



Westmoreland Cleanways and Recycling Volunteer Interest Form

Date: _____

Name: _____ Business (if applicable): _____
Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____
Phone (day): _____ Cell phone: _____
Email address: _____

Westmoreland Cleanways and Recycling conducts many environmentally related programs throughout the year and in all parts of Westmoreland County. Managed by a small staff, we rely on many dedicated volunteers to staff our events.

If you would like to do something positive for your community and the environment, check out our calendar of events to see if you are available to volunteer for a project listed below, or we can keep you on our volunteer list and contact you when something that suits your interest comes up.

Illegal Dumping

Illegal dump cleanups are organized seasonally, usually in the spring or fall. Volunteers provide the manpower to pick up the litter and trash found at illegal dump sites. Organizers recruit their own volunteers, and we fill in with our own crew if needed.

- _____ I know of an illegal dumpsite and would like to organize a cleanup.
_____ I would like to volunteer for an illegal dump cleanup. Please call me when you need assistance.
_____ I have equipment (pickup, dump truck, other) and can assist with a cleanup.

Road Adoptions

Any locally maintained road is eligible for adoption through Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful and Westmoreland Cleanways and Recycling. Please visit Keep PA Beautiful's website for information on how you can adopt a road, park, or public space at: <http://www.keppabeautiful.org/KeepIt/AdoptionProgram.aspx>

Collection Events

The Household Hazardous Waste Collection is scheduled for the first Saturday of October. Volunteers provide traffic control, distribute surveys and pass out information. Hard-to-dispose items are collected at our Recycling Center Mondays Noon-7pm, Wednesdays and Fridays from 8:00am-1pm and the 2nd Saturday of every month from 8:30-Noon.. Volunteers provide traffic control, help customers unload their vehicles, track material as it is collected, and pass out information.

- _____ I would like to volunteer for the Household Hazardous Waste Collection
_____ I would like to volunteer at our Recycling Center.
_____ Date(s) (if known) _____
_____ On a continuous bases- which day(s): _____

Speakers Bureau

Educational programs are conducted throughout the year upon request. They can be in the evening (scout groups, civic groups like Rotary or Lions clubs), or during the day (in schools and classrooms, displays at senior fairs, etc.).

If you like to speak to groups, would like to educate people about ways to benefit the environment, and are willing to attend a training session, this is the volunteer opportunity for you.

- I would like to join your Speaker's Bureau.
- I am available during the day only
- I am available in the evening only
- I am available during the day or evening

- I would like to work with children
- I would like to work with adults
- I would like to work with either children or adults
- I have my Act 33/34, 151 and 114 clearances or ability to obtain them (must have to work with children)

Backyard Composting

Westmoreland Cleanways sponsors Backyard Composting Workshops in the spring and fall (usually Saturday mornings). Backyard Composting Workshops may also be conducted for garden clubs or other groups upon request. Training based on Penn State University curriculum is provided. Volunteers may either teach the class or assist with sign-in and other support activities.

- I would like to volunteer for a Backyard Composting Workshop as an instructor.
- I would like to assist at a Backyard Composting Workshop.

Just Plain Help

Sometimes we could use an extra hand or some special skill or talent. Maybe you fall into one of these categories.

- Newsletters are printed and mailed from our Latrobe office 3-4 times per year. Volunteers fold the newsletter in preparation for mailing. I would like to assist with your newsletter or other special mailing.
- Monthly membership reminder mailings: 1 day per month from our Latrobe office.
- I have a truck and can help haul things once in a while.
- I like to plan events and can help with an Appreciation Dinner or other special event.
- I would like to help clean the vermicomposting bins.
- I would like to help prepare crafts and other activities for presentations at schools.

Comments/Other Suggestions:

Thank you for your interest in Westmoreland Cleanways and Recycling. Please return form by mail, fax or email to:

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