## THE RAPIDS REPORT



## **GREAT AMERICAN CLEAN UP DAY SUCCESS!**

Thank you to all of you who made this event a success! We, as an association with wet land areas, participated to not only clean up, but to help protect the wild life in those areas.

This nation-wide event is the nation's largest community improvement program that Fort Wayne has participated in for over 20 years.

A clean city, and in our case a clean neighborhood, makes a difference. We had 9 garbage bags full of trash that we collected from the wooded areas, front entrance, beside Lima Rd and in shrubbery.

This year 5,823 volunteers participated in cleaning up our City! They collected 189,000 pounds of litter and debris, and 1,500 illegally dumped tires were recycled. 1,639 areas of parks and public lands were cleaned, 36 miles of trails were cleaned and 24 miles of river banks were cleaned.

When we come together we can get a lot accomplished!





**3 FEET APART** WITHIN 5 FEET **OF CURB OR ALLEY** Where you put your cart matters. Correct placement helps with clean and timely collection Set garbage out no sooner than noon the day before your collection day and remove from curb by noon the following day Carts must be stored inside or on the side of your home 10 feet back from the front Branches for collection cannot be longer than 3-feet or larger than 3-inches in diameter Only 60 pounds of construction debris is accepted per week S ELECTRONIC ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED — NO TVS or COMPUTERS CITY OF FORT WAYNE Tom Henry Mayor

Remember Garbage cans are to be stored out of sight of your front driveway!

Trees and shrubs add so much beauty and curb appeal to a home. We encourage you to have at least 8 evergreens, trees or shrubs in the front of every home. According to the neighborhood Architectural Policy, you are to maintain your property to ensure the "beautification" of our neighborhood.

> ASSOCIATION PICNIC COMING SOON!

Association Board Meeting Tuesday, JULY 26 at 7:00 pm at Dupont Library There is advertising space available to residents who own or work for a business. For a small size space it is only \$50 annually for the newsletter and a business card space for when we have a directory printing. Contact us for your space today!

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\*Any fences, additions, decks, roof, etc., need to be sent for approval per the architectural control policy: (email <u>ROKCassociation@outlook.com</u> for the Architectural Request form). Contact us at least 2 weeks before construction to get any needs handled in a timely fashion.

Please let us know if there is any resident that is in violation of our policies.

The Rapids of Keefer Creek Community Association, Inc.

The minutes of the annual board meeting are on our website at www.rokchoa.org

## Board Members 2015-2016

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