

# Lake County Cleanup October 17-19, 2006



- ▶ 90 compacted cubic yards of trash (3 30-yd rolloffs)
- ▶ 40 cubic yards of metals
- ▶ 45 scrap tires
- ▶ Tuesday: 101 participants
- ▶ Wednesday: 25 participants
- ▶ Thursday: 10 participants

Estimated Direct Costs (does not include labor or supplies):

3 30-yd dumpsters @ \$780.00 each =	\$2,340.00
2 porta potties @ \$80 each =	\$160.00
4 refrigerators Freon removal @ 35 each =	\$140.00
Scrap tires disposal 45 @ \$2.00 each =	<u>\$90.00</u>
	\$2,730.00

Disposal and Freon removal paid for by the DNR, Adopt-a-Forest fund. Scrap tires will be disposed through a tire grant from the DEQ. Port-a-potties will be paid for with money returned from scrap metals. All other supplies and manpower were donated by agencies.

**Tuesday, October 17, 2006, 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.**

101 participants

*DNR*

5 employees: scouted sites, provided maps, beverages, cookies, trash bags, 2 trucks, hand tools, back-hoe and staging area and funding for dumpsters.

*USFS*

6 employees: scouted sites, provided 2 trucks and trailer, maps, tools, staging area for dumpster and garage as command post.

*MDOC*

3 supervisors, 7 work crew supervisors, 54 TRV inmates: provided labor, 6 vans, trailer, personal protective gear, tools, and first aid kits

*MDOT*

7 employees: provided 3 dump trucks, bags, tools and orange vests

Other Attendees:

*HAL*: 2 employees

*Idlewild/Yates Township*: 12 citizens

*Elk Township*: 4 citizens

*Lake County Star*: 1 staff reporter

**Wednesday, October 18, 2006, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

25 participants

*MDOC*

2 work crew supervisors, 14 TRV inmates

*MDNR*

2 employees w/ truck

*MDOT*

5 employees w/ two trucks

*USFS*

2 employees w/ truck

**Thursday, October 19, 2006, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

10 participants

*MDOC*

1 work crew supervisor, 7 TRV inmates

*MDOT*

2 employees w/ truck

Notes:

- All TRV inmates and supervisors have safety training and reviewed Adopt-a-Forest Safety procedures prior to the cleanup
- Ten townships were contacted ahead of time by telephone, fax and/or flyer advising we would be working in their area and extending an offer to participate.
- Twenty-three known volunteer groups were sent a flyer announcing the project and extending an offer to participate.
- Sarah Lapshan (HAL) sent a Media Advisory prior to the cleanup.
- Thirty-one sites were identified to be cleaned up ahead of time. Additional sites were found and removed while crews were in the field.