

What is it? It is a utility trailer filled with a variety of tools and equipment to use during neighborhood cleanups.

It is available free of charge to neighborhood groups and other organizations performing organized cleanup efforts in a specific area.

What's inside? A push mower, chainsaw, pole saw, fuel, pruning equipment, wheel barrows, shovels, rakes, brooms, trash bags, toters, litter pickers, and many other things.

How do I get it? Call Steve Lane at 431-2273 to reserve your date.

If your project is on a Saturday we usually deliver the trailer on Friday. We park it at a visible and secure location where your cleanup is held (usually in front of someone's house)

We give the keys to a responsible person in the group.

The trailer is picked up the following Monday morning.

Dumpster Use For large clean-ups the City can provide a dumpster at no cost.

We will deliver it prior to your event.

It must be staged in a location where in front of a responsible person's house. We've had issues of abuse in the past leaving it in parks and on parking lots.

Items that cannot be placed in dumpster:

Tires

Construction debris (shingles, drywall, etc.)

Paint – empty cans are OK, but all paint must be dry inside. We will not take paint, it should be disposed of at the annual pick up

Brush or yard waste

Appliances

Car parts, old power equipment, mowers

Good rule – If you can't put it in your toter, it can't be put in the dumpster

If you clear brush...

It must be placed in a toter with yard waste sticker

Or cut into sections 4' in length and stacked between the sidewalk and curb.

Don't stack brush underneath trees, wires, or other overhead obstacles – our truck cannot reach it.

Organizing a Neighborhood Cleanup

City of Danville Special Services Division



1. Decide on a date.
 - a. Have an alternate date ready in case of rain.
 - b. Check community calendar – DAVCB is good resource.
 - c. Set starting and ending times.
 - d. Saturday mornings are best.
2. Have a clear idea of what you want to accomplish.
 - a. Make a list and prioritize it.
 - b. Have more work available than you can finish.
3. Call and reserve the Pride Grows trailer if you need it.
 - a. Call Steve Lane 431-2273
4. Notify City if you will have brush or large amount of debris to dispose of.
 - a. Call Steve Lane 431-2273
 - b. Or Call Public Works 431-2288
5. Get the word out to your neighborhood
 - a. Phone calls
 - b. Flyers or signs
6. Have volunteers bring tools
7. Get kids involved – have things that they can do.
8. Have someone in charge of water or other refreshments / snacks.
9. After your cleanup, make notes about what was accomplished and what was not. Were there any problems or things that could have been improved upon?