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## **City Seeking Volunteers for Community Clean Up**

Harrisonburg, Va. – The city of Harrisonburg has opened registration for Blacks Run and Downtown Clean Up Day and is looking for volunteers who would like to make a difference in their community.

"Trash accumulates in Blacks Run throughout the year and this is a chance for everyone to work together to clean up their environment," says Wes Runion, environmental specialist with the Public Works Department. Last year, 600 volunteers picked up more than 4 tons of refuse during the event.

Blacks Run and Downtown Clean Up Day is taking place the morning of Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>. In addition to the cleanup, there will be an opportunity to visit displays from different environmental organizations at the Green Scene, and a chance to win prizes in the #BRCD2019 social media competition.

Registration for Blacks Run and Downtown Clean Up Day is now available by visiting <u>www.cleanstream.org</u> or the <u>Facebook Event</u>.

The event would not be possible without the Zane Showker Harrisonburg Greenway Fund which supports the cleanup and beautification of Blacks Run.

*The City of Harrisonburg* is centrally located in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. It is home to almost 55,000 people. More information about the City of Harrisonburg is online at <u>www.HarrisonburgVA.gov</u>.



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