



KEEP FREMONT BEAUTIFUL LITTER-ature

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ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER

REDUCE WASTE & SAVE RESOURCES BY GOING PAPERLESS!

Contact the Keep Fremont Beautiful office to go paperless and receive your newsletter electronically!



Thank You
SUPPORTERS!

– 2022 –
KFB PARTNERS ASSOCIATION

We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to the 2022 Keep Fremont Beautiful Partners Association members. Your generous contributions helped sustain our environmental education programming, litter prevention campaign, and collection events throughout the year. We thank you for joining us in our mission to improve waste handling practices and engage our community members in taking a greater responsibility for the local environment.

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has. – Margaret Mead

LIFETIME

Sue Reyzlik • Marilyn Gordon • Jim Manhart
Molly Rainey • Jon Gilfry • Nan Pollack

SUSTAINING

NE Dept. of Environment & Energy • City of Fremont
Dept. of Utilities • All Metals Market • Bakers/Kroger
First State Bank & Trust Co. • Pinnacle Bank
Methodist Health Systems • Jim & Patty Manhart
Fred & Dorothy McCoy • La Hacienda • Walmart

GREEN

Sawyer Car Wash • Don Peterson & Associates
Debby Durham • Yankee Peddler West Antiques, Arts & Books

COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT

Terry & Linda McClain • Dave & Karol Theophilus
Joanne Thietje • Getzschman Heating
Russell & Jetty Rabeler • BLT Plumbing, Heating & A/C, Inc

EDUCATION

Gringo's • Vance Plumbing & Heating
Tommy's Express Car Wash
Fremont Area Association of Retired School Personnel

ENVIRONMENTAL

Al & Joan Sawtelle • Mike & Jan Guilliat • Jan Jordan
Katie Roberts • Ludvigsen Mortuary
Thomas & Evelyn McKnight • Dr. Tom Waring
Ralph & Luann Knobbe • Erikson & Brooks
Sue Reyzlik • Ed & Sheri Wilberding

RECYCLING

Libby Vance • Margaret Arp • Bob & Pat Diers
Bixby Financial Services • H&R Block • Don & Deb McCord

LITTER-FREE

Karl & Annette Rasmussen • Arps Red-E-Mix • Dale Olson
Blue Nebraska Foundation • Wiechman Pig Co., Inc.
Herlinda Martinez • Jo & Gene Kassmeier • Rhoda Holstine
Paul Peterson • Darlene Kroeger • Stacy Gibney
Wiese Plumbing & Excavating, Inc.
American Family Insurance - Peter Jacobus

INDIVIDUAL

Leland Foreman • Steve Landholm • Fremont Kiwanis Club
Julie Sheridan • Marty Weber • Ann Knippelmeier
Eleanor Kubin • Norma Vance • Don & Jan Ortmeier
Gail & Nancy Nielsen • Eileen Thornburg • Vic's Photography
Sherie Ebers • Dr. Bob Roesch • Lloyd & Betty Brooks

MEMORIALS

Ray Clapper from Bob & Libby Vance
Michele Missel from Casey Vaughan
Charles Gordon from KFB Board of Directors

IN HONOR OF

Randy & Sue Reyzlik from John Laitner

IN-KIND PARTNERS

Fremont & Dodge County CVB • MainStreet of Fremont
Fremont Area United Way • Walnut Radio
Fremont Tribune • Max D Designs • Greens Florist
Shaw, Hull & Navarrette • Blue Nebraska
City of Fremont • Dept. of Utilities • Al Sawtelle
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All Metals Market, Inc. • Walmart • Keep Nebraska Beautiful
Nebraska Rural Water Association • Keene Memorial Library
Siffing Landscaping • Nebraska Extension Office in Dodge County
Lower Platte NRD • Natural Resources Conservation Services
Pheasants Forever • Fremont Police Dept. • Fremont Fire Dept.
Dodge County Sheriff's Office • Habitat for Humanity HomeStore
Dodge County REACT • S2 Refuse & Recycling • Nye Health Services



Our Mission: Keep Fremont Beautiful is a public education non-profit organization dedicated to improving waste handling practices and engaging our citizens in taking a greater responsibility for improving the community environment.

Mark Your Calendars!

Household Hazardous Waste Collection

Saturday, October 14th
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Christensen Field

Scrap Tire Collection

Saturday, November 11th
8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Christensen Field

NEW SCHEDULE FOR THE RECYCLING CENTER



**1st & 3rd Saturdays of each month
8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.**

Location: North of the Platte River Bridge
on S. Broad Street (HWY 77)

Accepted Items: Glass, Cardboard, and
Residential Tree Debris

**RESIDENTIAL
RECYCLING ONLY!**
Commercial recycling will not be
accepted at this site.

Recycle your Flimsy Plastics for FREE!



Recycle your unwanted shopping bags
and plastic wraps for free at our local
grocery stores! Drop bins are located at
Baker's, Hy-Vee, and Walmart.

- Plastic Items Accepted
- Shopping Bags
 - Shipping Bags & Bubble Wrap
 - Resealable Ziplock Bags
 - Dry Cleaning Bags
 - Cereal & Bread Bags
 - Outer Wraps (water bottles, paper towels,
toilet paper, etc.)
 - Dry Cleaning Bags
 - Cereal & Bread Bags

JOIN THE 2023 KFB PARTNERS ASSOCIATION!

You can help us keep Fremont clean, healthy, and beautiful for all to
enjoy by joining the 2023 Keep Fremont Beautiful Partners Association!



Name: _____ Business: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

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PARTNERSHIP LEVELS: (PLEASE SELECT ONE)

- Sustaining – \$500 Community Improvement – \$150 Environmental – \$100 Litter-Free – \$50
 Green – \$200 Education – \$125 Recycling – \$75 Individual – \$25

Please mail your completed form and donation to:

Keep Fremont Beautiful - 152 E. 6th St., Suite 105 • Fremont, NE 68025

You may also join online at www.KeepFremontBeautiful.org or simply scan the QR code!

Make checks payable to Keep Fremont Beautiful, Inc.

Keep Fremont Beautiful is a 501c3 non-profit organization. Your membership contribution is tax
deductible. A receipt for your donation will be sent to the mailing address provided.



Your financial support is sincerely appreciated!

2023 GRANT AWARDS

We are pleased to announce that Keep Fremont Beautiful has been
awarded \$165,388 in grant funding for 2023 through the Nebraska
Department of Environment and Energy! All three grant applications
submitted were awarded in full, meaning we will be able to accomplish more this year than we have in the
recent past. Through the Litter Reduction and Recycling Grant, KFB was awarded \$93,057. These funds
support a large portion of our operational expenses as well as our environmental education programming in
schools and throughout the Fremont community. We were awarded \$26,221 through the Waste Reduction
and Recycling Grant to host a household hazardous waste collection and \$46,110 to host a scrap tire
collection. We are thankful for our continued partnership with the Nebraska Department of Environment and
Energy and the opportunities provided to our community through the funding received!

NEBRASKA

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DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY

Our billboard message for this year is, "Give litter a lift!"

You can help reduce the amount of litter in our beautiful community by giving litter a lift! If you see it, pick it
up and throw it in the trash.

According to the 2020 Keep America Beautiful National Litter Study, if everyone in America picked up 152
pieces of litter at the same time, there would be no litter on the ground until someone littered again.

