

## **State of New Jersey Technical and Financial Assistance**

The following outlines technical and financial assistance that state agencies can offer your community when requested.

### **New Jersey Department of State, Business Action Center (BAC)**

<http://www.state.nj.us/state/bac>

Office for Planning Advocacy

<http://www.state.nj.us/state/planning/>

### **New Jersey Department of Agriculture (DOA)**

<http://www.state.nj.us/agriculture/>

Technical and Financial Guidance

<http://www.state.nj.us/agriculture/grants/>

- **Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources**
- **Division of Animal Health**
- **Division of Food and Nutrition**
- **Division of Marketing and Development**
- **Division of Plant Industry**

### **New Jersey Department of Community Affairs (DCA)**

<http://www.state.nj.us/dca/>

Grants and Resources

<http://www.state.nj.us/dca/publications/pdf/dcagrantsandresourcesbook.pdf>

- **Division of Codes and Standards**
- **Division of Fire Safety**
- **Division of Housing and Community Resources**
- **Division of Local Government Services**
- **Main Street New Jersey**

### **New Jersey Department of Education (DOE)**

<http://www.state.nj.us/education/>

The Office of School Facilities

<http://www.state.nj.us/education/>

### **New Jersey Historic Trust (NJHT)**

Funding Programs

<http://www.njht.org/dca/njht/programs/>

## New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP)

<http://www.state.nj.us/dep/>

You can work with DEP to protect New Jersey's water, air, land and precious natural resources, and they can assist with permits, cleanup of contaminated sites and preserve open space.

### Environmental Management

When addressing environmental management issues to help protect New Jersey's air and land, you can find assistance with financing, licensing, monitoring, permitting, and planning programs. <http://www.nj.gov/dep/cem/>

### Sustainability and Green Energy (SAGE)

When addressing sustainability and green energy issues, <http://www.nj.gov/dep/sage/>, **Sustainable NJ** <http://www.sustainablejersey.com/> as well as the **BPU** <http://www.nj.gov/bpu/index.shtml>. The Board of Public Utilities (BPU) **Clean Energy Program** provides funding for municipal energy audits (<http://www.njcleanenergy.com/commercial-industrial/programs/local-government-energy-audit/local-government-energy-audit>).

### Land Use Management

When addressing State land use regulations, regional land use planning, permitting, water quality management planning, coastal resource management and funding of watershed restoration plans and projects that result in improvements to the quality of the State's surface waters. <http://www.nj.gov/dep/lum/>

### Compliance and Enforcement

Offers these community programs –

- **Air Compliance and Enforcement**
- **Hazardous Waste Compliance & Enforcement**
- **Land Use Compliance and Enforcement**
- **Local Environmental Management**
- **Pesticide Control Program**
- **Solid & Hazardous Waste Regulation**
- **Solid Waste Compliance & Enforcement**
- **Underground Storage Tank Enforcement**
- **Water Compliance and Enforcement**

### Natural and Historic Resources

- **Fish & Wildlife**
- **Parks & Forestry**
  - Community Forestry
  - Natural Heritage Program
  - NJ Forest Service
  - NJ Forest Fire Service
- **Office of Historic Preservation**
- **Office of Engineering and Construction**
  - Dam Safety Section
  - Flood Control Section
  - Bureau of Coastal Engineering
- **Green Acres & Ecological Restoration**
  - Office of Natural Resource Restoration

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### Other Environmental related Assistance

- **New Jersey Environmental Trust (NJEIT)** - <http://www.njeit.org/>
- **FEMA** - <http://www.fema.gov/national-flood-insurance-program>
- **Wild Geese Management** - [http://www.nj.gov/dep/watershedmgt/DOCS/pdfs/goose\\_management.pdf](http://www.nj.gov/dep/watershedmgt/DOCS/pdfs/goose_management.pdf)

## New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT)

<http://www.nj.gov/transportation/>

- [Engineering](#)
- [Capital Programs](#)
- [Freight, Air, Water](#)
- **Statewide Planning**

Statewide Planning can offer assistance:

- When reviewing the Circulation Element consider discussing
  - relevant modes of transportation, including transit, bicycle, pedestrian, truck and rail
  - freight rail service
  - parking
  - access management code
- When you review parking and circulation plans, ensure that non-vehicular transportation is encouraged.
- When you consider compliance with Highway Access Code.
- When you examine traffic calming measures.
- When you explore pedestrian mobility
- When you inventory and classify existing roadways

Community Programs

NJDOT offers these community programs - <http://www.nj.gov/transportation/community/>

- **Clean Up NJ!**
- **Context Sensitive Design**
- **Local Aid and Economic Development**
- **Mobility and Community Form**
- **New Jersey FIT: Future In Transportation**
- **Safe Routes to School**
- **Scenic Byways in New Jersey**
- **Transit Village Initiative**

## Sustainable Jersey

<http://www.sustainablejersey.com/>

Sustainable Jersey Master Action Tracking Spreadsheet

[http://www.sustainablejersey.com/fileadmin/media/Grants\\_and\\_Resources/Green\\_Team\\_Resources/Certification/2013\\_Master\\_Action\\_Tracking\\_Spreadsheet\\_for\\_Website\\_01.xlsx](http://www.sustainablejersey.com/fileadmin/media/Grants_and_Resources/Green_Team_Resources/Certification/2013_Master_Action_Tracking_Spreadsheet_for_Website_01.xlsx)

Water Conservation Ordinance – 20 Points

<http://www.sustainablejersey.com/actions-certification/actions/#/open/action/72>