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2020
Distinguished Citizen Award Recipient

Elissa Garofalo

Executive Director,
Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor

During Elissa's tenure at the Delaware & Lehigh National Heritage Corridor, 94% of the 165-mile D&L Trail that connects Wilkes-Barre to Bristol has been connected. She directed the successful merger of the D&L with the National Canal Museum in Easton, PA with its operation of the Josiah White II (one of a handful of mule drawn canal boats operating in America). The "Get Your Tail on the Trail" wellness initiative - in partnership with St. Luke's University Health Network – received national recognition. The "Tales of the Towpath" educational curriculum expanded to 82 elementary schools; 7,200 students have participated in related field trips. And the Lehigh Valley Greenways Conservation Landscape has become a model conservation program in Pennsylvania.

Garofalo is Chair of Heritage PA, a founding steering committee member of Philadelphia's Circuit Trail Network, on the Board of Directors of the Alliance of National Heritage Areas and Vice President of the Heritage Development Partnership. She is a founder of the THE LINK Lehigh Valley Trail Network and the Carbon County Chamber of Commerce.

An avid outdoorswoman who loves to combine her interest in heritage and nature, she loves to bike, paddle the Lehigh and hike. Elissa was also small business owner in Jim Thorpe, PA where she pioneered efforts to revitalize its historic business district as one the first Main Street Managers in the U.S.

She holds a certificate in Strategic Perspectives in Nonprofit Management from the Harvard Business School Executive Education program. She was named one of the Lehigh Valley's 25 Most Influential Women and holds a B.S. in Urban & Regional Planning from Penn State. Yoga, gardening, cooking and culture with a lower case 'c' are also among her passions.

Elissa believes her greatest success are Maggie and Jay, two good kids who became a couple of pretty great adults.



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48,386 COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS
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150,000 pounds

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92 UNITS completed
18,961 SERVICE HOURS

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10,847 ATTENDED CAMPS IN OUR COUNCIL LAST YEAR
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- Higher high school & college graduation rates
- Rating personal physical fitness as excellent
- Higher self confidence
- Being better prepared to handle emergencies
- Being a leader among their peers
- Believing that they should help others in need



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All Scouting is local and provided through dedicated volunteer leaders delivering a quality program of character development, leadership, citizenship, and achievement. In Minsi Trails Council, Scouting is much more than something you do ... it's about building youth with strong character who will develop self confidence and teamwork to become tomorrow's leaders.

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