## Volunteers needed to pick up trash along Mill Creek

Saturday, March 23, 9 AM to Noon at three sites along Mill Creek

LOUISVILLE, KY— Celebrate World Water Day by helping make our waterways safe and clean! Join others at one of three locations across the Mill Creek watershed as we work together to achieve safe, clean waterways for our community.

Volunteers will receive trash bags, gloves, a sanitizing station, trash grabbers, and a **free commemorative t-shirt!** Drop in between 9 AM and Noon and stay as much or as little time as you would like. The cleanup is an opportunity to make a big impact and remove hundreds of pounds of trash from the waterway in a single day!

## Join us anytime between 9 AM and Noon at one of these three locations:

Sun Valley ParkSylvania ParkWatterson Lake Park6616 Ashby Lane6650 Sylvania Road1714 S. Wheatmore Drive

MSD is hosting these events in partnership with the Kentucky Waterways Alliance, Louisville Parks and Recreation, and ORSANCO.

## **Background**

When it rains or snows, the precipitation lands on impervious surfaces, such as roofs and pavement—collecting toxins, pollutants, and sediments as it makes its way to the creek. "Everyone benefits when we work together by picking up trash in and around the area, reducing pollution in our waterways," states MS4 Program Administrator Colette Easter.

This event is part of MSD's Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System outreach efforts. For more information, please visit <u>LouisvilleMSD.org/WaterQuality</u>.