



# COUNTY OF ERIE

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## **County Executive to Announce Erie County Greenways Grant Opportunities**

Erie, PA – Erie County Executive Kathy Dahlkemper will announce the opening of the 2016 application period for the Erie County Greenways Program at a media conference on Friday, January 29 at 11 AM at the Erie County Courthouse, 140 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 504.

Created with Act 13 Marcellus Legacy Fund monies from the commonwealth, the Greenways Program works to improve the quality of life in Erie County through the preservation and enhancement of natural, scenic, and recreational resources of the region.

“Reinvestment is fundamental to our resurgence as a region. Our Greenways Program helps to ensure that community development, sustainability, and conservation remain priorities for the County of Erie,” stated Dahlkemper.

Since its inception, the program has awarded over \$643,000 to recipients, and has leveraged over \$1.7 million in additional investment for public resources throughout Erie County.

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