

The 2019 Cass River "Clean-Up" event is scheduled for Saturday, September 21<sup>st</sup>, which is "National Clean-Up Day. Partnering communities are Ellington Township and the Village of Cass City.

Kappen Tree Service located at 2675 Hurds Corner Road, Cass City will be our kick-off site again this year, and if we have enough volunteers, we plan to clean between 4 and 5 river miles moving West toward Caro.

Registration begins at 8:00 am and the project generally is completed around Noon. Volunteers must be able to physically able to traverse safely through water and uneven rocky surfaces. Please wear clothing that can get wet and soiled, and waders or shoes that won't slip or fall off (no flip flops). If you have a life vest we encourage you to bring it along. Volunteers under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or have written parental permission to participate.

Light refreshments will be available during Registration. A Safety Orientation will be held at 8:30 after which volunteers will move to River entry sites. Canoes, gloves, clean-up materials, and water will be provided and volunteers will receive a 2019 Cass River "Clean-Up" t-shirt while supplies last.

Should you have any questions, please contact Gene Suuppi at 989-325-1548 or Nancy Barrios at 810-358-5755. Information is also available on the Cass River Greenway site www.cassriver.org.