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# Keep Montgomery County Beautiful October Newsletter

## Adopt A Road - Gangloff Family Wins for Reporting Most Bags Collected for The Month of September

SEPTEMBER's winner is **The Family of Shawn R. Gangloff** who reported picking up **34 bags** of trash along Hines Road in Olney!

We will be sending a small token of our appreciation for their timely reporting and hard work in Keeping Montgomery County Beautiful.



Don't forget to report your cleaning for October. Be sure to report the frequency, the number of trash bags picked up and the type of bags you used. This not only helps us measure the impact of your important volunteer efforts but also helps the region measure progress in meeting the objectives of the [Potomac Trash Treaty](#) and Montgomery County's [water quality permit from the State of Maryland](#). Call 240-777-7155 or email us at [mcdot.outreach@montgomerycountymd.gov](mailto:mcdot.outreach@montgomerycountymd.gov)

## Upcoming Events, Resources, Phone Numbers and Other Useful Program Related Info

### Montgomery County News:

- [Keep Your Pets Safe This Halloween](#)
- [Montgomery County Recreation Offers Safe, Fun Halloween Activities](#)
- [MCDOT FY14 Annual Report](#)
- [SoberRide is a Great Option for Free Rides on Halloween](#)
- [Go Montgomery News - October 23](#)

## Adopt A Road Cleaning Statistics for Fiscal Year 16 - This Data Comes from Your Cleaning Reports

### FY16 to Date

July 1, 2015 to October 30, 2015

85 Participants Reported:

Total **# of Cleanings** to date: **118**

Total **Bags Picked Up** to date: **551**

### Month of September

24 Participants Reported:

Total **# of Cleanings**: **27**

Total **Bags Picked Up**: **128**

**Cleaning Equipment Available.** The Adopt A Road program provides cleaning equipment such as gloves, reflective vests and bags.



If you are interested in obtaining equipment, send an [email](#) to request the Equipment Distribution form that provides a list of equipment available and the quarterly distribution limits. Be sure this form is filled out completely before bringing it with you when picking up equipment.

To arrange for a pick-up email [mcdot.outreach@montgomerycountymd.gov](mailto:mcdot.outreach@montgomerycountymd.gov) or call 240-777-7155.



2015 Community Service Day - Dirty Roads and Deli's

Montgomery County Department of

- [Montgomery County Leaf Collection Program](#)
- [Ride On Installs Real Time Signs and Maps at Nine Bus Shelters](#)
- [Washington Post Article Highlights Dangers of Walking While Distracted](#)
- [Homeland Security Storm Tips](#)
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- [MC311 Marks Three Millionth Service Request Milestone](#)



**Call 311 to get it done!** For service or information requests within Montgomery County dial 311 (outside the County dial 240-777-0311) between the hours of 7 a.m to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday or [Click Here](#) to submit your request online 24/7! The TTY number is 301-251-4850. [More than 82% of callers in a survey stated they were satisfied with Montgomery County's 311 Call Center.](#)



You can **arrange for bulk trash pick up** (if 4+ bags of trash or debris are collected) 24/7 by submitting a service request on the [MC311 website](#) or call 311.

**\*Animal carcasses seen along a County or State road** that create a traffic hazard, call 911. If not a hazard call 311.



**Report damaged or missing AAR Signs** by emailing the *Traffic Engineering and Operations Division* at [mcdot.trafficops@montgomerycountymd.gov](mailto:mcdot.trafficops@montgomerycountymd.gov) Be sure to mention its an Adopt A Road sign and include your group name and the location of the damaged or missing sign(s). You will be assigned a work order number that you can use when following up.

**Have questions on what to Recycle?** [Click here](#)

Transportation (MCDOT) celebrated **Dirty Roads and Deli's Saturday, October 24 - Community Service Day.**



This day was a success -12 volunteers met with MCDOT staff at the **Woodside Deli** located at 9329 Georgia Avenue in Silver Spring- and were treated to a complimentary coffee and lunch.



In 2 hours they collected 25 55-gallon bags of trash in the deli parking lot, and nearby roads which included *Georgia Avenue, Dale Drive, Corwin Drive, Luzern Avenue and Columbia Boulevard*. If you are interested in participating next year email us at [mcdot.outreach@montgomerycountymd.gov](mailto:mcdot.outreach@montgomerycountymd.gov)

