

## PMUA BRINGS IN MORE BUSINESS

New service Agreements with Roselle, its Board of Ed. & the City of Linden

The Plainfield Municipal Utilities Authority has entered into a one year contract with Roselle's Board of Education (with a renewal option) to collect its Type 10 solid waste and recyclables from Roselle public schools. Terms of the contract also include on a by-request basis, the provision of roll-off containers to the school district for the removal of Type 13 Bulky Waste debris. The Authority is also proud to announce that a separate contract agreement was executed with the Borough of Roselle. This agreement is for the removal of Type 23 Vegetative Waste and Type 13 Bulky Waste.

These agreements between the PMUA, the Borough of Roselle and the Roselle school district represent great strides in developing Shared Services arrangements. These agreements facilitate efficient resource sharing, and defraying operational expenses for the benefit of tax payers and their community. By providing necessary waste collection services, PMUA is expanding its customer base and revenue stream, supporting the organization in its mission to contain operational costs, with an eye to maintain and ideally reduce its residential service rates in Plainfield.

NJ Jersey State Assemblyman Jerry Green and Roselle Mayor Jamel Holley, both strong advocates of Shared Services, facilitated greatly in the agreement process by fostering a mutually beneficial exchange between and among the three entities.



President of the Roselle Board of Education Rev. Dr. Reginald W. Atkins commented on the agreement by saying "when our district was faced with the challenge of finding the right solution, the PMUA definitely stepped up to the plate, did the research and understood the needs of our school district for cost savings and quality service. It's been refreshing dealing with talented people who have a corresponding skillset. What's also great is that we are based within miles of each other and everyone is so enthusiastic about our partnership."

PMUA Forms Partnership with the City of Linden

June continues to be a productive month at the Authority as PMUA proudly announces the signing of its latest Shared Services agreement with the City of Linden. The terms of this new agreement include the drop-off of Linden's Type 13 Bulky waste to the PMUA operated Rock Avenue PERC/Transfer Station, a unique waste processing and transfer facility in the Union County area.

This new partnership along with the Authority's collective accomplishments in extending its services to outside communities, further exemplifies the PMUA's focus on increasing revenue streams to stabilize rates for its local residential customers. The PMUA is excited about the upsurge in business between outside municipalities and the PERC/Transfer Station, and is pleased to cite the City of Linden among its growing list of partners.





## PMUA now offers pool water credit on sewer bill

PMUA is excited to announce its pool water credit program to eligible property owners, as part of our Customer First initiative. The program will offer property owners with above-ground or below-ground pools (minimum 4ft. in depth) an annual water usage credit to be applied toward their PMUA Sanitary Sewer bill. This credit issued by the PMUA will be based on a metered calculation of the total gallons of water used (ccf) to refill their swimming pool.

By appointment only, the PMUA will provide a meter to be used to calculate the water consumption for the pool. In keeping with our protocol, a form must be filled out by the property owner to verify information such as the size of the pool and initial and final

meter readings.

Effective Monday June 9th, 2014 meters will be available on a first come first serve basis, and appointments will be scheduled for weekdays only. To schedule a pool meter appointment or for more information about the pool water credit program, property owners must contact the PMUA Sewer Department at 908-226-2518 ext.252 or 251.



## INTERCEPTOR PROJECT UPDATE

The Rock Avenue Interceptor Project will break ground in about 2 weeks starting on Jefferson Ave. between 2nd & 3rd Streets. Project duration is anticipated between 7-9 months, and construction hours will be from approximately 7 am - 4 pm. Traffic control will be on hand to divert and direct traffic.

### Project Background...

The current interceptor line, a 90 year old clay pipe carrying 50% of Plainfield's sewage waste, is severely damaged, necessitating its replacement in order to avoid future costly emergency repairs and or waste spill clean-ups. After careful analysis of all viable options, the decision was made to run a new interceptor line that will connect from Jefferson Avenue to the Rock Avenue Pump Station, through an undeveloped area entering the rear of PERC Transfer Station. The new location of the line will be a safer distance away from the Green Brook, helping to avoid potential health and financial threats such as bank erosion, pipe exposure and risk of brook contamination. The estimated cost of this project is between \$1.1-\$1.4 million and is determined the most cost efficient and beneficial approach overall.

For future status updates on the Interceptor Project, visit us online at [www.pmua.info](http://www.pmua.info) for more information and subscribe to our PMUA eNews blasts, or follow us on Facebook and Twitter @PlainfieldMUA.



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*Pictured left: Screenshot of the PMUA website homepage.*

## Community Outreach 2014 Earth Week Activities

Save the Date!  
 2014 Environmental Fair  
 Sept. 6th, 11 am - 3 pm

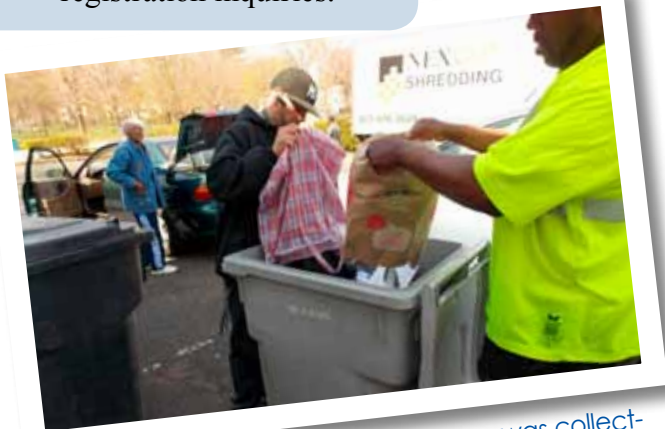


Call the PMUA at 908-226-2518 for event info, sponsor, exhibitor and vendor registration inquiries.



Several presentations were made to Plainfield elementary school students on the importance of recycling.

PMUA & students from Barack Obama Green Charter High School filled numerous bags of litter cleaning up Library Park.



Over 14, 200 tons of shredded paper was collected and recycled at annual Mobile Paper Shredding Event held at Cedar Brook Park.

### e-WASTE DISPOSAL @ PERC/TS

Dispose of your e-Waste free of charge at the 95 Rock Avenue PERC/Transfer Station, every day during normal operating hours.

State recycling laws prohibits the disposal of electronics with solid waste or bulky waste collections. PMUA reminds residents to adhere to proper e-Waste disposal guidelines which states that electronics must be separated from the solid waste stream and properly recycled.

For a list of e-Waste items, or questions about e-Waste disposal, call the PMUA at 908-226-2518 for details.



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Resident  
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## PMUA NOTICE

**PMUA will be closed and scheduled garbage collections suspended on 7/4 and 9/1 due to the holidays.**

**Kids Summer Camp Art Contest "Trash to Treasure"- Make a masterpiece from recyclable materials. See your summer camp director for details or call PMUA at 908-226-2518 - Contest runs during 2014 summer camp season.**

**Fluorescent Bulbs accepted at Union County Hazardous Waste Disposal- Go to [www.ucnj.org/recycle](http://www.ucnj.org/recycle) for Special Events & Drop-Off Information.**

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### P M U A MISSION

Safeguard public health by providing environmentally friendly, comprehensive and cost-effective municipal waste management services.

Invest in our quality of life and enrich community pride by regulating, promoting and encouraging responsible actions for a cleaner, litter free city.

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PMUA Headquarters  
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Rapp's Pharmacy  
611 Park Avenue

#### FORM OF PAYMENT ACCEPTED:

CASH (Rapp's Pharmacy ONLY)  
CHECK  
(Personal, Bank or Electronically Issued)  
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Boston, MA 02241-6829

Please use return envelope for accurate payment processing.

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127 Roosevelt Ave.  
Plainfield, NJ 07060

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