

Cleanup Safety Reminders

- ✓ Know how many are in your group and account for them regularly.
- ✓ Plan ahead - find out as much as possible about the area prior to your cleanup day.
- ✓ Wear work gloves and sturdy boots/shoes when needed.
- ✓ Always watch where you step. Be careful of broken glass, debris and uneven terrain.
- ✓ Carry drinking water for your group with you.
- ✓ Be certain you and your group have a well-supplied first aid kit for minor cuts and insect bites.
- ✓ Know what to do in the event of an emergency.
- ✓ Remember that everyone should stay with the group and not wander.
- ✓ Be careful of the sun. Wear a hat, sunglasses and carry sunscreen to prevent burning.
- ✓ Always wear your life jacket and have members of your group wear life jackets when on a boat.
- ✓ If uncertain about an individual's swimming ability, ask that they wear a life jacket when walking along the shoreline during your cleanup effort.
- ✓ Keep all litter collected in the garbage bags provided.
- ✓ Notify the Corps of Engineers of items found that are too big or hazardous for you and your group to remove.

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