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WOODBIDGE EARTH DAY EVENT ADVISORY THURS., APRIL 22

***Mayor John E. McCormac & Woodbridge Township Officials
to Dedicate FedEx Ground Solar Energy Project at
Keasbey Distribution Center***

WHAT: Woodbridge Township Mayor John E. McCormac and Township officials will join FedEx Ground and BP Solar Energy officials to unveil the nation's largest rooftop solar energy project at the FedEx Ground Distribution Center located in the Keasbey Industrial Park.

FedEx Ground and GBP Solar announced that construction of the rooftop solar farm was completed in December, 2009. The 2.42 megawatt solar power system covers approximately 3.3 acres of rooftop space with approximately 12,400 solar panels. The system is capable of producing approximately 2.6 million kilowatt hours of electricity a year, enough for more than 250 households or about 30 percent of the FedEx hub's annual energy needs. The combined environmental benefits (based on a projected annual reduction of approximately 1,867 metric tons of CO² emissions) are equivalent to preserving 13 acres of forest or growing nearly 48,000 tree seedlings for ten years.

WHO: Mayor John E. McCormac
Woodbridge Township Municipal Council
Sean O'Connor, Vice-President, Eastern
Division, FedEx Ground
Reyad Fezzani, Chief Executive Officer,
BP Solar
Members of the Woodbridge Township
Administration

WHEN: THURS., APRIL 22, 2010 @ 11:00 A.M.

WHERE: FedEx Ground Distribution Center
6000 Riverside Drive
Keasbey, Woodbridge Township
Information: Helen Brooks at 518.698.3422