

Health and Safety Tip Sheet



- Visit the cleanup location before your cleanup to look for possible hazards
- Arrange adult supervision for youth volunteers
- Have young volunteers ask an adult first if they are unsure about picking up a piece of litter
- ⚠ Wear a safety vest, bright colored or reflective clothing
- ⚠ Wear clothing that will not impair your vision or movement
- ⚠ Cleanup in groups or pairs
- Wear work gloves
- Wear closed-toe shoes
- ▲ Keep sunscreen and bug spray handy and re-apply as necessary
- Take breaks and do not over-exert yourself
- Drink water and keep hydrated
- Suspend cleanup activities during bad weather (fog, thunder and lightning)
- ⚠ Bring a fully charged cell phone and call 911 in case of illness, injury, and/or emergency. After calling emergency services, please call 905-546-2424 x1482 to report the incident to the City.
- ⚠ Do not clean up near deep or fast-moving water, or hydro dams
- ⚠ Do not pick up any hazardous items including, but not limited to:
 - Hypodermic needles
 - Syringes
 - Jagged glass or other sharp objects
 - Animal carcasses
 - O Urine bottles
 - Heavy objects
 - Air brakes



















If you come across any hazardous or concerning items, please flag them and call 905-546-CITY (2489)





