



City of Rochelle
Superintendent of Streets,
& Cemetery

Memo

To: David Plyman
From: Tim Isley
Date: April 4 2014
Re: City of Rochelle Adopt-A-Program

Over the past several years the Rochelle Street Department has noticed the need to implement an Adopt-A-Road program into our community. This program would help maintain a litter free and safe roadway system. In 2013 The Rochelle Street department sent two employees out for four hours to clean up a 1.8 mile section of roadway. During this cleanup staff collected 5 bags of litter along with several large miscellaneous items such as electronics and wooden boards. This was just one section of a proposed sixteen sections of adoptable routes.

The City of Rochelle Adopt-A-Road program is where a group volunteers to pick up litter off Rochelle's roadway system two times per year. This Program will give Rochelle residents and organizations the opportunity to show their support and concerns for our environment and give them a chance to make Rochelle a clean and safe place for all to enjoy.

The Rochelle Street Department will erect signs identifying the name of the group participating in this program. This will also show the groups support for having a clean and litter free community and encourage others to be litter free as well. The Rochelle Street Department will provide safety training materials, litter bags, and safety vests. This program also encourages each group to recycle all eligible items.

Please consider accepting the City of Rochelle Adopt-A-Road program so we can involve the community and organizations to keep Rochelle a clean and liter free place for all to live and visit.