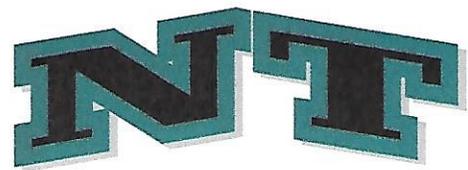


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RE: City of North Tonawanda Participating in “I Love My Park Day” on May 2nd

North Tonawanda – North Tonawanda Mayor Arthur G. Pappas and Director of Youth, Recreation and Parks Patricia Brosius has announced that the City of North Tonawanda will be participating in the Parks & Trails New York “I Love My Park Day” on May 2nd at 9AM.

Parks & Trails New York organizes I Love My Park Day, in partnership with the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation, to celebrate, improve and enhance parks; boost volunteerism, and raise the visibility of parks and its needs. I Love My Park Day activities will include picking up litter and brush at Gratwick Riverside Park shoreline, beautifications of nearby docking and picnic areas, soccer and lacrosse fields, and preparing sections of the parks for the thousands of visitors who arrive each year.

Mayor Pappas stated, “Gratwick Riverside Park is a beautiful asset of North Tonawanda, and I would like to thank the community and volunteer groups in advance for attending this clean-up effort.

“However you decide to participate, your efforts will enhance this tremendous environmental, cultural and recreational resource in preparation for the 2015 season,” stated Brosius.

The Mayor’s office and the Parks and Recreation Department are seeking volunteer groups and individuals to meet at the large pavilion at Gratwick Riverside Park on River Road for the clean-up efforts that are scheduled to begin at 9AM. Supplies such as rakes, gloves, and trash bags will be supplied by the City. Pre-registration is not required but suggested by contacting the Parks and Recreation Office at 695-8520.

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