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Thank you to the Memphis Safe Task Force and National Guard!

Registration now open for Greatest American Cleanup in Arkansas from March through May to celebrate America’s 250th birthday

From The Outdoor Wire

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. - Registration is now open for the Greatest American Cleanup in Arkansas, a statewide effort inviting communities, organizations and individuals to help clean and beautify The Natural State from March through May.

Led by Keep Arkansas Beautiful, the Greatest American Cleanup in Arkansas is part of a national initiative focused on litter prevention, waste reduction and community pride. This year's cleanup season also aligns with the celebration of America's 250th birthday, offering Arkansans a meaningful way to honor the nation's history by caring for the places that shape its future.

As communities across Arkansas prepare for America 250 commemorations, the Greatest American Cleanup encourages residents to take action close to home, improving public spaces, parks, roadways and waterways that reflect local heritage and shared responsibility.

"Caring for our communities is a timeless American tradition," said McKenzie McMath McCornel. "As we look ahead to America's 250th birthday, this cleanup is a chance for Arkansans to cele-



brate by leaving our state cleaner, healthier and stronger for the next 250 years." Cleanup events may be held anytime between March and May. Registration is free and open to schools, civic groups, businesses, nonprofits and individuals. Participants can register cleanup events, track volunteer impact, and access resources to support local efforts. Supplies and support materials may be available while quantities last.

To register a cleanup or learn more about the Greatest American Cleanup in Arkansas, visit <https://keeparkansasbeautiful.com/get-involved/event-registration/>

Keep Arkansas Beautiful

The Keep Arkansas Beautiful Commission (KAB) is a part of Arkansas State Parks, a division of the Arkansas Department of

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Arkansas State Parks

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Arkansas Department of Parks, Heritage and Tourism

The Arkansas Department of Parks, Heritage and Tourism protects and promotes our state's natural, cultural and historic assets, contributing to a thriving economy and high quality of life. It is made up of three divisions: Arkansas State Parks, Arkansas Heritage and Arkansas Tourism.

A Memphis Safe Task Force Report

MEMPHIS SAFE TASK MOST WANTED: UP TO \$3,500 REWARD OFFERED FOR INFO LEADING TO ARREST of MURDER SUSPECT

MEMPHIS, Tenn., February 10, 2026 – The Memphis Safe Task Force is seeking the public's help and offering a reward of up to \$3,500 for information leading to the arrest of a man accused of a deadly 2024 shooting in Memphis.

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Travious Fox, 35, was identified as a suspect by Memphis police officers investigating a shooting in the 5800 block of Ridgehill Drive Sept. 11, 2024. Officers found a man suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. He was taken to Regional One Health but succumbed to his wounds and died at the hospital.

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He was taken to Regional One Health but succumbed to his wounds and died at the hospital. MPD detectives obtained a warrant for his arrest charging him with second-degree murder.

Fox stands 5 feet 10 inches tall and weighs approximately 165 pounds. He has black hair and brown eyes. He should be considered armed and dangerous.

Anyone with information as to his whereabouts is encouraged to submit it via the USMS Tips app. Launched in September 2025, the Memphis Safe Task Force is a multi-agency initiative to combat violent crime in Memphis. Composed of federal, state, and local law enforcement, as well as the Tennessee National Guard, the task force is focused on ar-

Have you seen this man?
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resting violent criminals, clearing warrants, seizing firearms, and locating missing children. Since the operation began, the MSTF has located 148 missing children.

This operation reflects the Memphis Safe Task Force's commitment to coordinated enforcement efforts and its mission to identify, apprehend, and hold accountable those who pose a threat to public safety.

The 'E' in DEI is for Equity, a Marxist Term. Research before you believe.

-A commentary from The Mid-South Tribune-

NSSF launches President Trump’s strategic initiative Make America Beautiful Again (MABA) 250

NSSF, the Firearm Industry Trade Association, applauds the launch of President Donald Trump's strategic initiative Make America Beautiful Again (MABA) 250 launched by the MABA commission and chaired by Interior Secretary Doug Bursum. The initiative sets the framework to increase hunting and public land access, which has been a pillar of NSSF's focus for the federal government to ensure gun owners have access for outdoor recreation.

"NSSF has been laser-focused on working with the Department of the Interior to make public lands accessible for hunters and recreational shooters and emphasizing sustainable wildlife conservation goals for both current and future generations of outdoorsmen and women," said Lawrence G. Keane, NSSF's Senior Vice President & General Counsel. "This commission, building on President Trump's

Make American Beautiful Again Commission Executive Order, is an opportunity to celebrate the conservation riches that have been achieved as America reaches its 250th birthday and resolve ourselves to ensuring that the North American Model of Wildlife Conservation remains the envy of the world."

The MABA 250 commission's strategy maps out the plan for the Department of the Interior, along with the Department of Agriculture, to expand and improve public access for outdoor recreation on public lands and waters. It also includes slashing bureaucratic barriers that have hampered conservation and restoration work that impede on the ability for hunters and recreational marksmen to participate in their pastimes.

The MABA 250 commission will build on the gains ushered in by

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