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I was tasked with writing this to Fosters Letter to the Editor. I also thought perhaps you could add this to one of your meetings at public forum or at end of council (although many shut it off by then!).

Thanks.

Don't Trash Dover

I want to give many thanks to Deborah Clough of "Don't Trash Dover" and the volunteers who are leading Dover in the fight against litter. Thanks to them, I have also been cleaning around my area for the past few years. If we all look around and pick up litter (even a small plastic shopping bag will do), we will make Dover the best city it can be and rid it of the trash blight. If there is a place you would like to adopt, as I have and keep it clean on a regular basis, that would be wonderful.

There is a huge city-wide cleanup scheduled for April 25th at 9:15am by each ward. Please go onto the "Don't Trash Dover" site on Facebook to see the ward locations. In the meantime, we can all do our part to clean up, so that the volunteers don't have all the burden on them. Look around your yard to your neighbor's yard. If you see litter, please pick it up. If you have a business in Dover, you can help so much by instituting an employee Power of an Hour. Even a few minutes of your time will help in our fight against littering. Please don't throw anything out of your vehicle. Keep bags handy and dispose of at your proper receptacle.

If we all pitch in, we are hoping the volunteers have nothing to clean up! Wouldn't that be great! Every day we want the city to be cleaner than the day before so we can proud of where we live. Thank you to D.T.D. for all they do and inspiring myself and many others to not just wait for the monthly clean up, but to do it when they see it. Please join us in the fight against litter. Thank you in advance for your help.

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