

## **ADOPT-A-ROADWAY 2013 SPRING CLEAN UP A SUCCESS**



The Adopt-A-Roadway Program completed its annual Spring Clean Up on April 27, 2013. There were approximately 102 persons in attendance at the Community Building. Coffee and pastries were served; and safety vests, trash bags, paper pickers and T-shirts were given out the morning of the clean up.

The Mayor welcomed everyone Saturday morning. He addressed safety, reminded everyone to fill out and return the Pickup Report, explained how important it is to do this so the program can continue receiving the Litter Grant, described where this item can be found on the internet and mentioned who to notify if any supplies may be needed.

Unfortunately, we lost one our long-time Adopt-a-Roadway participants, Ms. Walsh, in November 2012. For over 20 years, Ms. Walsh had adopted Branders Bridge Road from the Boulevard to the city's limit and Franklin Avenue from Branders Bridge Road to Brame Avenue. Her husband, son, and daughter in-law will carry on the program in her name.

The Mayor thanked the Moose Lodge for their monetary donation of \$200.00, and thanked the participants that pick up litter from the City's streets throughout the year. He also thanked all in attendance for coming out so early in the morning to pick up litter.

The participants represented civic groups, churches, individuals and businesses. A collection of fifty 33-gallon trash bags of litter was disposed of in the day's activities.

Thanks so very much to everyone that takes pride in keeping our City beautiful!