

Connecting Volunteers to Litter Cleanup Locations

TrashFreeTexas.org

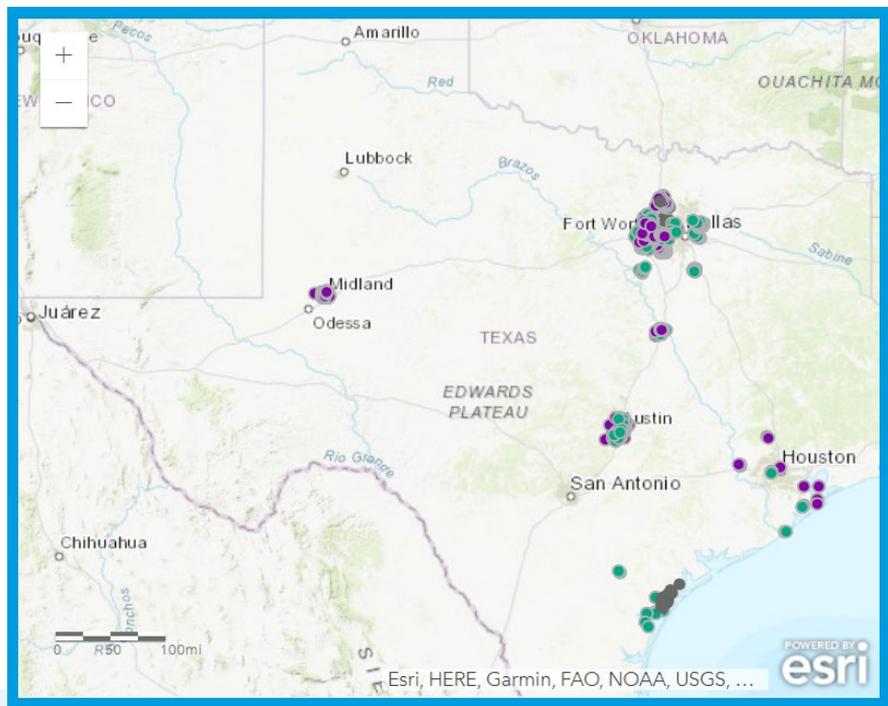


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Add your litter cleanup sites to the [Trash Free Texas Adopt-A-Spot Map!](#)



Trash Free Texas Layers

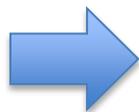
Adopt-a-Spot

Adoption Status

- Adopted
- Available
- Contact for Status



Why should I add my sites? (1 of 3)



Volunteers can easily view and select litter cleanup sites, and then reach out to site coordinators.

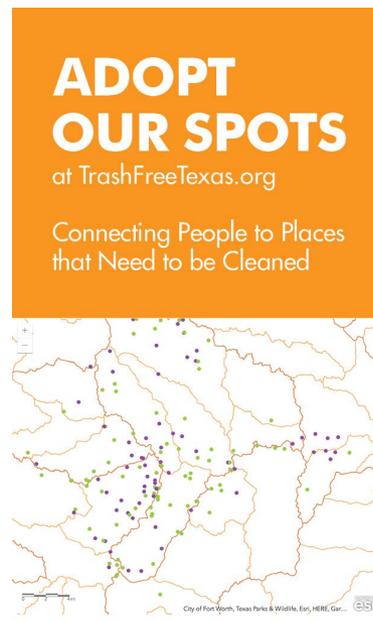


Site coordinators still maintain control over the management of their litter cleanup sites.



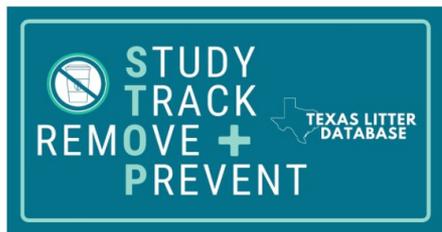
Why should I add my sites? (2 of 3)

Your entity receives “Proud Partner” and “Adopt Our Spots” graphics showing your support for a litter-free environment.

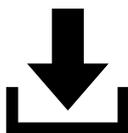




Why should I add my sites? (3 of 3)



Convenience of adopting a site and then entering cleanup data through the same website.



Free, downloadable resources for local governments and cleanup coordinators.



Over 1,100 sites already on map!

How do I add my sites?

5 Steps

Step 1: Go to www.TrashFreeTexas.org and click on Coordinator icon.



The Trash Free Texas "Adopt-a-Spot" site and Online Mapping Tool was created to foster a litter-free environment in Texas watershed and track trash removal activities. Adopt a site to do your part to keep litter out of our waterways.

BE A PART OF THE SOLUTION, BECOME A...



SUPPORTER



COORDINATOR



PARTNER



VOLUNTEER

Step 2: Fill out the [AAS Data Submittal Form](#) and upload your sites.



GET YOUR COMMUNITY ON THE MAP BY PROVIDING DATA FOR ADOPTABLE AND ADOPTED SITES IN TRASH FREE TEXAS

You maintain control over program management - we help connect you to the volunteers. Coordinators help collect information from all adopt-a programs and partners to provide public, real-time data on which sites have been adopted. This helps Trash Free Texas identify and connect volunteers with locations that need to be adopted.



Adopt-A-Spot Data Submittal Form

To add your adopt-a-spot, creek, river, etc. site(s) to the Trash Free Texas online interactive map, please fill out the form below. Trash Free Texas staff will review your submission to make sure all criteria are met and send confirmation after the sites are added to the map.

A step-by-step instructional video for submitting AAS sites can be found [here](#).

Slide credit: The Meadows Center for Water and the Environment, Texas State University.
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How do I add my sites? (cont.)

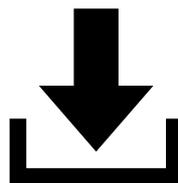
Step 3: Upload your logo to website. You are now a Trash Free Texas Partner!

Congrats! Now that your organization is contributing AAS sites you are official partners with the TFTx program. Please upload a logo below for our website.

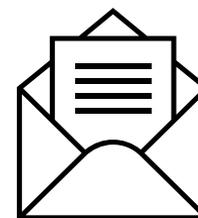
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Step 4: Download ready-to-use outreach resources from the [Trash Free Texas Partner page!](#)



Step 5: Trash Free Texas website administrators review sites and reach out to entity.



Brief How-To Video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z6zYVLd27W8&t=1s>

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