

## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Middlesex County Department of Parks and Recreation (the "Applicant") has filed an application with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection ("NJDEP"), Green Acres Program, for approval of the NJDEP Commissioner and the State House Commission of the State of New Jersey, of a major diversion (the "Diversion") of approximately 0.2 acres of parkland within Ambrose & Doty's Brooks Park, situated along Centennial Avenue, within Block 496, Lots 1.02, 8 and 9.01 on the tax maps of the Township of Piscataway, Middlesex County.

The Diversion would allow construction of a stormwater outfall structure (including a storm sewer outfall, manhole, rip rap, and conveyance pipe), to convey treated stormwater from adjacent property, Block 496, Lot 1.03, approved by the Township of Piscataway Planning Board for development of two (2) warehouse and related office facilities on separate lots. As compensation for the Diversion, the Applicant proposes to remit monetary compensation in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:36-26.10.

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:36-26.11(e), a public hearing (the "Public Hearing") will be held by the Applicant to obtain public comments on the Diversion, at a special meeting of the Applicant, as follows:

August 27, 2009 at 7:00 P.M.  
Piscataway Municipal Building,  
Municipal Chambers  
455 Hoes Lane,  
Piscataway, New Jersey 08854

All application materials submitted by the Applicant to the NJDEP Green Acres Program in support of the Diversion, are on file at the following locations, and may be inspected by the public during regular business hours: (i) the office of the Piscataway Township Clerk, in the Public Works Center, 505 Sidney Road, Piscataway, New Jersey 08854; (ii) the Applicant's office, 1030 River Road, Piscataway, New Jersey 08854; and (iii) the Piscataway Public Library, 500 Hoes Lane, Piscataway, New Jersey 08854; and (iv) the offices of the NJDEP Green Acres Program, 501 East State Street, Station Plaza Building 5, Ground Floor, Trenton, New Jersey.

Written comments regarding the Diversion may be directed to Mr. Rick Lear (732) 745-5988 at: Middlesex County Department of Parks and Recreation, P.O. Box 661, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903-9968, Attention: Rick Lear. Please send a copy of any comments submitted on the Diversion to: New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program, Bureau of Legal Services and Stewardship, P.O. Box 412, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0412.

Public comments on the Diversion will be accepted at the Public Hearing. Each speaker will have the right to comment once for a period not to exceed five (5) minutes. Additionally, written comments regarding the Diversion may be submitted until September 10, 2009. For additional information, please contact Rick Lear at the Middlesex County Department of Parks and Recreation.