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Legislator Browning Thanks Beautification Volunteers *William Floyd Community Summit Maintaining Gateway to Tri-Hamlet*



(Pictured left to right: Legislator Kate Browning, Christine Gonslaves, Vicki Suvidya Dasilva, April Cappola and Linda Costello.)

Shirley, NY – It was a rainy day this past Saturday, May 16, but that didn't stop a group of William Floyd Community Summit Beautification Committee volunteers from helping to beautify our community. The volunteers focused on removing litter and planting marigolds at the William Floyd Square located at the gateway to the tri-hamlet community. Legislator Kate Browning (WF-Shirley), who was integral in constructing the square where the statue of William Floyd now sits, stopped by to thank the volunteers for maintaining the beauty of the location.

The William Floyd Community Summit Beautification Committee coordinates clean-ups throughout the year to keep the area looking great, and the committee also hosts the spring planting to enhance the character of the community for the duration of the summer.

The day's volunteers included Christine Gonsalves, Vicki Suvidya Dasilva, Linda Costello, Pat Mathews, John DeVito, Wayne Costello, Jim and Diana Davies, Rob Fleischmann and the Dasilva Family.

“It was a rainy spring day to be out planting the first flowers of the season as the statue of William Floyd looked on, but our volunteers still braved the weather to help our neighborhood,” stated Legislator Browning. “I want to thank all of the volunteers who helped make the planting a success. Our community received a major upgrade in 2013 with the construction of the William Floyd Square, and efforts like this continue to enhance the area. It is great to see so many passionate residents getting involved.”

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