



## Park Ridge Achieves Sustainable Jersey Bronze Certification

The Park Ridge Green Team is pleased to announce that the Borough recently achieved the bronze Sustainable Jersey certification. Park Ridge is now part of an elite group of 82 municipalities that have achieved the prestigious Sustainable Jersey certification.

On November 15, 2011, Green Team representatives James McDermott, Barbara Coleman, Betsy Thomason, Danielle Cawood and Council Liaison, Steve Hopper (pictured at right) attended third-annual Sustainable Jersey Awards Luncheon at the New Jersey League of Municipalities' Conference and received the official Sustainable Jersey certification plaque.



To obtain this certification, the Green Team used the skills and expertise of team members to develop plans, implement programs, obtain grants, and support educational opportunities to assist the creation of a sustainable community. For the various programs that were initiated, the Borough received points towards the certification. For details on Park Ridge's achievements, you can go to the New Jersey Sustainable Jersey Web site at the following link: <http://sustainablejersey.com/community/map.php>

For additional information about the Park Ridge Green Team, please visit the Green Team portal on the Park Ridge Borough Web site at the following link: <http://www.parkridgeboro.com/content/78/90/2702/default.aspx>