

TIPS FOR CLEANEST CITY

LITTER SURVEY

Divide the community into sections and assign individuals and groups to canvass a certain area, taking pictures of litter accumulation and other spots to be improved. Enlist the aid of City Officials and/or adult and youth organizations in cleaning up these places. Particular attention might be given to improving your city entrances. Take "before" and "after" pictures to be used for publicity purposes and in your scrapbook.

SET UP A SPEAKER'S BUREAU

Make arrangements to address local adult and youth groups on the subject of litter prevention. Secure statistics from municipal and state officials on costs for cleaning up litter and on law enforcement practices - for your speakers.

CONDUCT A "LITTER WORKSHOP"

Cooperate with groups such as the Chamber of Commerce, civic and state clubs, women's clubs, scout organizations and other youth groups, and municipal officials in conducting workshops on the subject of litter prevention. As an entrance fee, ask each participant to bring a piece of litter that they found on the way to the meeting. Be sure the meeting results in broadened community action to prevent litter and to improve the area.

HOLD A CONTEST

Categories for the best poster, song, skit, jingle, or slogan - on Litter Prevention will receive special recognition. Arrange to display the winning posters in the windows of local business firms. Use the jingles, songs, and slogans in the local newspapers, radio stations, or on bank and realtor signs.

GOOD TURN DAY

After making appropriate arrangements, a group of citizens could spend a Saturday cleaning up and landscaping town monuments.