

GROWING GREEN

**Prince
George's**
county MARYLAND



WITH PRIDE

Dear Prince Georgians:

Spring is approaching and the County is celebrating “Preserve and Beautify our Environment” week April 18 through April 23, 2022. As part of the celebration, we will have activities on Earth Day, April 22, 2022 and are delighted to invite you to participate in our Spring 2022 “Growing Green with Pride Day” community cleanup event.

Please join me on Saturday, April 23, 2022 for a countywide effort to safely clean our communities. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and out of an abundance of caution, we will utilize the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention’s (CDC) best practices by implementing a grab-n-go style pickup. However, communities are invited to help us keep Prince George’s County clean and beautiful by placing mulch, picking up roadside litter and removing illegally dumped materials. In order to keep our communities clean and aesthetically appealing, we must all work together and do our part.

If your community or organization would like to join our efforts by participating in the Spring 2022 Growing Green with Pride Day community cleanup event, I encourage you to please complete the registration form. When completing the application, please provide all of the pertinent information requested, including the name and mailing address of your community or organization’s primary contact, the expected number of volunteers, and the area and street name(s) of where your community will be cleaning.

Thank you for your continued support as we work together to make the Spring 2022 “Growing Green with Pride Day” community event a huge success for Prince George’s County. Together, we will ensure that Prince George’s County remains the Crown Jewel of Maryland.

Sincerely,

Angela Alsobrooks



Angela D. Alsobrooks
County Executive





Registration Application

General Information *(Required/Please print neatly)*

Name: _____

Name of Site Coordinator: _____

Organization: _____

E-mail: _____

Telephone(s): _____

Who Owns the Site(s)? *(Please check one)*

- County
- M-NCPPC
- State
- Public Areas
- Schools
- Other (Please specify): _____

Did you get permission from the property owner or school principal to enhance the site(s)? Yes No

From whom did you get permission?

Name: _____

Position: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Number of Volunteers Involved in Cleanup

Adults: _____ Students: _____

Supplies

Your group will be provided with gloves, trash bags, litter grabbers and safety vests. Please leave your filled trash bags along the curbside of the roadways you identify to be cleaned. The Department of Public Works and Transportation will pick up the trash bags.

Mulch (6 max)

Name of Street(s) to Be Cleaned

_____ Hundred Block of _____

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Terms & Conditions

We hereby agree to participate in "Growing Green with Pride" Cleanup Day in Prince George's County on Saturday, April 23, 2022, rain or shine. We understand that this beautification and street litter pickup activity provides an opportunity for community organizations, schools and businesses to partner with Prince George's County Government to celebrate community pride, volunteerism and commitment in our neighborhoods. We understand that the mulch provided by the County must ONLY be installed in public areas. In light of the current pandemic, we understand the need for and agree to practice social distancing and will wear face coverings and gloves while participating in this event.

The completion and signing of this form express our intent to perform under the conditions set forth herein.

Signature

Organization

Date

E-Mail Application

You may e-mail your application to GrowingGreenwithPride@co.pg.md.us. You will receive an e-mail notification to confirm the receipt of your application. Applications are available at <https://www.princegeorgescountymd.gov/2590/Growing-Green-With-Pride>.

Community Service Hours

Prince George's County Public School students who would like to earn service learning hours by volunteering at the community clean up may request forms from their school's guidance office and have them signed by the cleanup coordinator at their site.

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For questions related to the Registration Process, please contact:

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PGCLitterTRAK Training Workshops

Tuesday, April 5, 2022, 6 PM to 7 PM
Tuesday, April 12, 2022, 6 PM to 7 PM
Tuesday, April 19, 2022, 6 PM to 7 PM

Register at [https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJEoc-6urTljGd1SEIRfcccco-t5TFxFL9o8c](https://zoom.us/join/zoom/register/tJEoc-6urTljGd1SEIRfcccco-t5TFxFL9o8c)

The Department of the Environment (DoE) designed PGCLitterTRAK to assist County residents, community organizations and businesses in reporting trash and debris collected during individual and group cleanup events.

Information submitted through PGCLitterTRAK including bags of litter removed, items collected and litter pick-up locations will assist DoE meet their trash reduction rate of 170,628 pounds per year within the Anacostia River Watershed.

Data provided will also help DoE develop real-time maps cataloging litter collected throughout the County.



IMPORTANT DATES AND INFORMATION FOR GROWING GREEN WITH PRIDE DAY SPRING 2022

Litter Supply and Mulch Pickup Dates and Location

Wednesday, April 20.....5 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Thursday-Friday, April 21-22.....8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday, April 23.....8 a.m. to noon

*Department of Public Works and Transportation
MOC Building, 8400 D'Arcy Road, Forestville, MD 20747*

Application Deadline

Friday, April 15, 2022