Group -- Faith-based Organization -- Private Club --

Government/military -- Miscellaneous/other

Primary Contact:		Secondary Contact:	
E-mail Address:		E-mail Address:	
Phone (home)	(work):	Phone (home)	(work):
Mailing Address:		Mailing Address:	
City:	State:	Zip:	
City:	State:	Zip:	

The work will be performed under and in accordance with the City of Poquoson's Adopt-A-Spot Conditions and Safety Guidelines, both included in the program package and incorporated herein as reference.

Applicants to whom permits are issued shall at all times indemnify and save harmless the City of Poquoson, Poquoson City Council, and all City employees, agents and officers, from responsibility, damage or liability arising from the exercise of the privileges granted in such permits.

This permit may be terminated by the City of Poquoson at any time the applicants do not comply with the permit or at any time the applicants' work is deemed unsafe or causes a conflict with traffic. The City of Poquoson reserves the right to revise or discontinue the Adopt-A-Spot program at any time.

Safety Information

Number of persons between the ages of 10 and 18 participating _____. The number under age 10 _____.

Describe any special safety precautions that might be required due to a participant's conditions (e.g., uses a wheelchair) _____.

Route Information (if you are adopting more than one roadway section or area, please provide additional information on the back).

Desired roadway section or location: _____
Street Name or Location

Beginning at _____ and ending at _____

We request the following title to appear on the Adopt-A-Spot sign (18 characters/spaces max)

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

ADOPT-A-SPOT ACTIVITY REPORT FORM

SUBMIT AFTER EACH CLEANUP

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND RETURN IT TO YOUR LOCAL COORDINATOR

Adopting Person/Group

Adopted Spot

City or County

Cleanup Date

No./Persons

No./Hours

No./Bags Total

Recyclable Material Collected:

	No./Bags	Pounds (if known)	Recycled	
			yes	no
Aluminum	_____	_____	_____	_____
Glass	_____	_____	_____	_____
Paper	_____	_____	_____	_____
Plastic	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
TOTALS	_____	_____	_____	_____

(specify)

Comments _____

Signature

Date