

India Basin Coastal Cleanup Day 2019 Event Information

Thank you for volunteering with San Francisco Baykeeper! We are excited to host a shoreline cleanup alongside hundreds of other groups across the state for Coastal Cleanup Day on Saturday, September 21st.

Since 1989, [San Francisco Baykeeper](#) has been defending the Bay from the biggest threats and holding polluters accountable. We use science, law, advocacy, and boat patrols to investigate pollution and stop problems at the source. And we've been winning effective solutions that have measurably helped the Bay for over 30 years! To create a healthy, vibrant San Francisco Bay, Baykeeper depends on volunteers like yourself not only to clean our valuable shorelines, but to apply your enthusiastic stewardship to your daily lives.

Every year, millions of tons of trash enter the Bay. Baykeeper's lawyers and scientists work year-round to stop trash from reaching the Bay in the first place. We also depend on volunteers to help clean up the trash that's already polluting the shoreline so that it doesn't harm the Bay's wildlife. Through your dedication to our natural resources, we can help protect the Bay from trash pollution.

[Please review this map of the area](#)

Cleanup Location: [India Basin Shoreline Park, Hunters Point Blvd & Hawes St, San Francisco, CA 94124](#)

Meeting point: Baykeeper tent at the end of Hawes St

Parking: Available along Hawes St, Hudson Ave, and Innes Ave

Date: Saturday, September 21, 2019

Time: 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 pm

What to bring:

- Old clothing that you don't mind getting dirty + an extra layer
- Sturdy shoes that can get wet and muddy
- Hat and sunglasses
- Sunscreen
- Water Bottle/Reusable cups
- Snacks or lunch

What will be provided:

- Gloves
- Trash Buckets and Bags
- Groundskeeping Supplies
- First Aid Kit
- Hand Sanitizer
- Extra sunscreen
- Water and cookies

Who should come?

All ages are encouraged to come! This is a great family event. Please register your entire group using the [Coastal Cleanup Day registration form](#).

Getting there:

We encourage you to carpool to India Basin Shoreline Park, as parking can be limited. Please remember not to leave any valuables in your vehicle. The 44 and 19 bus lines also run very close to India Basin.

Waivers:

All attendees must have signed and completed waivers to participate in the cleanup. Children and youth under 18 are encouraged to participate, but must come prepared with waivers filled out by a parent or legal guardian. You may submit your waiver at the park, or ahead of time by emailing your completed form to jadd.correia@sfgov.org. Blank waivers can be found [here](#).

Schedule:

9:00 am - Arrive at India Basin Shoreline Park

9:15 am - Get ready for the day

9:30 am - Introductions and safety presentation

9:45 am - 11:45 am - Beach cleanup

11:45 am - Meet up at tent

12:00 pm - Awards and group photo

Additional Event Information:

- Collected trash should be recorded using paper forms or by submitting via the Clean Swell mobile app. Versions are available for both [Android](#) and [iOS](#) phones.
- After the cleanup ends at 12pm, please return to our meeting area where we will collect data cards and have a brief awards ceremony.

If you have any questions leading up to your cleanup, please feel free to email me at cole@baykeeper.org. If you need to reach me the day of, my cell phone number is **(503) 680-7577**.

Thank you for taking part in a clean and healthy San Francisco Bay!

