

Beaufort County, South Carolina
General Announcement

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Keeping Beaufort County Litter-Free Is a Team Effort

With another summer season and many local festivals upon us, a peak number of residents and visitors are enjoying our beautiful county and that means more litter.

Litter is a year-round challenge all over Beaufort County, but the tremendous clean-up efforts of residents is having a positive impact. In 2017, 85 local Adopt-A-Highway groups spent 4,000 hours collecting 6,000 bags of trash weighing 89,000 pounds from roads, waterways, beaches and marshes.

The Beaufort County Public Works Department helps to lead the efforts of the Keep Beaufort County Beautiful Program. Staff members in this department routinely work on the front lines to keep the County clean and promote a positive message that, whether resident or visitor, we all need to properly dispose of litter. Their message is clear – wherever you see trash, pick it up.

This weekend, Public Works staff members will volunteer their time to keep waterways clean during the [Beaufort Water Festival](#); with water being the main theme, the team wanted to raise awareness by incorporating a Munson boat which has been wrapped with an anti-litter message.

Information about getting involved with an Adopt-A-Highway group is available [here](#) or by calling 843-441-3849.

Staff photo below - Beaufort County Department of Public Works Litter Control Supervisor Artrell Horne.

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