



Adopt a Bump-Out on Lakeshore Program

What is “Adopt a Bump-Out on Lakeshore Program”?

Adopt a Bump-Out on Lakeshore Program is a litter prevention and beautification program sponsored by the Public Services Department to attract public involvement in beautifying and picking up litter in the 7 “Bump-Outs” along Lakeshore Blvd, on the coast of Little Lake Harris. The objective is to keep the Town of Howey-in-the-Hills cleaner and greener by allowing the community to assume responsibility for sections of Bump-Outs along Lakeshore Dr.

Who can Adopt?

Any civic minded Howey-in-the-Hills individual resident or family can adopt a Bump-Out.

What are the Responsibilities of Adopting a Bump-Out?

By adopting one of the Town’s seven Bump-Outs a resident or family commits to keep a section of Town of Howey-in-the-Hills cleaner and greener. More specifically, the resident or family will:

- Commit to at least once a month remove litter, trim ground plants, and pick-up leaf and frond fall.
- Agree to a 1-year commitment.
- All individuals participating in the program will sign Release of Liability, and if necessary, Parental Consent forms in the form approved by the Town.
- The resident or family will also commit to not trimming any trees.

What are the Responsibilities of the Public Service Department?

By supporting the Adopt a Bump-Out on Lakeshore program, the Public Services Department will:

- Furnish and erect a sign that indicates the bump-out and the responsible resident or family.
- Manage the canopy (trim trees, etc.).
- Furnish large bags for waste or trimmings.
- Pick up filled bags on Mondays.

How Does a Resident or Family Adopt?

Any interest resident or family should contact the Town Clerk at Town Hall (101 N. Palm Ave, Howey-in-the-Hills, FL 34737; 352-324-2290).