## ABSTRACT

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This research is aimed at analyzing the concept of ecological citizenship in Lembang subdistrict area as a form of citizen participation in maintaining the environment. This research was motivated by population density and low awareness of Indonesian people, especially in Lembang subdistrict in maintaining the environment. This is evidenced by the declining quality of the human environment and the rise of natural disasters that occur in Lembang. Whereas the environment and humans are two factors that are bound to each other, interacting and influencing each other. Human behavior will affect the environment and the environment will also affect human behavior. This research uses a qualitative approach with a case study design. The subject and object of the study is the community of Cibogo village, Lembang subdistrict which is involved in the construction of a smart environment program based on the Nutrient Film Technique. The determination of research subjects using purposive techniques. Data collection in this study is done with the interview, observation, and documentation techniques. The examination of the validity of data is done by triangulation technique, while data analysis is done through the stage of organizing, reading, and coding data, as well as associating themes, interpreting the meaning of themes, and the last is validating results. This research resulted in several findings, are: 1) Environmental problems in Lembang subdistrict can be overcome with an NFT-based smart environment program, 2) The formation of the character of ecological citizenship of the community in Lembang subdistrict area, 3) The community has conducted a citizen participation movement which is one form of civic virtue character.

**Keywords:** ecological citizenship, smart environment, nutrient film technique, civic virtue.