

press release



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SUEZ MAKES \$5,000 DONATION TO FRIENDS OF TOWNIE ATHLETICS

Charitable Contribution will help families with educational and recreational activities

On Tuesday, June 4, SUEZ will make a \$5,000 check presentation to the Friends of Townie Athletics Organization to support students and families of the East Providence Public School system. This donation will be used to support and promote athletic and physical education in East Providence schools and provide financial support that will unite students, parents, coaches, faculty, staff and the community. The donation will enhance school spirit and increase morale across East Providence schools.

“When reviewing the organizations making an impact locally in East Providence, the work that Friends of Townie Athletics is doing stood out to our Charitable Giving Committee,” said Jason O’Brien, General Manager for SUEZ’ New England Region. “The organization aligns with our goal to build sustainable communities. By enriching the school system with programs, students will expand their horizons and participate in experiences that support families and bring the community together.”

The Friends of Townie Athletics Organization has played a significant role in the growth of the East Providence High School (EPHS) Athletics Program. Some of their accomplishments include: \$2,000 towards service for a sports trainer for EPHS, establishing two \$1,000 college scholarships (one male and one female) for EPHS student/athletes, and a donation of \$4,750 towards new equipment for the EPHS weight room.

“This donation not only affects the students, but it benefits the family unit as a whole,” states Mayor Roberto DaSilva. “Friends of Townie Athletics has been an

advocate for the students and have provided relief to parents in so many ways. I am happy to see companies like SUEZ become part of our mission as a City to provide a greater means for a brighter future for our youth."

SUEZ will present the \$5,000 donation to Friends of Townie officials on Tuesday, June 4 at Omni Hotel in Providence, Rhode Island.

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About SUEZ in North America

SUEZ North America operates across all 50 states and Canada with 2,825 employees dedicated to environmental sustainability and smart and sustainable resource management. The company provides drinking water, wastewater and waste collection service to 6.6 million people on a daily basis; treats over 560 million gallons of water and over 450 million gallons of wastewater each day; delivers water treatment and advanced network solutions to 16,000 industrial and municipal sites; processes 160,000 tons of waste for recycling; rehabilitates and maintains water assets for more than 4,000 municipal and industrial customers; and manages \$4.1 billion in total assets. The company posted revenues of \$1.1 billion in 2018 and is a subsidiary of Paris-based SUEZ.

About SUEZ

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