

RESOLUTION

Resolution to Approve Adopt-A-Highway Group Agreement (T58-04) (82)

WHEREAS, in order to augment the McHenry County Division of Transportation's litter collection efforts, McHenry County enacted the McHenry County Adopt-A-Highway Ordinance to allow for volunteer groups to adopt various sections of highways for the purpose of litter collection; and

WHEREAS, the Adopt-A-Highway Ordinance requires said volunteer group(s) to enter into an agreement with McHenry County defining the responsibilities of the volunteer groups and the County; and

WHEREAS, the Transportation Committee has reviewed the following groups for inclusion in the Adopt-A-Highway Program:

<u>Group</u>	<u>Section of Roadway</u>
Brown Bear Marengo	Maple Street from James Court to Ratfield Road

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by this County Board of McHenry County, Illinois, that the agreement between McHenry County and each of the above-listed volunteer groups is hereby approved; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Board Chairman is authorized to execute said agreement; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Clerk is hereby authorized to distribute an electronic copy to the Director of Transportation/County Engineer.

DATED at Woodstock, Illinois, this 21st day of April, A.D., 2026.

Michael Buehler, Chairman
McHenry County Board

ATTEST:

Joseph J. Tirio, County Clerk



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SUBJECT: Resolution to Approve Adopt-A-Highway Group Agreement (T58-04) (82)

Board / Committee Action Requested:

To approve the inclusion of the identified group(s) into the McHenry County Division of Transportation (MCDOT) Adopt-A-Highway Program:

Brown Bear Marengo – Maple Street from James Court to Ratfield Road

Background and Discussion:

In order to augment the Division of Transportation's litter collection efforts, the County enacted an ordinance to allow volunteer groups to adopt various sections of highways for litter collection. With the approval of this resolution, the MCDOT has 152 groups enrolled in the program, covering approximately 74% of the 208 total sections.

The ordinance requires that each volunteer group enter into an agreement with McHenry County defining the responsibilities of the group and the County. This resolution approves the County entering into an agreement with the identified group(s) and section(s) of the highway.

The link below will take you to an interactive web display of the current Adopt-A-Highway map. Sections in green have been adopted, sections in blue are tentative, and sections in red are available for adoption.

[Adopt-A-Highway Online Map](#)

Impact on Human Resources: None

Impact on Budget (Revenue, Expenses, Fringe Benefits):

To duplicate the efforts of the Adopt-a-Highway volunteers, it would cost the County approximately \$15,000 annually.

Impact on Capital Expenditures: None

Impact on Physical Space: None

Impact on Other County Departments or Outside Agencies: None

Conformity to Board Ordinances, Policies and Strategic Plan:

Conforms to County ordinances, policies, and County's strategic plan.

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