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# News Release

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**Hillsborough Emergency Services Partners for a River  
Clean-Up Day – Sunday, May 31<sup>st</sup> from 9am – 2pm,  
Dukes Parkway Park in Manville  
*Live River Rescue Demonstration at 1pm***

All Township residents are invited to attend and participate in the Raritan River Clean-Up Day on Sunday, May 31<sup>st</sup> from 9am until 2pm at Dukes Parkway Park in Manville, announced Committeewoman Gloria McCauley at Tuesday's Township Committee meeting.

Supplies and instruction for the clean-up will be provided by the Central Jersey Stream Team.

"This collaborative effort between Hillsborough, Manville, Franklin and Somerville, is a testament to the dedication of the safety of all area residents," added Committeewoman McCauley.

In addition to the actual river clean-up activities, various emergency and rescue equipment will be on display from 11 am until 1 pm. There will be a live river rescue demonstration at 1 pm. The rain date for the event is Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup>.

"Witness firsthand the expertise of the area's Emergency Services Agencies such as Hillsborough Township's Emergency Services who have the capability in river rescue," concluded Committeewoman McCauley.

Registration and more information is available at [cjstreamteam.org](http://cjstreamteam.org) or [Facebook.com/100tires](https://www.facebook.com/100tires).

**About the Raritan Millstone River Flood Control Commission:**

Mission Statement: the purpose of the Commission shall be to foster the design, construction and long-term mitigation for the effective flood control measures for the prevention and alleviation of flooding within the basins of the Raritan and Millstone Rivers, State of New Jersey through actions in the following priority areas:

- Communication / Education
- Legislation
- Policy

**About the Central Jersey Stream Team:**

According to the website, the Central Jersey Stream Team is a grassroots nonprofit organization dedicated to the restoration of Central Jersey waterways and surrounding land for environmental protection and sustainable recreational use. Our aim is community engagement with hands on projects designed to establish and encourage new environmental stewards.

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