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Hillsborough Township Clean Communities Program Makes a Donation to the Central Jersey Stream Team

\$400 Donation to Purchase Supplies

Mayor Carl Suraci and Department of Public Works Director Rich Resavy, who is also the Clean Communities Coordinator for Hillsborough Township were joined by representatives from the Central Jersey Stream Team for a check presentation at Tuesday's meeting.

"Through grant funding available from New Jersey Clean Communities, we are able to make this donation to Central Jersey Stream Team to be used for future projects within Hillsborough Township," announced Mayor Carl Suraci.

Jen Riedel, P.E., President of Planning and Grants for the Central Jersey Stream Team accepted the donation and provided the details regarding the future clean up area within Hillsborough Township, which entailed the Hillsborough side of the river embankment along the Neshanic River and Bridge area.

About Central Jersey Stream Team:

The Central Jersey Stream Team is a grassroots nonprofit organization dedicated to the restoration of Central Jersey waterways and surrounding land for environmental protection and sustainable recreational use. Our aim is community engagement with hands on projects designed to establish and encourage new environmental stewards.

About New Jersey Clean Communities:

The New Jersey Clean Communities Council, Inc. (NJCCC) is the 501c3 nonprofit that works closely with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and the New Jersey Department of Treasury to administer the Clean Communities program. The Clean Communities Council began as an advisory committee to the Department of Environmental Protection's Clean

Communities program in 1989. In 1995, in the face of state budget cuts that virtually eliminated the state positions that provided program oversight and statewide education for the program, the advisory committee sought and received nonprofit status; and became the New Jersey Clean Communities Council, Inc.

Now in its 13th consecutive year, the Clean Communities Council oversees the implementation of litter abatement programs in 558 municipalities and 21 counties, collects statistical reports, maintains a database of information that tracks local programs, and implements a statewide program of public information and education that targets Clean Communities coordinators, schools, and the general public. The Clean Communities Council also administers New Jersey's Adopt-a-Beach and Adopt-a-Highway programs.

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