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# Ross – Pickaway – Highland - Fayette Solid Waste District 2021 Billboard Contest

## Contest Overview:

The Ross, Pickaway, Highland and Fayette (RPHF) Solid Waste District is holding a creative drawing billboard contest for all 5<sup>th</sup> graders in the four-county district. The winning billboards (one per county) will be displayed in April 2021, in observance of Earth Day (April 22, 2021).

## Contest Rules:

- Only 5<sup>th</sup> grade students in Ross, Pickaway, Highland and Fayette Counties can participate.
- Must use drawing template provided.
- Drawing template must be printed on **legal size paper (8.5x14)**.
- Must complete all other criteria listed in directions sheet.
- Must meet deadlines.
- Failure to meet deadlines will result in disqualification.

## Directions for Students:

Design a billboard that will remind people in your county to be Earth friendly.

- Use topics related to the 3R's (reduce, reuse and/or recycle) and/or litter prevention.
- Keep all artwork in the box provided.
- Keep your design simple. People will need to read the board as they are driving by in their car.
- Use markers, crayons, or colored pencils.
- Do not use glue or tape.
- No computer designs will be accepted.
- Entries with spelling errors will be disqualified.
- Do not use cartoon characters (Ex. Mickey Mouse.)
- Design is up to you if it includes a recycling message.
- The design submitted will become property of the RPHF Solid Waste District.



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**Prizes:**

- Billboard displayed in the winner's county
- A trophy for the student
- An article in the local newspaper
- Gift card for each winner
- Gift card for each winner's classroom teacher

**Deadlines:**

- Teachers must turn in all entries to the Education Outreach Specialist by **February 12<sup>th</sup>**. Please make collection arrangements with your local Outreach Specialist.

**Education Outreach Specialists Contact Info:**

Ross County: Judi Mannion [judimannion@rosscountyohio.gov](mailto:judimannion@rosscountyohio.gov) - 740-772-5326

Pickaway County: Lauren Grooms [lgrooms@pickaway.org](mailto:lgrooms@pickaway.org) - 740-420-5452

Highland County: Tara Campbell [tcampbell@hccao.org](mailto:tcampbell@hccao.org) - 937-393-3458

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