## Alfred University students, chemistry faculty clean up stretch of highway near Hornell 5/10/19



HORNELL, NY – A group of students and faculty at Alfred University recently took part in a clean-up effort along a stretch of Route 21 outside Hornell.

The Alfred University Division of Chemistry, as part of the state's Adopt-A-Highway program, maintains the last two miles of Route 21, just south of Hornell, as it enters the city. On Sunday, May, 5, several students and faculty, led by Rachael Sodeman, a senior chemistry from Toledo, OH, picked up trash from the sides of the highway.

Others who participated included students Lucas Laing, a junior materials science and engineering major from Albany, NY, and Trisha Whaley, a sophomore materials science and engineering major from Chittenango, NY, as well as Andy Eklund, professor of chemistry and division chair, Garrett McGowan, professor of chemistry; and Tim Prior, adjunct in the Division of Chemistry.

Shown in photo above with Eklund (front) are students, from left: Lucas Laing, Rachael Sodeman, and Trisha Whaley.