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NJ Clean Communities Council Gives “Volunteer Award” to Brigantine Clean Communities Coordinator

BRIGANTINE – July 6, 2016 – Joseph Campitelli, Brigantine’s Clean Communities Coordinator, received the “Volunteer Award” from the New Jersey Clean Communities Council (NJCCC) for organizing clean-ups of the beaches of Brigantine.

Campitelli pulls together frequent beach cleanups to improve the shoreline of Brigantine. These cleanups allow volunteers to not only pick up litter, but also plant dune grass and to learn how to care for natural resources, such as beaches and dunes.

“Our Clean Communities programs help create an environmental awareness by cleaning the beaches, roads, and water ways. Everything we do is about keeping Brigantine clean and green, while helping the community,” Campitelli said.

“Joseph dedicated his time and efforts in an ongoing campaign to keep the beaches of Brigantine clean,” NJCCC Executive Director Sandy Huber added. “He is a shining example of what can be accomplished by local volunteers who are committed to making a difference.”

NJCCC is a comprehensive, statewide litter-abatement program that has served New Jersey residents and visitors for more than 25 years. Learn more at njclean.org.

PHOTO CAPTION: Joseph Campitelli (left) accepts the “Volunteer Award” from NJCCC President Patrick Ryan (center). Also on stage (left to right), Tom Millhouse, Guido Battaglini, and John Pucci

