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**Clearly Clean Recognized as the Fastest-Growing Manufacturer in Northeast Pennsylvania by the NEPA Manufacturers and Employers Association for the Third Year in a Row**

***The Excellence Award for Expansion underscores the industry's rapid adoption of Clearly Clean's patented recyclable food trays***

Orwigsburg, Pa., May 4, 2022 – Clearly Clean Products, LLC, the recyclable rolled-edge tray packaging company, has announced that it was again named the fastest-growing manufacturer in Northeast Pennsylvania, having been awarded both the 2020 and 2021 Manufacturers and Employers Excellence Award for Expansion by the Northeast Pennsylvania Manufacturers and Employers Association. This year, Clearly Clean tied for this recognition.

At the awards ceremony on May 3, Clearly Clean received citations from U.S. Congressman Daniel Meuser, U.S. Senator Patrick Toomey, U.S. Senator Bob Casey, the Schuylkill County Commissioners, and the Pennsylvania Senate and House of Representatives -- as well as recognition by the National Association of Manufacturers and the Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Association.

This award recognizes Clearly Clean's significant growth in revenues, production lines, facilities, and employees. In fact, in 2021 alone, Clearly Clean increased our sales by more than 60 percent, grew our employee base by 40 percent, and added new machines and another two warehouses.

"We are excited that Clearly Clean's trays are now in virtually every grocery store in the U.S. – and we are growing internationally as well," said Jeff Maguire, managing partner at Clearly Clean. "We're so incredibly grateful to the NEPA Manufacturers and Employers Association for honoring us with this award for the third year in a row."

Consumer pressure and corporate commitment -- combined with numerous citywide and countywide bans on expanded polystyrene (i.e., foamed plastic) – are fueling the demand for eco-friendly packaging and accelerating the sustainability timelines of many organizations. Clearly Clean's patented trays are made from PET, the same material used in recyclable water bottles, offering an environmentally friendly, smooth-edged tray option to grocers, food processors, and packaging distributors.

"We will continue to work hard to transform the packaging industry to be more eco-friendly," said Millard Wallace, another managing partner at Clearly Clean. "We are so thankful to our employees, without whom our success would not be possible."

Interested candidates are encouraged to visit <http://clearlyclean.com/careers/> to apply.

**About Clearly Clean Products, LLC**

Clearly Clean, which is known for its rolled-edge food trays, is an innovative manufacturer that creates eco-friendly products with features that surpass their non-sustainable alternatives. The company is

committed to protecting its patented rolled-edge trays and manufacturing processes – as well as developing other sustainable products. [www.clearlyclean.com](http://www.clearlyclean.com)