

**ENVIRONMENTAL
STEWARDSHIP/
COMMUNITY SERVICE**

The Parks & Recreation Dept. works closely with environmental stewards on various projects throughout the year, such as painting, mulching and edging, pulling weeds and invasive plants, litter pick-up, trail maintenance, etc.

If you would like to complete a special project or want to hear about the next community service event, please contact us by e-mail at parkinfo@sstwp.org.

We host community service events throughout the year.

Community Event Volunteer Opportunities

- 5K Race & Leprechaun Lap (ALL AGES) – March
- Earth Day Community Project & Tree Planting – April
- Egg Hunt (hosted by Police) – March/April
- National Public Lands Day Tree Planting & Community Project– September
- Fall Festival – October
- Winters Night – December

Eagle Scout Assistance

- ◇ Project Ideas
- ◇ Approval Process
- ◇ Project Locations

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**Volunteer
Opportunities**

Why Volunteer?

- Build a better community
- Make a difference
- Share your skills
- Meet new people
- Explore new areas of interest

Serving Your Community



Volunteers needed to build a better community. Everyone is welcome.

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Township Committee Volunteer Opportunities

ASA

The Agricultural Security Area Committee was formed in 2012 with the sole responsibility to review ASA applications and make a determination, based on the criteria set for in the ASA Law, as to whether said parcel should be recommended for approval into the Township ASA program.

BAC

The Business Advisory Council was formed in 1979 as a means of aiding the Township's business community by helping to identify business problems; recommend plans and programs for the promotion of business, and to undertake tasks related to business in Silver Spring Township as requested by the Board of Supervisors.

CPC

The Conservation & Preservation Committee was formed in 2009 to promote land preservation in Silver Spring Township. Duties of the committee were amended in 2016 to include the investigation of sources of grant funding for land conservation and preservation, stormwater-related initiatives, creation of a stormwater funding mechanism, review of Township ordinances related to conservation and preservation and low impact development and the implementation of a Public Education and Outreach Program.

HHC

The Hogestown Heritage Committee was formed in 2014 to help identify and investigate options for enhancing and maintaining the quality of life for residents, businesses, and visitors to the village of Hogestown. The committee is tasked with the organization and coordination of community efforts intended to maintain and improve the village of Hogestown, providing recommendations for village improvements to the Board of Supervisors, and the investigation and coordination of funding opportunities applicable towards revitalization.

LPRB

The Land Preservation Review Board was formed in 2013 to recommend to the Board of Supervisors procedures for reviewing open space property interests and rating the relative desirability of interests in particular parcels of real property. Funding for development rights is provided through a voter-approved increase of one-tenth of one percent (0.001) to the Earned Income Tax (EIT).

NKVC

The New Kingstown Vision Committee was formed in 2009 to help identify and investigate options for enhancing and maintaining the quality of life for residents, businesses, and visitors to New Kingstown Village. The committee is tasked with the organization and coordination of community efforts intended to maintain and improve the village; providing recommendations for village improvements to the Board of Supervisors, and investigation and coordination of funding opportunities applicable towards revitalization.

PC

The Planning Commission was formed in 1960 and is appointed by the Board of Supervisors, to provide the Board with non-binding advisory opinions concerning, among other things, commercial and residential subdivision, land development and conditional use applications filed with the Township. The PC makes recommendations to plan and guide growth, insuring that development occurs in a manner as prescribed by the Township Comprehensive Land Use Plan, in addition to making recommendations to the Board of Supervisors on all subdivision and land development plans, conditional use applications, and rezoning requests.

RAC

The Recreation Advisory Council was formed in 1986 to review fees, rules, policies, and ordinances as they relate to parks and recreation within the Township and to aid in developing programs for the community to help promote cultural diversity.

VAC

The Veterans Advisory Committee was formed in 2007 and commissioned to build a Veterans Memorial. The completed Memorial was dedicated on November 11, 2011. The committee is now tasked with helping to identify and investigate options for enhancing awareness of the Township's Veteran's Memorial located in Willow Mill Park and to coordinate efforts intended to raise funds for its construction payoff, and providing recommendations for Memorial improvements.