

RESOLUTION 2008-30

NEW JERSEY HIGHLANDS WATER PROTECTION AND PLANNING COUNCIL COMMENDING CHAIRMAN JOHN WEINGART FOR HIS LEADERSHIP AND DEDICATION TO THE HIGHLANDS COUNCIL AND ITS MISSION

WHEREAS, the Highlands Water Protection and Planning Act (Highlands Act) has created a public body corporate and politic with corporate succession known as the Highlands Water Protection and Planning Council (Highlands Council); and

WHEREAS, John Weingart was duly appointed by the Governor of the State of New Jersey to serve as Chairman of the Highlands Council; and

WHEREAS, over the course of the last three years and seven months, Chairman Weingart has deftly led the Highlands Council in its mission to develop and adopt a regional master plan for the Highlands Region; and

WHEREAS, Chairman Weingart's commitment and dedication to the mission of the Highlands Council has served to guide its efforts and established the tone for all Council activities; and

WHEREAS, by his example, Chairman Weingart has instituted an atmosphere of respect and dignity among Council members, staff, State and municipal representatives and the public; and

WHEREAS, Chairman Weingart has sought to encourage significant public participation in the Council's operations which in turn have led to a transparent and fair process for developing the Regional Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, through his efforts, the Highlands Council adopted the Regional Master Plan at its duly noticed meeting on July 17, 2008;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Highlands Council hereby commends Chairman Weingart for his service as Chairman of the Highlands Council and his service to the people of the State of New Jersey;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Highlands Council hereby authorizes its Executive Director to transmit this resolution to Governor Jon S. Corzine and the sponsors of the Highlands Act recognizing Chairman Weingart's tireless effort to lead the Highlands Council towards adoption of the Regional Master Plan.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Highlands Council at its meeting held on the 24th day of July, 2008.



Jack Schrier, Vice-Chairman