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Announcing the Second Annual Livingston County Community Clean Up Event

Geneseo, NY-- Livingston County is pleased to announce the second annual Community Clean Up Event on the weekend of April 27, 2019. The County is calling on community groups, local organizations, and individuals to commemorate Earth Day by hosting a local Clean Up event or volunteering in a local event. The goal is to unite as a community to improve the environmental health of the county.

"The Community Clean Up event presents a wonderful Spring event that engages communities to come together and make a positive impact to the environmental health of Livingston County." - David LeFeber (Chairman of the Board, Livingston County Board of Supervisors)

Livingston County is seeking to build on the success of last year's Clean Up, which included events that took place in 11 out of the 17 Towns, engaging over 150 volunteers cleaning up 5 parks, 2 cemeteries, and over 3.5 miles of road.

"Last year's first annual Community Clean Up Event was a success. This collaboration provides invaluable assistance in keeping our communities, and connecting green and blue spaces, clean and beautiful. We seek to build on those successes and increase the number of communities involved, events held, and individuals, families, or groups who volunteer." - Alex Pierce (Chairman, Livingston County Environmental Management Council)

Those wishing to participate can organize an event of their own or join a scheduled event posted on the website listed below. Potential project areas include cemeteries, parks, roadsides, historic properties, community gardens, town and village halls, schools and other public spaces.

“The Community Clean Up event is a great way to acknowledge and recognize all of the dedicated community members and groups that seek to make Livingston County an even more beautiful place to live, work, and play.” - *Ian Coyle (Livingston County Administrator)*

To register a clean-up event in your community or see where you can volunteer, go to <http://www.livingstoncounty.us/cleanuplivco>.

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