

# ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION AWARDS

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# About askHRgreen.org

## Regional Public Awareness & Education Campaign

- Launched in 2011
- Website & multi-faceted outreach

## Aids Localities With Regulatory Compliance

- MS4 Permits
- Groundwater Withdrawal Permits
- State Consent Orders





# About **askHRgreen.org**

## Focal Areas



- Recycling & Beautification
- Sanitary Sewer Overflow Reduction
- Water Awareness & Conservation
- Stormwater Pollution Prevention

## Programs

- Pet Waste Station Grants
- Bay Star Homes Program
- Commercial Food Service and Grease Hauler Certification Programs
- Environmental Education Mini Grants



# askHRgreen.org Environmental Education Mini Grants

- Up to \$500 for environmentally-themed projects
- In FY16 the program...
  - Awarded 19 mini grants totaling \$8,422
  - Impacted more than 7,000 students in 7 localities





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- John Yeates Middle School, *Suffolk*
  - School-wide Recycling Program
  - Ms. Wendy VanHosen, *Assistant Principal*



# John Yeates Middle School Recycling Program





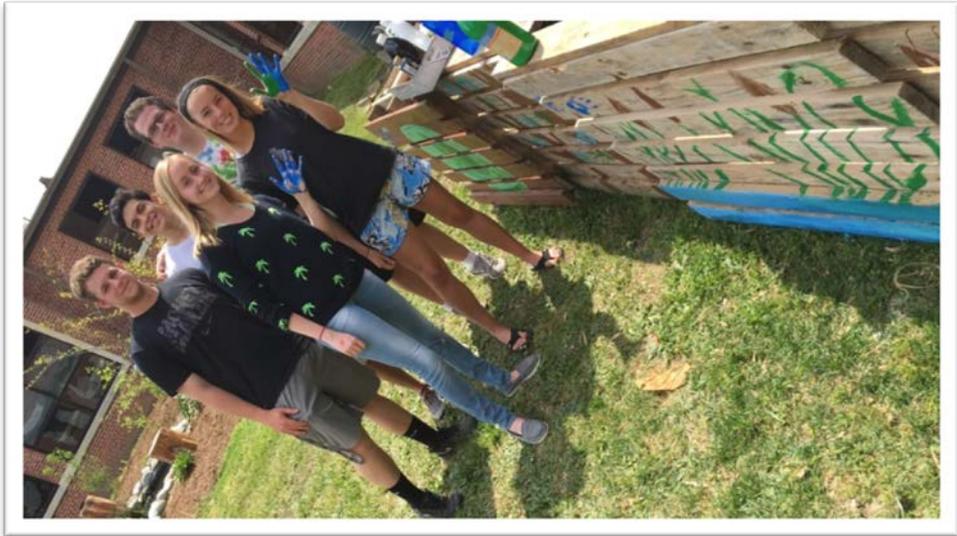
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York High School, York County

- Water Bottle Filling Station
- Ms. Amber LaMonte, *Teacher*



# York High School Water Bottle Filling Station



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