

## Picklers “Trash” Hwy. 101

On Saturday, January 5, 13 hardy and community-minded picklers embarked upon the first Adopt-A-Highway litter patrol. The weather cooperated and the orange vests reflected brightly in the sunlight! Four teams spruced up four miles, on both sides of 101 from Dryke to Shore, removing 56 bags of trash, and an additional plethora of items from hubcaps to wading pools to gas cans that wouldn't fit in the trash bags. As a group, more than 52 hours were dedicated to beautifying our community.

Following the stellar effort, the teams met at Applebee's. If you see him, thank GM Dustin for giving us a 10% discount. And, thanks to the following SP volunteers:

Richard Bemm  
Mary Helen Benapfl  
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Our next effort will be in April, and following completion of our second patrol WDOT will place signs acknowledging that Sequim Picklers have “adopted” this section of 101 between PA and Sequim. If you are interested in joining the volunteer team, let us know at [sequimpicklers@gmail.com](mailto:sequimpicklers@gmail.com).