

# Trempealeau County Highway Department

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### ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY AGAIN AVAILABLE TO VOLUNTEERS IN TREMPEALEAU COUNTY

**Adopt-A-Highway in Trempealeau County is an anti-litter campaign which allows volunteer groups to clean up litter along Trempealeau County Highways in their own area.**

**Adopting a highway means a cleaner Trempealeau County, a chance for organizations to improve their environment while spending time in the fresh air, and a way for the Trempealeau County Highway Department to recognize their volunteer efforts.**

**We again want to give Trempealeau County citizens a chance to join the Adopt-A-Highway program, which has been implemented, across much of the State of Wisconsin. Each group will adopt a segment on a County highway in their area. Groups can request a segment close to their home which they agree to clear of litter at least three times between May 1 and November 1.**

**Group members will receive safety training, safety vests and trash bags. Trempealeau County will see that the litter they collect will be hauled away. Each adopted segment will be posted at each end with Adopt-A-Highway signs and signs bearing the group's name.**

**All volunteers in the program must be at least 11 years of age or in the 6th grade. Safety considerations require an adult supervisor for every 5 or 6 workers.**

**We're looking for volunteer civic groups such as scouts, church clubs, Chamber of Commerce, service clubs, fraternal organizations, school clubs or any other non-political group which wants to help the environment and make Trempealeau County more appealing to our visitors.**

**Groups interested in taking part in the program should call the Trempealeau County Highway Office at (715) 538-4799, between 6 AM and 4:00 PM, Monday through Thursday. They will receive an application packet which explains the program and more information regarding this program.**

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