

Don't Trash Our Garden State

Show your Jersey Pride by helping to keep our interstates and roadways clean.

- Do not throw trash out of your vehicle window. Keep a small trash bag in your car and dispose of it properly at your destination.
- Make sure your yard is clean and free of debris that can blow into the street and become litter.
- Make sure garbage and recycling bags are tied securely so that items can't fall out and become litter.
- Store trash bags in a proper receptacles to prevent wildlife from tearing them open.
- Securely tarp your truck to prevent contents from falling out while driving.
- When you visit a park or beach, take out what you bring in. Keep trash in a bag until you can dispose of it properly.
- Recycle! Talk to your family and friends about recycling to reduce the amount of waste you throw away.
- Educate children about the importance of disposing of trash properly.
- Promote and volunteer for community cleanup events.
- Properly dispose of bulky household waste items by taking them to your local waste recycling center or by calling the city's bulky waste collection line.
- Report illegal dumping using the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection's emergency hotline number 1-877-WARNDEP (1-877-927-6337).

