



THE ADOPT-A-TRAIL PROGRAM

WHAT IS ADOPT-A-TRAIL?

The purpose of this program is to assist city maintenance crews in litter control along the bike trails. An organization or group of individuals can adopt a section of trail for a period of one year.

Volunteers are recognized by a sign, with their organization name, at each end of their section.

Adopters are responsible for litter control along their section of trail (usually .5 to 1 mile long) at least once a week as weather permits, or as often as possible. We feel that "every little bit helps" in this case!

WHAT ARE THE ADOPT-A-TRAIL POLICIES?

1. The Adopting organization commits to a one-year period of adoption. At the end of that an organization can renew, change sections or terminate.
2. We are fortunate to have a waiting list for Adopt-A-Trail sections, but that also forces us to put a **two-year limit** to this opportunity. If no organization is waiting to adopt your section of trail however, you can continue to adopt it for another two-year term.
3. Monitoring of your section should be done at least once a week during the warm season, and as weather permits in the cold season.
4. The City of Fort Collins will provide the trash bags and will be responsible for collecting and disposing of the filled bags.
5. The City of Fort Collins will place a sign at the end of your section crediting your organization for litter control.
6. An adopting organization may keep any and all proceeds from any material with recyclable value that is found.

Adopt-A-Trail Program Application

Organization Information

Organization Name _____

(Name on Adopt-A-Trail sign will appear as written on this line)

Phone Number _____

Organization Address _____

E-mail Address _____

Approximate Size of Membership: _____

Name of Contact Person _____

Phone Number: _____

Address _____

Statement of Agreement

I have read and agree to abide by the policies and regulations as designed by the City of Fort Collins, Cultural, Library, and Recreational Services in regard to the Adopt-A-Trail Program.

Signature _____

Date _____

Adoption Information (For Office Use Only)

Assigned Trail Section: _____

From: _____ To: _____

Distance: _____

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____