

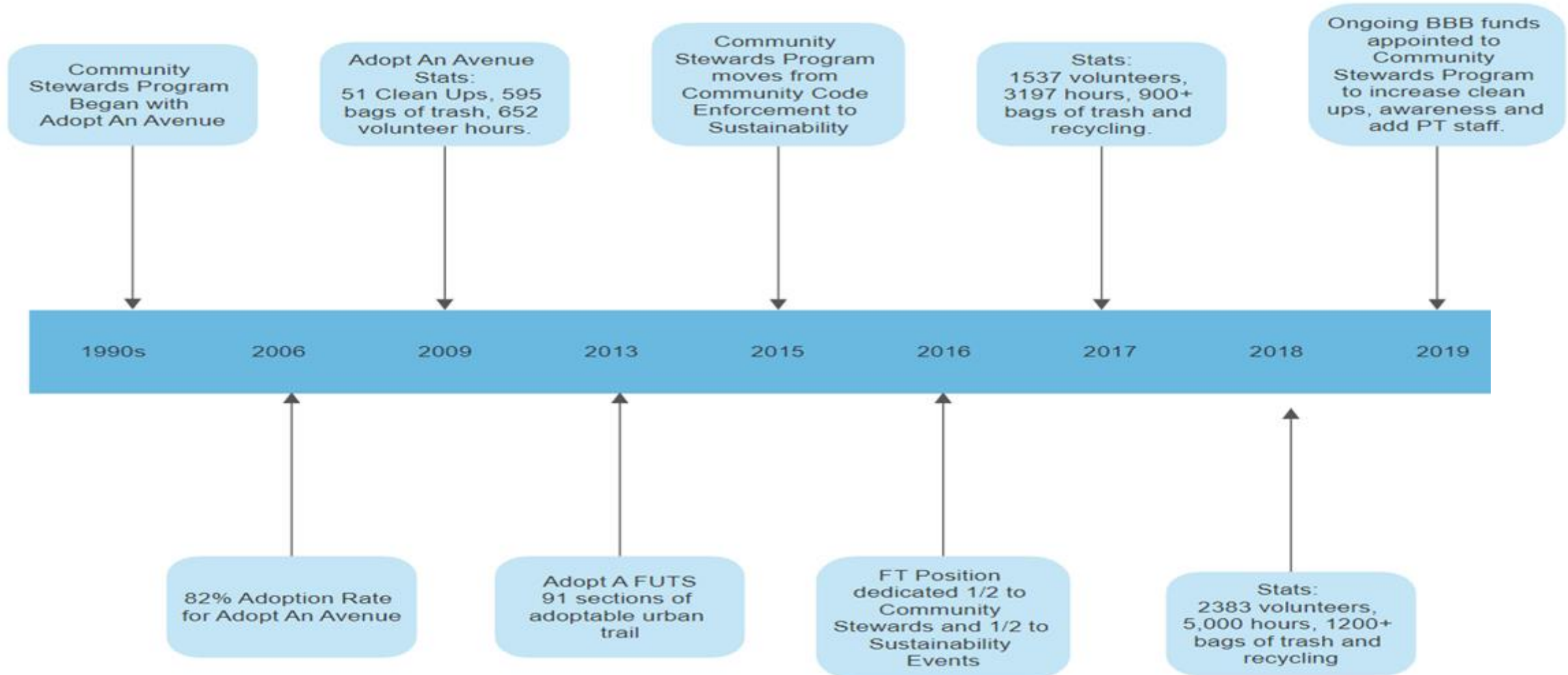
Community Stewards Program

Maggie Twomey,
Volunteer and Event Coordinator





History of the Community Stewards Program





Community Stewards Program

2019 Highlights

- Adopt A FUTS at 98%
- Adopt An Avenue at 97%
- 3,150 volunteers, 5,130 hours, 1,820 bags of trash and recycling.
 - A 30% increase over last year!
- 42 community clean up events
- New Adopt An Avenue street signs
- Installation of 10 FUTS signposts with 30 scheduled for spring
- Hiring PT Community Stewards Assistant-Eric Sirvinskas



Nicole Antonopoulos hosted a Birthday Clean Up Event in 2019! What a great idea!



Community Stewards Program



2019 Highlights

Winter Snow Play Stewards

- Focus on four Snow Play "hot spots"
- Winter Snow Play Sled Pledge
- 74 volunteers, 152 hours, collected over 100 bags of trash and recycling

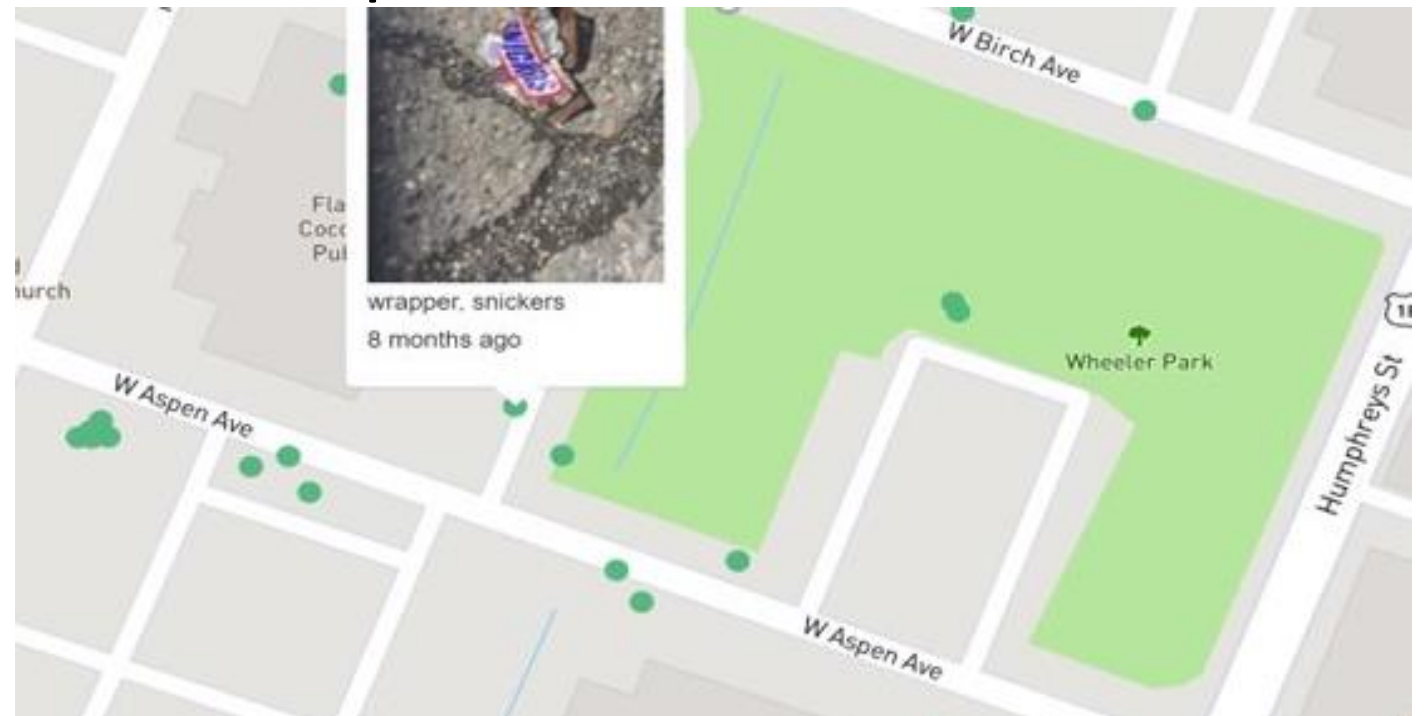


Father Daughter team volunteers at February 2019 Winter Snow Play Clean Up-2019 saw

Education and Outreach



- Over 100 participants
- 12,000 pieces of litter picked up
- Helped staff identify "hot spots"
 - Types and location of litter
 - This will help us target education and operational needs





Community Stewards Program

Community Stewards Assistant

- Identify sections of Avenue that can be added to the program, that would benefit from adoption.
- Develop a volunteer recognition program for our Community Stewards.
- Work with Environmental Services and GIS to develop a litter "hot spot" app.
- Work with Stormwater to host five pre-monsoon and post-monsoon clean up events in 2020.
- Attract organizations to host one time clean up events.



What's Next...



Federated Church Youth Clean Up-
FUTS from City Hall to Frances Short Pond

1. Increase the number of adoptable sections of FUTS and Avenues.
2. Increase the number of one-time community clean ups.
3. Improve data collection to better inform decisions, volunteer recruitment, and educational outreach.
4. Implement volunteer software to improve data tracking

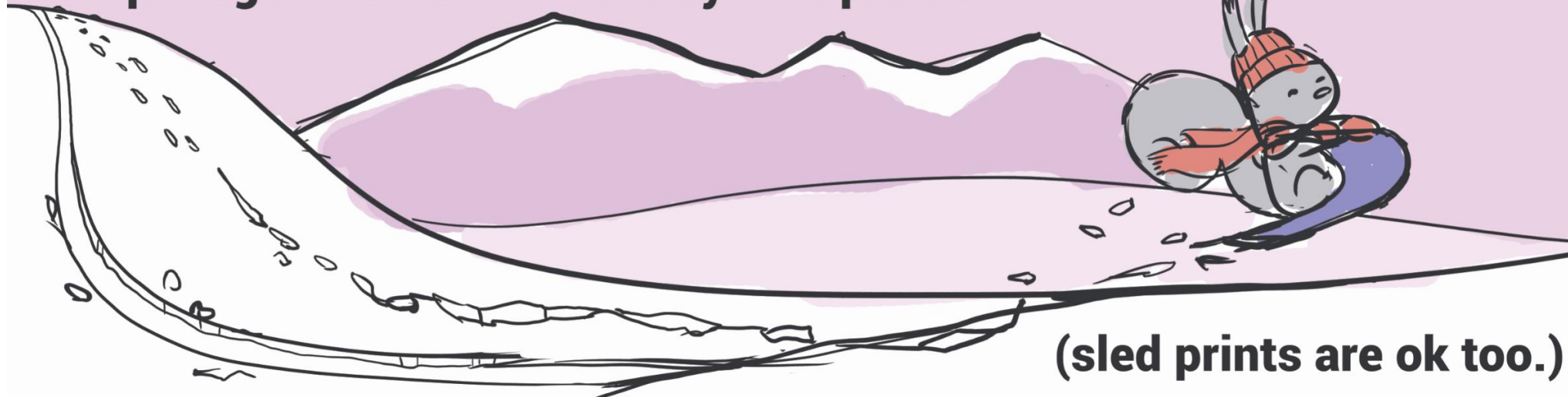


What's Next

Continue to increase mitigation of winter snow play

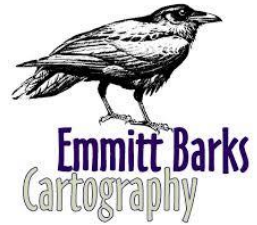
- Volunteer incentives
- Increased communication with Parks staff about hotspots
- Increase messaging at Thorpe Park
- Interactive snow play map
- Billboard - Albert

Keep Flag beautiful. Leave only foot prints.



(sled prints are ok too.)

Thank you to
all of our
volunteers



Questions?

