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Dr. Gerry Scharfenberger, Executive Director,  
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Re: Somerset Regional Center Plan Endorsement –Bridgewater Township

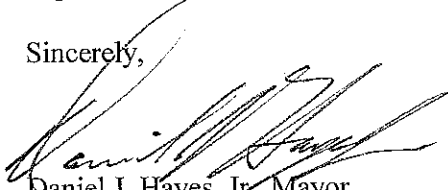
Dear Dr. Scharfenberger,

This is to supplement Bridgewater Township's commitment to complete the Plan Endorsement process as documented by the substantial planning documentation submitted to the Office of Planning Advocacy to fulfill many of the Plan Endorsement Action Plan requirements. To complete the Plan Endorsement process for the Somerset Regional Center, the Township of Bridgewater will be entering into a shared service agreement with the Regional Center Partnership of Somerset County for funding assistance to complete the Plan Endorsement process.

Regarding Plan Endorsement Action Plan Item C1 –Community Facilities which is concerned with the local School Board of Education's Five-Year Facilities Plan, Bridgewater Township is part of the Bridgewater-Raritan School District which also includes Raritan Borough. Students in Bridgewater attend one high school (grades 9-12), one middle school (7-8), two intermediate schools (5-6) and seven primary schools (K – 4). Please note that Bridgewater Township as a community is almost completely built out and, to my understanding as of this date, there are no plans to construct any new schools in the Township of Bridgewater.

We look forward to working with your office and the Regional Center Partnership to complete this important process and obtain Plan Endorsement.

Sincerely,



Daniel J. Hayes, Jr., Mayor  
Township of Bridgewater

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