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First Annual BART Earth Day a Success

Adams, MA — In an effort spearheaded by sophomore Kylie Taylor, the BART Student Ambassadors partnered with the Adams Department of Public Works (DPW) to tackle trash pick-up on Monday, April 23, in observance of the first annual BART Earth Day. The Ambassadors and the entire BART 9th grade met in front of the Adams Town Hall to pick up tools and coordinate with the DPW workers. They picked up trash and raked at the Town Commons, raked leaves on the Town Hall lawn, and gathered trash along part of the Ashuwillticook Trail and nearby Russell Field.

“The Earth is important, our community is important, thank you for making this morning’s clean up a success!” Kylie said to her classmates at a rally following the 45 minute cleanup. She expects Monday’s event is the beginning of a long-standing BART tradition.

The BART Student Ambassadors serve as BART representatives and liaisons both on and off campus. As a part of representing BART in the surrounding towns and cities they find different ways to give back through volunteering and taking part in community events.

BART is a nationally recognized, award-winning, tuition-free, public middle and high school focused on preparing students for college. In 2015, US News & World Report ranked BART the 7th best high school in Massachusetts. To date, 100% of BART’s graduates have passed a college course and have been accepted into college prior to graduation. BART does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, sexual orientation or gender identity.