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**Electric Car Show at Penfield Cleanup Day April 28**

*Car show 9 am – noon; electric car charging station ribbon-cutting 11:30 am*

**PENFIELD, N.Y., APRIL 26, 2012** – The Town of Penfield will host an electric car show as part of its “Penfield Cleanup Day” activities this Saturday, April 28, 9:00 a.m. to noon at the Penfield Community Center, 1985 Baird Road. The car show was added to the day’s events because of keen interest in the town’s new free electric car charging station – the first publicly available charging station in Monroe County – at the community center. A ribbon-cutting for the charging station is scheduled for 11:30 a.m.

Cars from private owners, dealers, and members of the New York State Electric Auto Association will be on display. The show is expected to include the 2011 and 2012 Chevy Volt, Nissan Leaf, Toyota Echo Electric Conversion, Vectrix Electric Motorcycle, Ford Transit Connect Electric Commercial Van, Mitsubishi i-MiEV, Zenn NEV and possibly a 2012 Ford Focus Electric if it arrives in Rochester in time. A number of charging stations will also be on display.

“This is a great opportunity to learn more about electric cars, what’s available, how charging stations work, and more,” said Supervisor Tony LaFountain.

To participate in the electric car show, please send an email to show organizer Bob Kanauer at kanauer@frontiernet.net and include your name, make, model and year of your vehicle, and your address.
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The town’s Energy & Environment Advisory Committee (EEAC) and Town Board are promoting this event as part of “The Great Penfield Spring Cleanup” with activities that began April 21 and run through May 12. For all events and details, go to www.penfield.org and choose “The Great Penfield Cleanup” in the quick links box on the homepage.

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