



Join Almanor Basin Neighbors for Cleanup Day Sept. 16, 2017

What is the Great Sierra River Cleanup?

The Great Sierra River Cleanup is the premier volunteer event focused on removing trash and restoring the health of waterways throughout the Sierra Nevada/Cascades Region. This cleanup is an annual event coordinated by the Sierra Nevada Conservancy and held in conjunction with California Coastal Cleanup Day.

Why is it important?

The Great Sierra River Cleanup is about much more than picking up trash. It's a day for Sierra communities – and those from all over California – to demonstrate their desire for clean

water and healthy rivers. It's an opportunity to learn about California's water source and it's a time to come together with your families, your neighbors, your community, and your friends to accomplish something vital and worthy on behalf of our great Sierra rivers.

Volunteers Wanted: Communities up and down the Sierra Nevada Mountain Range have volunteer coordinators to spearhead their areas clean up day. This year a consortium of local groups and agencies are sponsoring and coordinating the 2017 Great Sierra River Cleanup in the Almanor Basin:

Chester Elementary-Middle School and Plumas Charter School/ Lake Almanor Watershed Group/ Almanor Recreation and Park District/Feather River Land Trust/ Mountain Meadows Conservancy/ Caribou Alliance for Trails/The Sierra Nevada Conservancy/ and Collins Co.

Who, What, Where, When: Date: Saturday, September 16th, 2017 Time: 9:AM - 12:PM

Meet at: **Visitor's Center in Westwood** (near the corner of Third and Ash Streets, by the railroad tracks) where you will receive supplies and sign a liability release ; Bring: Work Gloves, Water Bottle, Sun hat, and come prepared for work.

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Past Sierra River Clean-up success: Over two days, 98 volunteers cleaned up over 4,000 lbs of garbage and recycling from local waterways , we scoured 10 sites!

