SHELDON MARKETING COMMITTEE

April 4, 2018

As part of the ongoing effort to clean-up Sheldon and showcase our community, the Sheldon Marketing Committee would like to encourage and invite ALL Sheldon residents, service groups, clubs and organizations to participate in Sheldon's 13th ANNUAL Community Clean-Up Day on THURSDAY, May 10 from 1pm-3pm.

The following are a list of "Adopt-a-Projects" that we hope, with YOUR help, can be completed in order to get Sheldon looking it's very best as we head into another busy summer!

- Spring cleaning (outdoors) and landscaping help at Prairie Arts Center. (A GREAT project for a business or GROUP to adopt!!);
- Trash pick-up on the entrance / exit ramps of Hwy. 60;
- Trim the bushes and trees at City Park.
- Adopt a berm at City Park (weeding, trimming, etc. for the summer!).
- Redo planter at Hills Park (new plants) and/or adopt that planter for the summer.
- Trash pick-up at Thorman Park.
- Planting flowers in the planters at Thorman Park.
- Trash pick-up along the railroad tracks around Hills Park.

The Sheldon Marketing Committee will gladly supply refreshments for all volunteers at the end of the clean-up event! Last May, we were fortunate to have student volunteers from the Sheldon Middle School as well as Sheldon Christian School join Community Clean-Up Day at the parks. We are VERY pleased to again have Sheldon Middle School students joining in the clean-up efforts and we thank them for their enthusiasm and willingness to participate!

To make this event a success and really make a "clean sweep" of Sheldon – WE NEED YOUR HELP! Please plan to participate in Community Clean-Up day on THURSDAY, May 10 from 1pm-3pm. You may choose to participate at either City Park or Hills Park. If you, your business, or your club/organization would be willing to adopt a specific project, please contact the SCDC office at 324-2813 as soon as possible! A complete listing of all Adopt-A-Projects can be obtained at the SCDC office. We certainly encourage businesses and their employees to cleanup around their place of business as part of this effort as well!!

Sheldon will, again this year, host several exciting summer events. From **RISEFEST** to the **Relay for Life**, the **Village Northwest's 3rd of July festival** and **Celebration Days** – there are many fantastic opportunities for us to put Sheldon's best foot forward! Together, as a community, we CAN make this – along with many other exciting things happen and show the many summer visitors to Sheldon that we DO take great pride in our community!

Thank you & we'll look forward to seeing you on May 10 from 1pm-3pm at either City Park or Hills Park for Community Clean-Up day!!

Heidi Brown Sheldon Marketing Committee Chair.

Community Clean Up Day- May 10 1:00-3:00 p.m. Adopt-A-Project List

City Park

<u>Pick up Trash</u>

- Trash pick-up around the ball diamonds & in the surrounding fence lines
- Trash pick-up at Playground Paradise
- Trash pick-up at Skate Park

<u>Plantings</u>

- Horse Shoe at City Park
- Roses at City park
- Adopt a berm at City Park (weeding, trimming, etc. for the summer!).
- Trim bushes & trees

Hills Park - Clean Shelter House, Trash pick-up, Pick-up sticks.

• Planter around the sign?

<u>Sheldon Sports Complex</u> Trash pick-up along the fences (ditch across from Hy-Vee) <u>Sheldon Middle School &</u> <u>Marketing Committee volunteers</u>.

<u>Thorman Park</u>

- Planting flowers ongoing watering of plants Weeding & trimming of the berm
- Trash pick-up at Thorman Park.

<u>Prairie Arts Center</u> Clean up yard, pull weeds, trim bushes, plant flowers.

Museum

Plantings

Depot-

• Planting petunias (provided by the Marketing Committee) in the flower boxes.

Downtown

- Trash pickup
- Weeding and clean-up of Downtown Park

Other projects

- Trash pick-up along Hwy.18 and 2nd Avenue (0ld Hwy. 60)
- Trash pick-up in the ditches surrounding the Sheldon Crossroads
- Trash pick-up on expressway ramps.
- Trash pick-up along railroad tracks to Hills Park.
- Groups listed in red indicate that group has already agreed to ADOPT THAT PROJECT!