



**KEEP JACKSON BEAUTIFUL'S
GREAT AMERICAN CLEANUP
March 1st through May 31st**

Keep Jackson Beautiful is the local, certified affiliate of Keep America Beautiful. Our mission is to instill in our citizens a cleanliness ethic that eliminates littering, encourages recycling, protects the future of our urban forests and beautifies public spaces. *KJB* volunteers will improve the quality of life in Mississippi's Capital City as they clean up litter-strewn areas and fix up and beautify eyesores during the annual Keep America Beautiful "Great American Cleanup".

During the months of March 1 - May 31, 2009, the Great American Cleanup is the nation's largest organized anti-litter and recycling campaign. This event involves several thousand volunteers in the Jackson area each year. Waste Management of MS and the City of Jackson departments will be out in full force to assist neighborhoods as we all work together to clean up our city.

Keep Jackson Beautiful works with neighborhood associations, schools, churches, youth groups, service groups or anyone who wants to organize any kind of cleanup project. These volunteer efforts will qualify all students who participate for their required community service hours. Those who wish to participate in the Great American Cleanup should call the *KJB* office at 601-366-4842 or email us at keepjack@bellsouth.net. **Trash bags will be provided** to all qualifying groups, and cleanups can be organized any time through the end of May.

Remember, one person can make a difference and YOU are the key to keeping Jackson beautiful!