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Jeff Manville, 1st Selectman Town of Southbury 501 Main Street South Southbury, CT 06488

Congratulations! The Town of Southbury has achieved Sustainable CT Bronze Certification, effective through December 31, 2025. We are inspired by your leadership, broad range of sustainability accomplishments, and strong community engagement. We're eager to share the news of your certification.

- Sustainable CT is issuing a press release to publicize the 2022 Spring Certified
 Communities. Further, we are showcasing Certification information on the Sustainable CT website. All components of your Sustainable CT application that earned points will be publicly viewable on the website. We encourage you to issue your own press release (template provided) with quotes and details on your sustainability initiatives.
- Were planning our annual Certification Awards Ceremony and Celebration for November 2022 and look forward to recognizing your accomplishments and those of all spring and fall 2022 Certified Municipalities at that event. We will send more details soon. In the meantime, please let us know if you have any community events already planned for this 'summer at which we might have the opportunity to congratulate you on your Sustainable CT Certification.
- Your status as a Certified Municipality affords you use of the "Sustainable CT Certified" logo. Please find the Sustainable CT Logo Use Agreement included in this correspondence. Please sign and return it as soon as possible to receive the logo files.
- Be sure to follow us on <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Twitter</u>. In the coming weeks, we will be showcasing our certified communities on social media and in our newsletter, <u>Actions &</u> <u>Impact</u> and on our podcast, The IMPACT.

Please feel free to contact me at (860) 259-4729 if you have any questions. Again, we look forward to sharing your sustainability successes and to celebrating with you this year and beyond.

Sincerely.

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