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**Volunteers & Sponsors Needed For
Victorville Community Cleanup Day in April**

The City of Victorville is again organizing a City-wide Community Cleanup Day in April. This spring's event will be held on Saturday, April 9.

The City is now seeking sponsors and volunteers for the event. Sponsors are listed on the event t-shirt worn by hundreds of volunteers. In addition, sponsors are listed on all fliers, posters, and advertisements for the event. Volunteers receive a free t-shirt and discount coupons for lunch at more than a dozen participating Victorville restaurants.

Businesses interested in sponsoring the event should contact the City of Victorville Environmental Programs Division at 760-955-3306. Individuals or groups interested in volunteering should fill out a volunteer registration/waiver form and send it back to the City of Victorville Environmental Programs Division by March 24 to receive a t-shirt. Registration forms are available on the City of Victorville website at www.victorvilleca.gov (Quick Link: Community Cleanup). Volunteers can also pick up registration/waiver forms at City Hall, 14343 Civic Dr. City Hall is open Monday through Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Individuals are encouraged to join with friends, family, and community groups to create teams to participate. The event is open to all High Desert residents. Businesses and community groups are also encouraged to create teams to participate.

The Victorville Community Cleanup Day is a semi-annual event, held each April and October. The first cleanup was held in October 2007. Since then, more than 9,800 volunteers have worked together to collect over 136 tons of litter from Victorville roadsides. Last October, more than 1,000 people volunteered, collecting 11 tons of litter from 33 different sites around the City. The goal for this April's event is to again recruit over 1,000 volunteers to help.

For more information on sponsorships, or to request a waiver by mail, prospective volunteers and sponsors should call the City of Victorville Community Services Department at 760-955-3306.

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