

MANTUA PARTNERS with ROWAN UNIVERSITY to SAVE THE FOSSILS

Mantua Township and its Economic Development Team unveiled on September 23, 2015 during a press event at the Inversand site that the fossil and educational resources have been saved! This 65 acre redevelopment project site will now be purchased by Rowan University. The University will continue to work with Mantua Twp., Gloucester County Freeholders, state and federal representatives that have supported our efforts at this site to further develop the quarry as a center for science education and exploration with Dr. Lacovara, the on-site Paleontologist. The 1,500 guests in attendance at this year's 4th Annual Community Fossil Dig Day Event gave Rowan and their President Ali Houshmand several standing ovations throughout the event when they were told the exciting news.

News of the Rowan University Fossil Quarry was revealed to guests in attendance at the Mantua Township 4th Annual Community Dig Day Event held on Saturday, September 26, 2015 at the Inversand site.

(Right Photo)

Committeeman Robert Zimmerman, US Congressman Donald Norcross, Dr. Ken Lacovara, Ali Houshmand the President of Rowan University, Deputy Mayor Sharon Lawrence and Committeeman Mike Silvanio take a moment to pose for photos after the announcement to guests

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Freeholder Director Robert Damminger, Mantua Committeeman Zimmerman, Dr. Lacovara, Mantua Committeeman Mike Silvanio and NJ Senate President Steve Sweeney sharing a moment at the Press Event.

