

CHESTERFIELD TOWNSHIP ADOPT-A-SPOT



Helping to Keep Chesterfield Township Beautiful

Flower Bed Maintenance Schedule

April

- Evaluate over winter damage
- Remove dead plants
- Rake and clean debris from beds
- Report any edging that has shifted or been damaged

May

- Plant new material
- Apply Preen
- Mulch
- Water

June / July / August

- Pull excess weeds / debris / every 2 weeks
- Dead head flowers as needed every 2 weeks

September / October / November

- Remove annual plant material
- Cut perennials
- Clean beds

Two times a season in May and September, trim suckers at base of trees within beds

Volunteer Responsibilities:

- * Planting flowers or plants selected from a list of approved plants compiled by the Master Gardeners on the Chesterfield Township Beautification Committee.
- * Maintenance of flower beds by weeding and watering as needed.
- * Cleaning litter from the area.
- * Not all areas will require the same level of attention. Please check the Adopt-A-Spot listing for specifics.
- * Volunteers will provide their own watering containers, trash bags for litter collection, containers for weed removal to composting site and transportation to and from their adopted site.



Chesterfield Township
Beautification Committee

For further information contact 586-949-0400 ext. 4

Program Overview:

The Adopt-A-Spot program is designed to beautify the Chesterfield Township grounds and its buildings as well as parks and green areas with the help of citizen volunteers that adopt their spot for a period of one year.

The program is open to:

- * Individuals
- * Small and large businesses
- * Scout Troops
- * Senior Citizen Groups
- * Church Groups
- * School Organizations
- * Activity and Teen Groups
- * Clubs
- * Etc.

To Volunteer:

If this program sounds like something that would interest you, please fill out the Adopt-A-Spot application and submit it to:

Chesterfield Township Beautification Committee
c/o Parks & Recreation
47275 Sugarbush
Chesterfield, MI 48047



Together we can make Chesterfield Township clean, green and a beautiful place to live, work, and play.

Adopt-A-Spot Application:

Organization: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ Zip Code _____

Day Time Phone Number: _____

Evening Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Location preference (optional): _____

RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS AND LIABILITY WAIVER:

I understand and am fully aware of the special dangers and risks inherent in performing general maintenance and plantings both on Township property and within Macomb County road rights-of-way, including physical injury, and damage to personal property that may arise or result from such activity. Being fully informed as to these risks and in consideration of participating in Chesterfield Township's Adopt-A-Spot program, I assume all risk of injury, damage and liability for losses, expenses, demands and claims in connection with or arising out of any injury to any person, or damage to property owned by me, or anyone else sustained in connection with, arising out of or resulting from my participation in the Adopt-A-Spot program. I release and hold harmless the Charter Township of Chesterfield, its employees, officials, representatives and agents from all liability from any claim, action, suit or charge arising out of injury or property damage to myself or others. I acknowledge and affirmly state that I have read this paragraph and am signing this document voluntarily and with full understanding of its contents.

Dated: _____

Signature: _____