



# The Newsletter of Montgomery Clean City Commission

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**Keep America**  
**Beautiful**  
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## New Litter Initiative MCCC is Picking Up!!

Montgomery Clean City Commission is proud to announce the city of Montgomery's new litter initiative targeting problem areas on state right-of-ways beginning August 29.

City officials announced plans for a new initiative creating a four-person patrol to remove litter on highways and byways within Montgomery's city limits.

"Most of the routes comprise state right-of-ways, which typically remain under the state's authority to patrol," Montgomery Mayor Todd Strange said. "However, we worked with ALDOT to request partial authority to help the state patrol and pick up these problem areas for litter in our community. We are grateful to ALDOT for cutting through the red tape and allowing us to make Montgomery even more beautiful!" The crew has been working alternate routes due to a permit delay; official routes will begin on Monday, October 3.

Montgomery Clean City Commission will supervise the crew consisting of state inmates on work release contract from Red Eagle Work Center in Montgomery, who will pick up litter on five different routes Monday through Thursday each week, excluding state holidays and inclement weather.

Motorists are reminded to use caution when crews are present along the following routes:

- Route 1: Taylor Road at I-85 to Troy Highway; Troy Highway to the Eastern Blvd. and Eastern Blvd. to I-85;
- Route 2: I-65 at Northern Blvd. to the Eastern Blvd. and Atlanta Highway;
- Route 3: Atlanta Highway at I-85 to Madison Avenue;
- Route 4: I-65 at West South Blvd. to the West Blvd. and Birmingham Highway to Maxwell Blvd. at I-65;
- Alternative Route as time allows: I-65 at West South Blvd. to Troy Highway.

Equipped with white uniforms and safety vests and followed by two City of Montgomery vehicles along each route, the new routes complement the City's efforts already in place to pick up litter on neighborhood streets and roads.

## FREE PAPER SHREDDING/RECYCLING EVENT

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2016**

**7:00 AM UNTIL 1:00 PM**

**GARRETT COLISEUM SOUTH PARKING LOT**

**OUR PARTNERS:**

**MCCC, MAX CREDIT UNION, AARP ALABAMA, COUNCILMAN  
RICHARD BOLLINGER, WALMART STORE #938 AND  
GILMORE SERVICES**

**DONATIONS OF NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS TO BENEFIT THE  
MONTGOMERY AREA FOOD BANK  
GLADLY ACCEPTED**

**CALL (334) 625-2175 FOR MORE INFORMATION**

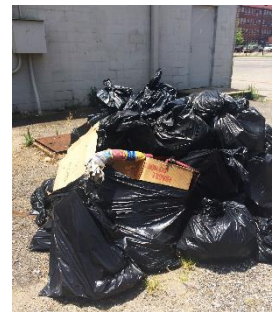


### MCCC's Summer Interns Help Get Things Done!

During the months of June and July MCCC was fortunate to have seven interns through the 2016 City of Montgomery Summer Jobs program. Young residents of Montgomery between the ages of 17 and 21 applied for jobs throughout the city system. Possible positions included Office Aid, Light Laborer, and Recreational Counselors.

MCCC was graced with some hard working young people who spent their days doing everything from painting to picking up litter to executing a tree inventory and helping with planting at the Lee High School project. The one young woman in the group spent her days in the office helping MCCC prepare for the educational programs planned for the 2016-2017 school year.

MCCC is grateful to have been able to get to know and work with these fine young citizens!



### Compassion 21 at Capitol Heights

On Thursday, July 7, adults and youth from Athens, Alabama, working with Compassion 21, and the summer interns of MCCC, painted inside and out of the Multipurpose Room of Capital Heights Middle School. These citizens are spending their summer working to make life better in many communities around the state.





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## The Talking Tree

Presented by  
Montgomery Clean City Commission



For Grades k – 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Presentations are FREE

Trees help keep the environment clean and green and so can *Montgomery's young citizens!* The Talking Tree will share with your students how they can help keep Montgomery clean & green. Once students get enthusiastic about taking care of their world, exciting things can happen. Let the Talking Trees share some knowledge and have some fun encouraging your students to Clean Up!



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MCCC offers  
Free Educational Programs  
To all public and private schools in  
Montgomery County.

The Talking Tree &  
Professor Environmental  
Saw over 6000 students  
Last year.  
But there are more to see!!!

Please  
Share this information with any  
elementary educators you know.

If you or family members have children  
In elementary school please share this  
with their teacher.

Thank you!  
*The Talking Tree*



MCCC will be doing  
Blue Planet Defenders  
With the 5<sup>th</sup> graders of  
Highland Avenue Elementary  
During the 2016-2017  
School year.

We will be partnering with  
Alabama Clean Water  
Partnership  
To engage these  
Eager Learners  
In how they can help  
Protect water and  
The rest of the planet!

Montgomery Clean City Commission  
Presents

## Professor Environmental

Litter:  
From the  
Local  
To the  
Global



For 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade  
Presentations are FREE

Litter is an environmental issue for Montgomery, for Alabama, and for the world. Let Professor Environmental talk to your students about how their everyday actions can keep Montgomery Clean and Green and benefit the planet. Topics covered will include litter, the impact of recycling and preventing non-point source pollution.



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