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## Mayor Fulop, the Department of Recreation & Hoboken Dive Center Present Discover Scuba; Successful Scuba Program Enters Second Year

JERSEY CITY – Mayor Steven M. Fulop and the Department of Recreation, in partnership with Hoboken Dive Center, are proud to present Discover Scuba, open to youth ages 11 to 17 and adults 18 and older. The program will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Wednesdays and Thursdays beginning November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2014 until December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at Pershing Field Pool, 201 Central Avenue.

"Discover Scuba is an exciting new program for both youth and adults who are looking to learn a new skill," said **Mayor Fulop**. "This program is designed to teach residents the proper way to dive in a safe and controlled environment. I encourage residents to try something new or freshen up on their diving skills."

"We are excited to bring this popular program back for a second year as we continue to grow and diversify our recreational programming," added **Mayor Fulop**.

Discover Scuba is a two-hour diving course with classes for youth age 11 to 17 on Wednesdays at 6:30 pm and classes for adults 18 and older on Thursdays at 6:30 pm. Each participant attends one class.

Pre-registration is required and enrollment is on a first come, first serve basis. Registration is now being held from noon to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday at the Pershing Field Pool, 201 Central Ave. Please bring proof of residency. All participants must know how to swim.

Discover Scuba requires a fee of a \$10 in the form of money order and should be made payable to "Jersey City Recreation/Scuba." There is a \$50 fee for non-residents.

For more information on Discover Scuba please call 201-547-6886.

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