

APPANOOSE COUNTY ENGINEER
1200 HWY 2 WEST
CENTERVILLE IA 52544
(641) 856-6193

Highway _____

SPONSOR:

Name of Sponsor (Organization, Group or Individual)

Mailing Address (Street, PO Box, City, State, Zip)

The area is located on Highway _____

beginning at _____

and ending at _____

for a total of _____ miles.

Approval is hereby requested to enter within the county highway right-of-way to perform the following described work:

_____ Litter removal	_____ Hand weeding
_____ Wildlife planting	_____ Landscaping
_____ Native prairie grass planting	_____ Seed Harvest
_____ Planting living snow fence	_____ Other (describe)

AGREEMENTS

1. Sponsor(s) agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Appanoose County Secondary Roads Department, the Appanoose County Engineer, Appanoose County, its officers and employees from all liability, judgment, costs, expenses and claims growing out of damages, or alleged damages, of any nature whatsoever to any person, property or third party arising out of the performance or non-performance of said work.
2. No vehicles, equipment or materials are to be parked or stored within thirty (30) feet from the near edge of the shoulder of the road, except during times of litter pickup when a vehicle may be allowed to be parked on the shoulder.
3. Right-of-way markers and land monuments shall not be removed, altered or damaged.
4. This permit shall be subject to any laws now in effect or any laws which may be hereafter enacted and all applicable rules and regulations of local, state and federal agencies.
5. The sponsor(s) shall carry on the work as required and authorized by this agreement with serious regard to the safety of the traveling public, adjacent property owners and volunteers or employees of the sponsor(s).
6. The Sponsor(s) acknowledge(s) that all personnel involved in this project are initiators and volunteers directed by the Sponsor(s) and the Sponsor(s) acknowledge(s) that they or their volunteers are in no way considered to be employees of Appanoose County or the Appanoose County Secondary Roads Department.

SPONSOR ADDITIONALLY AGREES TO THE FOLLOWING:

1. To conduct a minimum of two (2) litter pickups per year.
2. To provide adult supervision at the work site when volunteers or employees are 15 years of age or younger.
3. To obtain required supplies and materials as may be needed from the County to carry out this agreement, during regular business hours.
4. To place all trash bags used during collection of litter adjacent to the Adopt-A-Highway sign supports or at an agreed upon location for pickup and disposal by the Secondary Roads Department. If required, litter shall be separated according to local landfill regulations.

All seed harvested shall be planted either on other highway right-of-way or other public grounds as approved.

All unused materials and supplies furnished by the County shall be returned to the County Engineer's Office.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF SECONDARY ROADS DEPARTMENT

Erect a sign at each end of the adopted section with the Sponsor(s) name or acronym displayed. Supply temporary signs at predetermined pickup locations for sponsor(s) to set up in lieu of formally adopted sections of highway.

Provide reflective vests, trash bags and safety literature to Sponsor(s).

Remove trash bags used for litter pickup.

Assist in removal of litter under unusual circumstances such as when large or heavy or hazardous items are found.



The County reserves the right to terminate this agreement and remove sponsor's name signs when in the sole judgment of the County Engineer it is found that the Sponsor(s) has not met the terms and conditions of this agreement.

This Agreement shall remain in force from _____ until _____.

SIGNATURES

Applicant _____

By _____

Address _____

Recommended for Approval _____ date _____
County Engineer

Approved _____ date _____
Chairman, Board of Supervisors