

# **NJDEP**

## **Green Acres Program...**

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### **Quarterly Brownfields Roundtable**

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# Green Acres Mission...

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**“To achieve, in partnership with others, a system of interconnected open spaces whose protection will preserve and enhance New Jersey’s natural environment and its historic, scenic, and recreational resources for public use and enjoyment.”**

# Our Charge...



- Preserve land and water to protect NJ's natural resources, plants and animals.
- Provide recreational opportunities for our residents and visitors
- Provide financial assistance to local governments and nonprofit organizations to acquire **and develop** lands for recreation/conservation purposes

