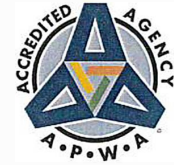


Memorandum – City of Gulfport



PUBLIC WORKS

TO: Gulfport City Council Members

CC: Mayor Billy Hewes
Dr. John Kelly, CAO
Tyler Gentry, Assistant Public Works Director - Operations
Mark Kraninger, MS4/Solid Waste Inspector

FROM: Wayne E. Miller, P.E., Director of Public Works and Engineering

DATE: March 8, 2021

RE: **Keep Gulfport Clean and Green Event**
- March 26 through April 29

WEM

The City of Gulfport will conduct its comprehensive anti-litter campaign for 2021 and we are asking for your help with the “**Keep Gulfport Clean and Green**” event. Each ward will receive one assigned weekend during the cleanup event weather permitting. The cleanup will begin on **Friday, March 26, 2021**, starting in Wards 1 and 2 then continuing with two (2) wards per week excluding **April 2, 2021 – April 8, 2021**. The cleanup will end in Ward 7 on **Thursday, April 29, 2021**.

Each ward (1-7) will be required to designate a “**Ward Leader**” (preferably one person) to take on this very important role to coordinate all cleanup efforts. The leader will be responsible for recruiting volunteers (or sub-teams), coordinating division leaders, documenting all aspects of the event and coordinating with the Public Works Department Event Representative, Mark Kraninger who can be contacted at (228) 297-2495 or mkraninger@gulfport-ms.gov. The City is also looking to have **Division Leaders** that will work with various small and large businesses, churches, schools, civic organizations, etc., to address areas of concern to each group.

Attached is a copy of the flyer that will be posted on the City’s social media outlets and a form to be completed by the designated Ward and Division Leaders with their contact information. The deadline to submit this form is **Monday, March 22, 2021**.

A Virtual Meeting with Ward and Division Leaders will be held on **Monday, March 22, 2021, at 5:30 p.m.** to discuss the project.

Thank you for your assistance with keeping Gulfport Clean and Green.



"Green Bags"
will be
Provided by
Gulfport



City-wide Cleanup

A city-wide clean-up will be held from March 26, 2021 – April 29, 2021. Here's how it works:

- All trash must be located in the city's right-of-way in "Green Trash Bags" by each Monday morning based upon the Trash pick-up schedule.
- Volunteers will work Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, and place in "Green Trash Bags" prior to trash pick-up week.
- Once a street has been cleared of all trash bags and marked completed, work crews will **NOT** return to that street.
- Dumpsters will be placed in each Ward according to the schedule and residents are allowed to place any trash/debris in these dumpsters.
- Waste Pro will continue to pick up trash/debris piles using the normal weekly schedule.

Call **311** or **(228) 868-5700** for questions. Refer to the City of Gulfport's website @ www.gulfport-ms.gov for additional information.

Trash Pick-up Do's & Don'ts

Do's

1. Trash bags **MUST** be accessible for pick-up (i.e. close to the road, but not too close to hinder vehicle traffic)
2. Trash bags **MUST** be in the city's right -of-way, **NOT** on private property
3. The City will pick up household refrigerators, freezers, and A/C units (no commercial units) so long as they are certified by a licensed dealer/service technician as "Freon Free." **All refrigerators brought to the road, MUST be rendered in a safe condition so no child will be harmed.** A tag must be affixed to the appliance by the licensed dealer/service technician with the dealer/service technician certification number on the tag. The tag will certify that the Freon has been properly removed from the unit. Any refrigerator, freezer, or A/C unit(s) without a "Freon Free" tag will **NOT** be picked up and will become the responsibility of the resident.

Don'ts

No hazardous waste will be picked up, including (but not limited to):

Inside household items:

- aerosols
- ammonia
- bleach
- chlorine
- cleaners
- detergents
- disinfectants
- electronic appliances (i.e. TV's, microwave ovens, computers, etc.)
- furniture polish
- glass cleaner
- no liquids of ANY kind-the container(s) **MUST** be dried out.
- varnish/wood finish
- oven cleaner
- paint
- rug & upholstery cleaner
- scouring power
- silver polish
- toilet bowl cleaner
- tub & tile cleaner
- varnish/wood finish



City-wide Clean-up Schedule

March/April 2021

Ward	Volunteer Clean-up Schedule	Trash Pick-up Schedule	Dumpster Schedule	Dumpster Location
1	March 26 - March 28	March 29 - April 1	March 26 - March 29 morning	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Gaston Point Community Center, Mills Avenue 19th St. Community Center, Corner of 19th St. & 33rd Ave. Villa Del Ray Store 34th Street & 39th Avenue
2	March 26 - March 28	March 29 - April 1	March 26 - March 29 morning	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Westside Community Center, Hwy 90 & 41st Avenue Fire Station, Cowan Road South of RR Tracks Texas Avenue and 31st Street by Lift Station
3	April 9 - April 11	April 12 - April 15	April 9 - April 12 morning	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Magnolia Grove Community Center, on 26th Street Morning Star Church, 1440 20th Street Baseball Field at Ohio Avenue & Holly Circle
4	April 9 - April 11	April 12 - April 15	April 9 - April 12 morning	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> City Public Works Building, 4050 Hewes Avenue Handsboro Community Center on Switzer Road Bayou View Park on Harrison Circle
5	April 16 - April 18	April 19 - April 22	April 16 - April 19 morning	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Orange Grove Community Center, Dedeaux Road Old Lorraine Road @ Creel Circle
6	April 16 - April 18	April 19 - April 22	April 16 - April 19 morning	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Entrance to Pine Hills Subdivision, Dedeaux Road & Pine Dedeaux Park on River Road Fire Station @ Three Rivers Road
7	April 23 - April 25	April 26 - April 29	April 23 - April 26 morning	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Lyman Community Center, Highway 49 & Touriel Road Depew Road @ Government Street Old Hwy 49 @ Orange Grove Road



“Keep Gulfport Clean and Green”

Ward Leader & Division Leader List

Ward: _____

Name	Address	Phone #	Email
Ward Leader:			
Division Leaders:			

***Please Return to Mark Kraninger (mkraninger@gulfport-ms.gov) by March 22, 2021.**