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City of LaGrange to Partner with DASH for Monthly Litter Cleanup Saturday, May 7th

LaGrange, Ga. May 3, 2022 – The public is invited to join the City of LaGrange for its litter cleanup in the Hillside community, Saturday, May 3rd, 8:00-10:00 a.m. The group will meet in the Health Department parking lot, 900 Dallis Street.



2019 Litter Cleanup in the Hillside Community

This month the city is proud to partner with DASH. The public is invited to participate in these events to help in leaving LaGrange better than we found it.

City Manager Meg Kelsey began this litter clean-up campaign in April 2018 hoping to send a message to the community that the City of LaGrange is seriously about cleaning up the community and leading by example. The April 2018 event was so well-received with employees, citizens and elected leaders, the city began hosting monthly cleanups throughout the city. Since 2018, the city is proud to have partnered with many different community groups, businesses, schools, colleges and individuals in leaving LaGrange better than we found it. The slogan was inspired by the comments by City Councilman Nathan Gaskin who said in a city council meeting, “My mom also told me to leave things better than I found it.”

The city’s next scheduled monthly litter cleanups include:

- Saturday, May 7th, 8-10AM in the parking lot of the Health Department, 900 Dallis Street. The city is partnering with DASH and the LaGrange Fire Department.
- Saturday, June 4th, 8-10AM in the parking lot of Hometown Family Medicine, 1698 Vernon Road. The city is partnering with Hometown Family Medicine and the LaGrange Fire Department.

To participate in any of the city’s litter cleanups – just show up. We will provide all of the supplies.

For more information on partnering with the city for a future event contact Michael Coniglio at mconiglio@lagrangega.org (706) 883-2055.

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