



Safety Reminders for Waterway Cleanups



DOs DON'Ts



DO use sunscreen, wear a hat, and stay hydrated to fight the SC heat!



DON'T drink alcoholic beverages before or during a cleanup.



DO dress for the weather and wear proper shoes.



DON'T try to handle hazardous litter such as discarded syringes, weapons, car batteries, etc.



DO carry a cell phone in case of an emergency.



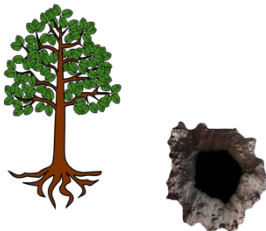
DON'T touch a bucket used as a privy or toilets at camp sites!



DO look before you step, reach or grab. Watch out for ticks, bugs, and poisonous plants in the area.



DON'T bring knives, machetes or other such tools that could cause accidental injuries.



DO be on the lookout for holes, briars, or tree trunks on the ground.



DON'T touch or mess with animals in their habitat! Be alert and respectful of wildlife surrounding the area.



DO wear a life jacket while in boats and a safety vest while working near roads.



DON'T engage in horseplay.



DO be very careful handling broken glass and other sharp objects.



DON'T try to compress trash into the bags, as sharp objects could cause injury. Aim for a bag to be 2/3 full.

If a group member experiences an injury, needs medical attention, or encounters something hazardous, immediately call 911, or if less serious, contact KMB at (803) 733-1139 or programs@kmb.org.