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## New Jersey Clean Communities Council Recognizes Mount Holly Environmental Advisory Committee with Cleanup Award

**MOUNT HOLLY – July 07, 2016** – The Mount Holly Environmental Advisory Committee (EAC) has received the "Stewardship of Public Lands Cleanup Award" from the New Jersey Clean Communities Council (NJCCC) for its clean up of local parks.

On May 21, the EAC held a "Community Clean Up Day," in which 32 volunteers cleaned up such parks as Monroe, Mill Dam, Iron Works, and a wooded area bordering the old Gardens development.

Volunteers collected 40 yards of rubbish, filling a 20-yard dumpster supplied by the township, and hauling away an equal amount of junk themselves. Volunteers included ROTC cadets and chiefs, members and family members of the EAC, families from the Eastampton Community School, the Rancocas Creek Watershed Ambassador and local leaders.

"It was very exciting to see so many members of the community come together and dedicate their afternoon to clean up our beloved parks." said EAC Chairman Randi Rothmel.

"We are very proud of Randi and the EAC's diligent work in Mount Holly," said NJCCC Executive Director Sandy Huber. "Their work in cleaning up town parks has positively impacted the community and environment."

NJCCC is a comprehensive, statewide litter-abatement program that has served New Jersey residents and visitors for more than 25 years. Learn more at njclean.org.

PHOTO CAPTION: From left to right: Mount Holly EAC Chairman Randi Rothmel accepts the "Stewardship of Public Lands Cleanup Award" on behalf of the EAC from NJCCC President Patrick Ryan.

