



# Meadowbrook Elk County

## VOLUNTEERS

PA CleanWays of Elk County  
Local Volunteers

## DONORS & SPONSORS

PA CleanWays of Elk County  
Ridgway Township

## CONTRACTED SERVICES

Elk Waste Services, Inc.  
Veolia Environmental Services

Ridgway - Five dedicated volunteers and a small crew from Ridgway Township braved frigid temperatures and snowy conditions to clean up an illegal dumpsite along Meadowbrook Road. The dumpsite was littered with scrap metal, tires, barrels, vehicle parts, bicycles, paint cans, household trash, and other recreational items.

Ridgway Township provided equipment and operators for the cleanup and transported the scrap metal to be recycled. They also offered the use of their township building afterwards to warm up and have some lunch. In addition to the township, PA CleanWays of Elk County was instrumental in coordinating the cleanup and provided several volunteers. The chapter has been successfully cleaning up Elk County since 2000.

Elk County offers a variety of outdoor recreational opportunities, from multiuse trails in the Allegheny National Forest to canoeing and rafting along the Clarion River. Combined with scenic vistas, flora, and fauna, Elk County is a beautiful place to live, work, and visit.

**Cleanup Date: Nov. 20, 2008**  
**Township: Ridgway Township**  
**Trash and Tires Removed:**  
**2.97 Tons**  
**Scrap Recycled: 2.4 Tons**  
**# Volunteers: 5**  
**# Volunteer Hours: 27.5**



*“Ridgway Township had long wanted the dumpsite cleaned. We were fortunate in receiving grant money through PA CleanWays. The township supplied personnel, equipment - even the township secretary and her husband helped. Despite weather that was less than cooperative, we were able to remove all the trash, about four dozen tires, and two dump truck loads of metals.”*

Bekki Titchner  
PA CleanWays of Elk County



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