Review these safety items with volunteers prior to the start of your clean-up.

- Watch for cars and other vehicles.
- Obey traffic regulations. Cross streets at intersections.
- Ensure minors are supervised by adults at all times.
- Work in pairs.
- Wear sturdy gloves.
- Wear a high-visibility safety vest or other bright clothing at all times.
- Wear suitable footwear. Work boots are preferred. No sandals.
- Dress appropriately for the weather. Avoid restrictive clothing.
- Avoid using headphones.
- Never reach into any area that you cannot see into clearly, like bushes, ivy or ground cover.
- **NEEDLES: DO NOT PICK UP NEEDLES UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.** Leave the needle where it is and report the location to the Needle Hotline at 604-657-6561.
- **BROKEN GLASS: DO NOT PLACE BROKEN GLASS OR OTHER SHARP OBJECTS INTO THE GARBAGE BAGS.** This is a safety hazard for those who handle the bags.
- **USED CONDOMS:** WHILE WEARING GLOVES (LATEX OR RUBBER) PICK UP THE CONDOM WITH TONGS AND PLACE IN GARBAGE BAG. If you do not have tongs, report the location of the condom to your block captain/team lead.
- **HAZARDOUS MATERIALS:** DO NOT HANDLE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS. REPORT HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TO THE CITY OF VANCOUVER BY CALLING 311 OR USE THE VANCONNECT APP (examples include but not limited to: medical waste, liquid waste, flammables, explosives, chemicals, waste oil, drywall, demolition materials, dead animals, excrement, asbestos, oil stoves)
- **LARGE OR HEAVY ITEMS:** DO NOT HANDLE OR ATTEMPT TO LIFT LARGE OR HEAVY ITEMS. REPORT ALL ABANDONED LARGE ITEMS TO THE CITY OF VANCOUVER BY CALLING 311 OR USE THE VANCONNECT APP.
- Wash your hands after the cleanup.

## CONTACT NUMBERS

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