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WM Public Affairs Manager Erika Deyarmin Young Named to Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful Board

Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful is proud to announce the appointment of Erika Deyarmin Young to its Board of Directors. Erika brings a wealth of experience and a shared commitment to environmental stewardship that will help advance the organization's mission to empower Pennsylvanians to make our communities clean and beautiful.

Young serves as Public Affairs Manager for WM Capitol Area, where she leads community engagement, stakeholder relations, and strategic communications efforts across western Pennsylvania and West Virginia. Since joining WM in 2012, she has built strong partnerships with local governments, businesses, and community organizations to advance environmental stewardship, sustainability, and community impact initiatives. Young also serves on the boards of the Pennsylvania Waste Industries Association and Bridge Education Foundation.

"We are thrilled to welcome Erika to our Board of Directors," said Shannon Reiter, Executive Director of Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful. "Her extensive experience in community engagement, communications, and environmental stewardship, along with her demonstrated commitment to building strong partnerships, will be a tremendous asset as we continue to advance our mission across the Commonwealth."

Young shared her enthusiasm for joining Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful and the opportunity to support its efforts to empower Pennsylvanians to keep their communities clean and beautiful.

"I am honored to join the Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful Board and support an organization I have long admired. Its commitment to volunteerism, community engagement, and environmental stewardship has made a meaningful impact across Pennsylvania, and I look forward to helping advance its mission."

Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful works with communities, businesses, and government agencies to promote litter prevention, waste reduction, and beautification efforts statewide. The addition of Erika Deyarmin Young to the Board strengthens the organization's leadership and supports its continued efforts to inspire civic engagement and create lasting positive impact statewide.

To learn more about Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful, explore volunteer opportunities, or support its programs, visit keeppabeautiful.org.



Erika Deyarmin Young, Public Affairs Manager, WM

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About Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful

Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful's vision is a clean and beautiful Pennsylvania. Since 1990, Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful has supported hundreds of thousands of volunteers across the state in their community improvement efforts. Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful's core programming focuses on litter and illegal dump prevention, cleanup, community greening, and proper waste handling and sustainable practices. Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful works with many partnering organizations on the state and grassroots level to accomplish our goal of a clean and beautiful Pennsylvania. Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful is the state affiliate of Keep America Beautiful, Inc., the nation's largest volunteer-based community action and education organization. To learn more about Keep Pennsylvania Beautiful, visit www.keeppabeautiful.org.