



March 23, 2009

NJ Department of Environmental Protection  
Green Acres Program  
Bureau of Legal Services and Stewardship  
P.O. Box 412  
Trenton, NJ 08265

Re: Transfer of parkland property at 783 River Drive, Garfield, NJ, Block 140 Lot 45 from Passaic River Coalition to City of Garfield.

To Whom It May Concern:

Please take notice that the Passaic River Coalition has filed a request with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program, proposing to transfer ownership of parkland from the Passaic River Coalition to the City of Garfield. The parkland to be transferred is located at 783 River Drive, Garfield, NJ, Block 140 Lot 45 and consists of 0.34 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. The parkland will continue to be used for recreation and conservation purposes and will become a part of a larger Riverfront Park.

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:

Garfield City Hall Conference Room at 111 Outwater Lane, Garfield on April 27, 2009 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

All information submitted by the Passaic River Coalition to the Green Acres Program in support of this requested parkland transfer is available for public inspection at Garfield City Hall, 111 Outwater Lane, Garfield.

Written comments on the parkland transfer request may be directed to the Passaic River Coalition at 94 Mt. Bethel Rd, Warren, NJ 07059, 908-222-0315. 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 412, Trenton, NJ 08625-0412.

Public comment on this parkland transfer request will be accepted during the public hearing or until May 12, 2009. On or after May 12, 2009, the Passaic River Coalition may take formal action to approve the proposed transfer of parkland, subject to approval of the transfer documents by the Green Acres Program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matt A", with a stylized flourish extending to the right.

Matthew Polsky  
Land Trust Director