



Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority



Municipal Clean Communities & Municipal Recycling Coordinators Meeting

December 9, 2021



Please type your questions into the Q&A box on lower right part of your screen; thank you!

1.5 Clean Communities Credits and 1.5 CRP Classroom Credits



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
GOVERNOR PHIL MURPHY

Governor Murphy Signs Single-Use Ban into Law

On November 4, 2020, Governor Murphy signed Bill S864, which prohibits the use of single-use plastic and paper bags in all stores and food service businesses statewide.

https://www.njleg.state.nj.us/2020/Bills/S1000/864_R4.PDF

This bill is a significant step to reduce harm and pollution that these products cause to the environment.

Guest Speaker

Bag Up NJ – 2022 Bag Ban Law

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Frequently Asked Questions and Answer

<https://nj.gov/dep/plastic-ban-law/#faqs>

Guest Speaker



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Guest Speaker

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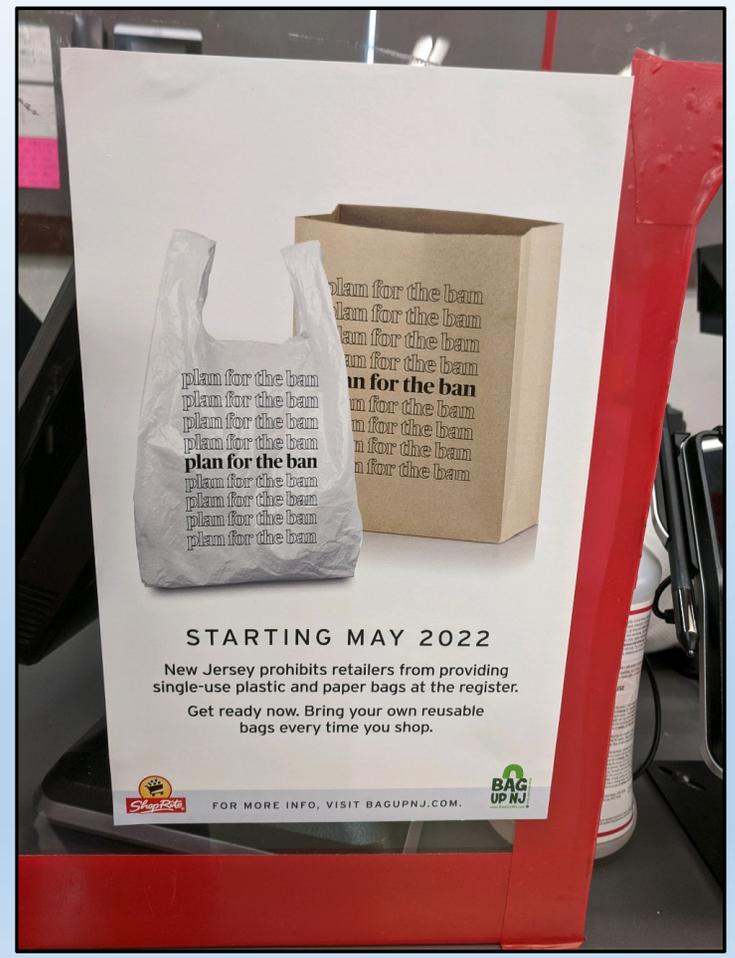
Division of Public Health

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Website: <https://health.morriscountynj.gov/>



Bag Ban Signs at the Registers & Check Out Area at Local ShopRite





Important Links:

www.njclean.org

<https://www.bagupnj.com/>

www.business.nj.gov



Some Clean Communities Coordinators say:

We have Clean Communities Grant Money and don't know what to purchase...



Water Filling Stations in public areas (public lands) are an allowable Clean Communities expenditure.

This, to reduce single-use plastic bottles and litter!



Purchase not to exceed 25% of your grant



Pet Waste Stations are also an allowable Clean Communities Expenditure (on public lands, such as parks)

This purchase can not exceed 25% of your Clean Communities Grant



Purchase Outdoor Trash and Recycling Containers for Public Lands to Prevent Litter!



Outdoor trash and recycling containers should be teamed together!



This outdoor disposal station is made from recycled HDPE plastic jugs



Graphics prompt the public to properly dispose of their waste!

Close the loop, buy products with recycled content!

Thank you for properly managing your waste and preventing litter!



Purchase "Clear Stream" Receptacles for outdoor events.

Loan to others in your municipality, purchase some for your schools to keep public lands litter free!

Purchase Signs with Clean Communities Grant Money

Clean Communities Lawn Signs

Easy to use and easy to store – loan to others in your town for outdoor events!



PANDEMIC LITTER



PPE LITTER

Purchase Signs to Address PPE Litter & Proper Disposal



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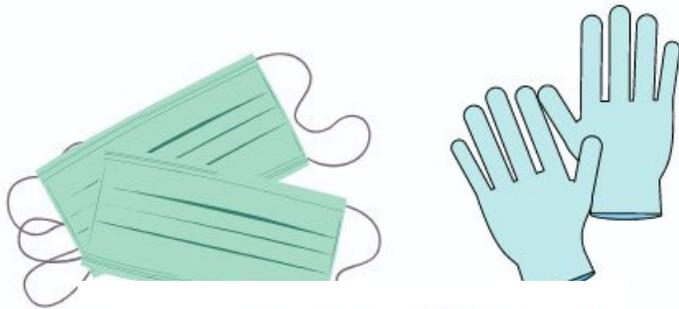


Purchase Signs to Address Litter & Proper Disposal of PPE

Personal Protection Equipment (PPE)

Discard in the trash, not on our streets.

Prevent litter and dispose of personal protective equipment such as gloves and masks in the trash.



TRASH





Please Follow NJ Clean Communities Guidelines

Important Links:

Please review the updated Clean Communities Grant Guidelines:

<https://www.njclean.org/images/grants/Grant-Guidelines.pdf>

Please review the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs):

<https://njclean.org/images/grants/Grants-Frequently-Asked-Questions.pdf>

A Few Important Requirements (excerpts from the updated guidelines):

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D. Acceptance of the grants should be recognized by inclusion in a County/Municipal annual budget. Acceptance requires recipients to maintain program efforts and to utilize funds for the following purposes:

1. Cleanup and Removal of litter on public lands including Sponsorship of the “Adopt a Beach” or “Adopt a Highway” Program
2. Education Programs to Promote Clean Communities and Bag Up NJ
3. Graffiti Abatement
4. Enforcement of Local Anti-littering Laws

E. The following additional requirements apply:

5. Municipalities receiving less than \$25,000 a year must sponsor and publicize at least one community litter cleanup each year on public lands.

Municipalities receiving more than \$25,000 a year must sponsor and publicize at least two community litter cleanups on public lands each year.

9. A Clean Communities Coordinator must be designated and notification provided to the NJ Clean Communities Council. A resolution is encouraged but not required.

- Municipalities and counties are encouraged to permit coordinators to attend Clean Communities Coordinator Certification (CCCC) training offered by Rutgers Office of Continuing and Professional Education and the NJ Clean Communities Council. Clean Communities funds may be used to pay for classes. CCCC is not required by law.

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Please Keep Morris County
Litter Free
& Always Recycle Right!



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Thank you!

MORRIS COUNTY'S ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE

MRC Meeting: Save the date: February 23, 2022 at 10 a.m.!

Thank you for joining us!

*Wishing You and Yours, a
Healthy, Happy New Year!*



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