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## **CPW Rotary Club Donates Trail Bollards to Montco; Dedicates Two to Officer Brad Fox**

**Plymouth Township, PA (June 16, 2014)** – Members of the Conshohocken-Plymouth-Whitemarsh Rotary Club today donated four new trail bollards to the Montgomery County Division of Parks, Trails, and Historic Sites for use on the Schuylkill River Trail. Two of the bollards were dedicated to Plymouth Township Police Officer Brad Fox, who was killed in the line of duty near the trail.

The bollards dedicated to Officer Fox were placed on the trail adjacent to the memorial in his honor. The steel bollards are placed on the trail to restrict vehicular traffic, thereby improving trail safety. They are taking the place of old welded gates, which are deteriorating. The bollards cost \$2,000.

Tom Cassidy, president of the Rotary Club, led a delegation of his members at the brief ceremony. The bollards were accepted by Montgomery County Commissioners Josh Shapiro, Leslie Richards, and Bruce L. Castor, Jr.

“We are extremely grateful to the Rotary Club and its members for this generous donation to the county trails, and we also applaud the thoughtfulness of dedicating two of the bollards in the name of Officer Fox,” said Shapiro, chair of the county commissioners. “The Schuylkill River Trail is the most heavily used trail in our excellent system, and this donation will make the trail safer for the 800,000 people who use it every year.”

The dedication program was attended by members of the Plymouth Township Police Department.

Any group interested in contributing to the bollard placement program should contact Michelle Harris at 610-666-5371.