MAINTENANCE PLANNING GUIDELINES

2006

ACTIVITY: Litter Pick-Up (R411)

ACTION: Litter Pick-Up

MAJOR & MINOR

DEFINITION: The time and expenses incurred for litter clean-up and disposal of rubbish, advertising signs, dead animals, etc. from the right of way. Also includes dumping fees. This includes time and expenses for the Adopt-A-Highway litter pick-up program.

PURPOSE: To improve the right-of-way appearance and safety through the removal of rubbish, dead animals, and advertising signs.

SCHEDULING: As needed.



RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT:

- Trucks
- Traffic Control Equipment; reference (See EPG 616.23 Traffic Control for Field Operations)

RECOMMENDED PROCEDURE:

- 1. Place traffic control devices, as needed.
- 2. Pick up litter, place in bags on shoulder.
- 3. Place large pieces of debris on the shoulder.
- 4. Put full trash bags and large debris into the truck.
- 5. When loaded, the trash is taken to the disposal site.
- 6. Remove traffic control devices.

RECOMMENDED MATERIAL:

• Litter Bags

SAFETY: Wear all appropriate PPE. Refer to the Safety Policies, Rules & Regulations – Employee Handbook.

OTHER CONSIDERATIONS: Be aware of hazardous material.

REFERENCES: EPG 824 Adopt-A-Highway Program.