

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TAKE NOTICE that the Township of Hillsborough has filed a request with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program, proposing to transfer ownership of parkland from the Township of Hillsborough to the County of Somerset. The parkland to be transferred is known as Sourland Mountain Preserve, Block 171 Lot 81 near Long Hill Road, Hillsborough Township, consists of 9.2 acres and is subject to Green Acres restrictions. The Green Acres restrictions on the parkland will be transferred with the parkland and will run with the property in perpetuity.

Pursuant to **N.J.A.C. 7:36-25.5(a)3**, a hearing to obtain public comment on this request will be held at

**Tuesday, June 10, 2014 at 7:30 p.m.
Hillsborough Township Municipal Building
379 South Branch Road
Hillsborough, New Jersey**

All information submitted by the Township of Hillsborough to the Green Acres Program in support of this requested parkland transfer is available for public inspection at the Hillsborough Township Municipal Building, 379 South Branch Road, Hillsborough, NJ 08844.

Written comments on the parkland transfer request may be directed to Bruce J. Rydel, PP, AICP, Planning Director, Township of Hillsborough, 379 South Branch Road, Hillsborough, NJ 08844. Please send a copy of any comments submitted on this request to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program, Bureau of Legal Services and Stewardship, P.O. Box 420, Trenton, NJ 08625-0412.

Public comment on this parkland transfer request will be accepted during the public hearing or until June 25, 2014. On or after June 25, 2014, the Township of Hillsborough may take formal action to approve the proposed transfer of parkland, subject to the approval of the transfer documents by the Green Acres Program.