



PROUD TO BE A SUSTAINABLE JERSEY COMMUNITY



WHAT IS SUSTAINABLE JERSEY

Sustainable Jersey is a nonprofit organization that provides tools, training and financial incentives to support communities as they pursue sustainability programs. By supporting community efforts to reduce waste, cut greenhouse gas emissions, and improve environmental equity, Sustainable Jersey is empowering communities to build a better world for future generations.

ABOUT THE GREEN TEAM

In February 2017, South River authorized the borough to apply for registration to become a member of Sustainable Jersey. Through our membership, Sustainable Jersey provides direction, education, and financial resources to support our community as we pursue programs to improve our quality of life, save our taxpayers money, and make our borough a more sustainable and environmentally friendly place to live.

One of the first tasks of the program was to create a commission which oversees the progress of obtaining Sustainable Jersey certification. In March, the borough amended its code to add a "Green Team" empowered to oversee this program. We held our first meeting in April on Earth Day.

Sustainable Jersey has tasks that we must complete in order to attain certification status, affording us access to grants and resources that set the borough on a path toward a stronger, greener future.

GREEN TEAM PLANS FOR SOUTH RIVER

While the Green Team is still in its infancy, there are lots of plans and events on the horizon. Here are just a few ways you can get involved:

- **Community Gardening Programs**
- **Borough-Sponsored Farmers Market**
- **Safe Routes to School**
- **Dog Park & Hiking Trails**

**JOIN
US**

**Green Team
Monthly Meeting**

Last Wednesday of Each Month

Come. Join us at meetings to learn more and get involved.

Call. Contact Sandra Adelino for details (732) 309-9895.

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