## **BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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RE: District Green Team for the 2024-2025 School Year

Dear Sustainable Jersey for Schools:

The district level Green Team was formed during the 2016-2017 school year, and will continue to work together as needed through the 2024-2025 school year. The mission of this team is to make an immediate impact on staff and student wellness, academic performance, and teacher retention while decreasing expenses within our facility and demands on natural resources.

The Green Team is working to collaborate with students, Building and Grounds, faculty, the Business Office, parents and community members to incorporate policies and practices that make sustainability part of our student's educational experience. Staff is represented as both members and ad-hoc members with a specific purpose.

The Bedminster Township School District recognizes the Green Team and its members and has empowered them to pursue our goal of becoming both a silver certified and digitally sustainable school in New Jersey. Since Bedminster is a one-school district, the Green Team serves as both the district and school level representatives. The members for the 2024-2025 school year include:

- Karna Johnsen, Co-Chairperson
- Cindy Gattone, Co-Chairperson
- Lucy Ragoza, Reading Specialist/Environmental Club Advisor (NJEA Representative)
- Jenna Thomas, P.E. Teacher (NJEA Representative)
- Sue Evans, Elementary School Teacher (NJEA Representative)
- Marissa Nolfi Parent Representative
- Lisa Rica, Accounts Payable Ad hoc member
- Corby Swan, Elementary School Principal Ad hoc member
- Lauren Zugale, Middle School Principal Ad hoc member
- Kevin Pickett, IT Manager Ad hoc member
- Gina Infante, Guidance Counselor Ad hoc member
- Neil Mastrobuono Bedminster Recreation Department (Community Member)
- Christy Biedron, Board of Education
- Jennifer Giordano, Superintendent
- Grades 2-8 student members

Sincerely,

Jennifer Giordano Superintendent of Schools