

**From:** Oxfordshire County Council  
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**Subject:** Spruce up your signs!

**With the weather (hopefully!) looking brighter, now is the perfect time for road sign cleaning!**

**Let us help!**



Over time dirt, moss or algae can build up on road signs making them unsightly or even obscured.

Working on unclassified roads up to 30mph (and some B roads up to 30mph where there is a pavement) cleaning road signs not only improves the appearance of the Parish but prevents signs from becoming illegible to motorists.

Encouraging residents to take part can turn sign cleaning into an event that strengthens relationships and builds a sense of empowerment throughout the community.

**Do you have residents who could help clean your signs?**

**Can you identify a resident to lead on the project?**

**Is there a neighbouring Parish you can join forces with?**

**How we can help...**



We have a limited number of kits available to loan. Kits include;  
Water container / backpack with sprayer  
3m Telescopic Brush with bristle brush, sponge and squeegee head fittings  
2 x sponges

You could team up with a neighbouring Parish to pass the kit on to them once your signs are sparkling!

**We can also support with;**

Posters for you to print for your community noticeboards

An example social media post for you to share with your residents

Information to add to your Parish website

Help coordinate the volunteers once identified

Help setting a date

How to Guide can be found at [Oxfordshire Together guidance | Oxfordshire County Council](#)

**Can you identify a resident to lead on the project?**

If so, ask them to contact us and we can help them organise whilst keeping you informed.

**NEXT STEPS**

Send us an email or give us a call!

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