



COMPLETED NEIGHBORHOOD PRIDE PROJECTS

<p>2007</p> <hr/> <p>January Initial Subcommittee Meeting- Large subcommittee meeting. Determine who else needed to come to the table.</p>	<p>June Identification/Classification subcommittee first meeting- compile a master list of properties and areas that need to be addressed throughout Scranton and surrounding areas.</p>
<p>2008</p> <hr/> <p>March University of Scranton Hillside Clean-up</p> <p>• Between January and April there were a handful of meetings with relevant groups who maybe interested in the project i.e. POWER!, Hillside Neighborhood Association, Scranton Tomorrow.</p> <p>April West Scranton Bridge Project- Cut, cleared, and painted around the bridge and train trestle on N.Main Ave. into West Scranton. Collaborative effort between DPW, City of Scranton Firefighters, CP Rail, County Pride Volunteers, and Gleco Paint.</p> <p>April Second Subcommittee Meeting- Large subcommittee broken up into 3 smaller committees: Identification and Classification, Legal, and Implementation (The Implementation Comm. Is further broken down into the Gateway committee and the NPI Clean-up Committee)</p> <p>Home Depot donates equipment (lawnmowers, weed whackers, shovels, rakes, etc.) Home Depot began process for national sponsorship of NPI; all appropriate paperwork has been submitted to Home Depot HQ's in Atlanta, GA. as NPI awaits confirmation of sponsorship.</p> <p>April Mayor Doherty donates SSA building to NPI for project headquarters and equipment storage.</p> <p>May Central Scranton Expressway Clean-up. NPI received beautification permit. PennDOT cut/cleared and picked up garbage on Central Scr. Exp. Entering and exiting 81.</p> <p>May County Commissioners donate truck to haul equipment and volunteers.</p>	<p>June Gateways subcommittee first meeting- compose a letter to send to Lack. Co. mayors asking them to identify gateways in their community. Decided on 'Lookout' as the first gateway to clean.</p> <p>June 'Lookout' clean-up conducted. Clean, cut, plant, pick-up garbage.</p> <p>July Architectural Heritage Association adopts 'Lookout'. AHA agrees to donate \$2,000 annually for upkeep, as well as hire mason to redue all stone work; purchase/install period piece view finders and period piece landmark plaques (2); purchase 2 flagpoles w/lights The City of Scranton repaved 'Lookout'.</p> <p>August Identification/Classification subcommittee conducts second meeting. Establishes the need for community volunteers to commit to site surveying of blighted properties. Also begins discussions on what technology is needed to house the information obtained by site surveys. (website, webmaster needed)</p> <p>August Return clean-up to 'Lookout' to clean front hill. Home Depot donates 20 pairs of heavy duty leather gloves.</p> <p>Sept. Partnering with Scranton Rotary to revisit I-81 Central Scr. Exp. Clean-up.</p> <p>Sept. Tripps Park project in West Scranton to be conducted by Tom Lavelle (NPI Clean-up Chairman) and crew.</p> <p>Sept. U of S and Lackawanna College contacted to partner for clean-up/gateway projects.</p>

* Fidelity Bank in West Scranton possibly adopting West Side Bridge Project, they are sending a landscape surveyor to assess potential.