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ATHENS, Ohio - Participants of the Athens County Prosecutor's Office A.C.E. Program conducted the first clean-up of 2016 at the park and ball fields in Glouster in preparation for the Trimble Township Youth League.

Six individuals, along with Reuben Kittle, Director of the A.C.E. Program, worked to clean limbs and debris from the fields, trimmed weeds, as well as placed bases and put up fencing.

Vanessa Osborne of the Trimble Township Youth League stated, "we would like to say thanks to the Community Justice Program for a great day of community service at the Glouster Park. They had a day of picking up debris, weed eating around all the fields; reset the bases on the fields and much more. This program is a benefit to our community and many other communities. Thanks Keller Blackburn and Reuben Kittle for giving individuals this opportunity."

Prosecutor Keller Blackburn commented that, "Our Community Justice effort is designed to improve our community through reduction in crime, improved treatment options, and ultimately job creation. We hope this project helped Diversioners gain pride in their community and selves through accomplishment of designed community projects."

The Prosecutor's Office would like to thank the Village of Glouster for providing tools and equipment to assist in the community service event.

Pictures included with email.