PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING ON THE TOWNSHIP OF NUTLEY’S REQUEST TO THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION GREEN ACRES PROGRAM TO AMEND THE TOWNSHIP’S RECREATION AND OPEN SPACE INVENTORY (ROSI)

Notice is hereby given that the Mayor and Commissioners of the Township of Nutley will hold a public hearing on May 20th, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Hall, Commission Chamber, 3rd Floor, Harry Chenuweth Building, 1 Kennedy Drive, Nutley New Jersey, 07110 with regard to its property located and known as Owens Park located on Park Avenue and identified as Block 9701, Lot 4 according to municipal tax records. This hearing is required by the Green Acres Program and will address the Township’s request to have a portion of said property taken off of the Township of Nutley Open Space Inventory (ROSI) as this property was never utilized for recreation purposes, because the use of the leaf drop-off and holding area pre-dated any Green Acres encumbrance of the underlying park and because the property was not held in its entirety as parkland due to an access easement.

All information submitted by the Township of Nutley in support of its ROSI amendment request is available to the public for inspection in the Township Clerk’s Office at the Township of Nutley, 1 Kennedy Drive, Nutley, New Jersey, 07110 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Members of the public are invited to participate in the public hearing. Alternatively, members of the public may submit written comments to the Township Clerk, Evelyn Rosario, Township of Nutley, 1 Kennedy Drive, Nutley, NJ 07110 during the public comment period which will end on June 3, 2014. All written comments must also be sent to the Green Acres Program at State of New Jersey-Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program, Bureau of Legal Services and Stewardship, P.O. Box 412, Trenton, NJ 08625-0412. On or after the June 3, 2014 the Department of Environmental Protection may take formal action to approve the proposed ROSI amendment request.

By Order of the Township Commissioners

Evelyn Rosario
Township Clerk