

**ASSEMBLY, No. 6275**

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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

**221st LEGISLATURE**

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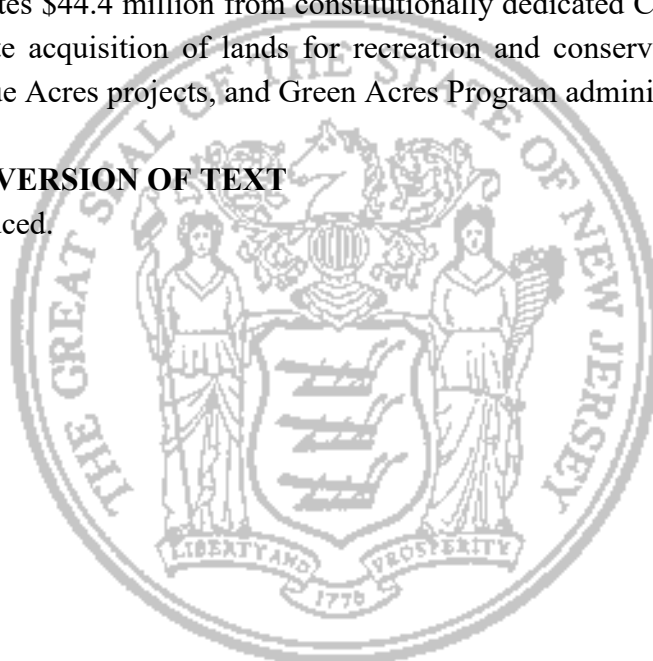
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**SYNOPSIS**

Appropriates \$44.4 million from constitutionally dedicated CBT revenues to DEP for State acquisition of lands for recreation and conservation purposes, including Blue Acres projects, and Green Acres Program administrative costs.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

As introduced.



**(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 12/22/2025)**

1 AN ACT appropriating \$44.4 million from constitutionally dedicated  
 2 corporation business tax revenues for the acquisition of lands by  
 3 the State for recreation and conservation purposes, including  
 4 Blue Acres projects, and certain administrative expenses.

5  
 6 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*  
 7 *of New Jersey:*

8  
 9 1. a. There is appropriated to the Department of Environmental  
 10 Protection the sum of \$21,375,000 from dedicated corporation  
 11 business tax revenues pursuant to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph  
 12 6 of the State Constitution in the “Preserve New Jersey Green Acres  
 13 Fund,” established pursuant to section 6 of the “Preserve New  
 14 Jersey Act,” P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-48), for the acquisition of  
 15 lands by the State for recreation and conservation purposes in  
 16 accordance with the provisions of the “Preserve New Jersey Act,”  
 17 P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-43 et seq.). Of the amount appropriated  
 18 pursuant to this subsection, the sum of \$5,402,000 is available due  
 19 to interest earnings on the dedicated corporation business tax  
 20 revenues pursuant to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the  
 21 State Constitution.

22 b. The funds appropriated pursuant to subsection a. of this  
 23 section shall be allocated for the acquisition of lands within the  
 24 locations of the projects set forth in paragraphs (1) through (15) of  
 25 this subsection:

27 Project	28 County	29 Municipality
30 (1) BARNEGAT BAY WATERSHED GREENWAY		
	31 Monmouth	32 Freehold Twp 33 Howell Twp
	34 Ocean	35 Barnegat Twp 36 Berkeley Twp 37 Brick Twp 38 Eagleswood Twp 39 Jackson Twp 40 Lacey Twp 41 Lakewood Twp 42 Little Egg Harbor Twp 43 Ocean Twp 44 Stafford Twp 45 Toms River Twp
46 (2) CAPE MAY PENINSULA		
	47 Cape May	48 Cape May City 49 Cape May Point Boro 50 Dennis Twp 51 Lower Twp 52 Middle Twp 53 Ocean City 54 Sea Isle City

1		Upper Twp
2		West Cape May Boro
3		West Wildwood Boro
4		Woodbine Boro
5		
6	(3) CARBON SEQUESTRATION	
7		
8	Atlantic	Abescon City
9		Buena Vista Twp
10		Corbin City
11		Egg Harbor City
12		Egg Harbor Twp
13		Estell Manor City
14		Folsom Boro
15		Galloway Twp
16		Hamilton Twp
17		Hammontown Town
18		Margate City
19		Mullica Twp
20		Pleasantville City
21		Port Republic City
22		Weymouth Twp
23		
24	Bergen	Allendale Boro
25		Alpine Boro
26		Closter Boro
27		Demarest Boro
28		Englewood City
29		Franklin Lakes Boro
30		Haworth Boro
31		Hillsdale Boro
32		Mahwah Twp
33		Montvale Boro
34		Norwood Boro
35		Oakland Boro
36		Old Tappan Boro
37		Ramsey Boro
38		Ridgewood Village
39		River Vale Twp
40		Saddle River Borough
41		Washington Twp
42		Woodcliff Lake Boro
43		Wyckoff Twp
44		
45	Burlington	Bass River Twp
46		Bordentown City
47		Bordentown Twp
48		Burlington City
49		Burlington Twp
50		Chesterfield Twp
51		Cinnaminson Twp
52		Delran Twp
53		Eastampton Twp
54		Evesham Twp
55		Fieldsboro Boro
56		Florence Twp
57		Hainesport Twp
58		Lumberton Twp
59		Mansfield Twp

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1		Maple Shade Twp
2		Medford Twp
3		Moorestown Twp
4		Mount Holly Twp
5		Mount Laurel Twp
6		New Hanover Twp
7		North Hanover Twp
8		Pemberton Twp
9		Shamong Twp
10		Southampton Twp
11		Springfield Twp
12		Washington Twp
13		Westampton Twp
14		Willingboro Twp
15		Woodland Twp
16		
17	Camden	Bellmawr Boro
18		Cherry Hill Twp
19		Chesilhurst Boro
20		Clementon Boro
21		Gibbsboro Boro
22		Gloucester Twp
23		Haddon Heights Boro
24		Haddon Twp
25		Haddonfield Boro
26		Hi-Nella Boro
27		Lindenwold Boro
28		Magnolia Boro
29		Mount Ephraim Boro
30		Pennsauken Twp
31		Pine Hill Boro
32		Somerdale Boro
33		Waterford Twp
34		Winslow Twp
35		
36	Cape May	Cape May City
37		Dennis Twp
38		Lower Twp
39		Middle Twp
40		Upper Twp
41		Woodbine Boro
42		
43	Cumberland	Bridgeton City
44		Commercial Twp
45		Deerfield Twp
46		Downe Twp
47		Fairfield Twp
48		Greenwich Twp
49		Hopewell Twp
50		Lawrence Twp
51		Maurice River Twp
52		Millville City
53		Stow Creek Twp
54		Upper Deerfield Township
55		Vineland City
56		
57	Essex	Cedar Grove Twp
58		Essex Fells Boro
59		Fairfield Twp

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1		Livingston Twp
2		Millburn Twp
3		Montclair Twp
4		North Caldwell Boro
5		Roseland Boro
6		West Caldwell Twp
7		West Orange Twp
8		
9	Gloucester	Clayton Boro
10		Deptford Township
11		East Greenwich Twp
12		Franklin Twp
13		Glassboro Boro
14		Greenwich Twp
15		Harrison Twp
16		Logan Twp
17		Mantua Twp
18		Monroe Twp
19		National Park Boro
20		Pitman Boro
21		South Harrison Twp
22		Swedesboro Boro
23		Washington Twp
24		Wenonah Boro
25		West Deptford Twp
26		Woodbury Heights Boro
27		Woolwich Twp
28		
29	Hunterdon	Alexandria Twp
30		Bethlehem Twp
31		Bloomsbury Boro
32		Califon Boro
33		Clinton Twp
34		Delaware Twp
35		East Amwell Twp
36		Franklin Twp
37		Glen Gardner Boro
38		Hampton Boro
39		High Bridge Boro
40		Holland Twp
41		Kingwood Twp
42		Lambertville City
43		Lebanon Twp
44		Milford Boro
45		Raritan Twp
46		Readington Twp
47		Tewksbury Twp
48		Union Twp
49		West Amwell Twp
50		
51	Mercer	Ewing Twp
52		Hamilton Twp
53		Hopewell Twp
54		Lawrence Twp
55		Princeton Boro
56		West Windsor Twp
57		
58	Middlesex	Cranbury Twp
59		Dunellen Boro

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1		East Brunswick Twp
2		Edison Twp
3		Helmetta Boro
4		Highland Park Boro
5		Metuchen Boro
6		Middlesex Boro
7		Milltown Boro
8		Monroe Twp
9		North Brunswick Township
10		Old Bridge Twp
11		Piscataway Twp
12		Plainsboro Twp
13		Sayreville Boro
14		South Brunswick Twp
15		South Plainfield Boro
16		Spotswood Boro
17		
18	Monmouth	Colts Neck Twp
19		Farmingdale Boro
20		Freehold Twp
21		Holmdel Twp
22		Howell Twp
23		Manalapan Twp
24		Marlboro Twp
25		Matawan Boro
26		Middletown Twp
27		Millstone Twp
28		Oceanport Boro
29		Tinton Falls Boro
30		Upper Freehold Twp
31		Wall Twp
32		
33	Morris	Boonton Town
34		Boonton Twp
35		Butler Boro
36		Chatham Boro
37		Chatham Twp
38		Chester Boro
39		Chester Twp
40		Denville Twp
41		Dover Town
42		East Hanover Twp
43		Florham Park Boro
44		Hanover Twp
45		Harding Twp
46		Jefferson Twp
47		Kinnelon Boro
48		Lincoln Park Boro
49		Long Hill Twp
50		Mendham Boro
51		Mendham Twp
52		Mine Hill Twp
53		Montville Twp
54		Morris Plains Boro
55		Morris Twp
56		Mount Arlington Boro
57		Mount Olive Twp
58		Mountain Lakes Boro
59		Netcong Boro

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1		Parsippany-Troy Hills Twp
2		Pequannock Twp
3		Randolph Twp
4		Riverdale Boro
5		Rockaway Boro
6		Rockaway Twp
7		Roxbury Twp
8		Washington Twp
9		Wharton Boro
10		
11	Ocean	Barnegat Twp
12		Berkeley Twp
13		Brick Twp
14		Jackson Twp
15		Lakewood Twp
16		Little Egg Harbor Twp
17		Manchester Twp
18		Plumsted Twp
19		Stafford Twp
20		
21	Passaic	Bloomington Boro
22		Haledon Boro
23		North Haledon Boro
24		Pompton Lakes Boro
25		Ringwood Boro
26		Totowa Boro
27		Wanaque Boro
28		Wayne Twp
29		West Milford Twp
30		
31	Salem	Alloway Twp
32		Carneys Point Twp
33		Elmer Boro
34		Elsinboro Twp
35		Lower Alloways Creek Twp
36		Mannington Twp
37		Oldmans Twp
38		Pennsville Twp
39		Pilesgrove Twp
40		Pittsgrove Twp
41		Quinton Township
42		Woodstown Boro
43		
44	Somerset	Bedminster Twp
45		Bernards Twp
46		Bernardsville Boro
47		Branchburg Twp
48		Bridgewater Twp
49		Far Hills Boro
50		Franklin Twp
51		Green Brook Twp
52		Hillsborough Twp
53		Montgomery Twp
54		Peapack-Gladstone Boro
55		Rocky Hill Boro
56		Warren Twp
57		Watchung Boro

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1	Sussex	Andover Boro
2		Andover Twp
3		Branchville Boro
4		Byram Township
5		Frankford Township
6		Franklin Boro
7		Fredon Twp
8		Green Twp
9		Hampton Twp
10		Hardyston Twp
11		Hopatcong Twp
12		Lafayette Twp
13		Montague Twp
14		Newton Town
15		Ogdensburg Boro
16		Sandyston Twp
17		Sparta Twp
18		Stanhope Boro
19		Stillwater Twp
20		Vernon Twp
21		Wantage Twp
22		
23	Union	Berkeley Heights Twp
24		Mountainside Boro
25		Plainfield City
26		Scotch Plains Twp
27		Springfield Twp
28		Summit City
29		Westfield Town
30		
31	Warren	Allamuchy Township
32		Blairstown Twp
33		Franklin Twp
34		Frelinghuysen Twp
35		Greenwich Twp
36		Hackettstown Town
37		Hardwick Twp
38		Harmony Twp
39		Hope Twp
40		Independence Twp
41		Knowlton Twp
42		Liberty Twp
43		Lopatcong Twp
44		Mansfield Twp
45		Oxford Twp
46		Pohatcong Twp
47		Washington Boro
48		Washington Twp
49		White Township
50		

(4) CONNECTING HABITATS ACROSS NEW JERSEY (CHANJ)

51		
52		
53	Atlantic	Absecon City
54		Atlantic City
55		Buena Boro
56		Buena Vista Twp
57		Egg Harbor City
58		Egg Harbor Twp
59		Estell Manor City

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1		Galloway Twp
2		Hamilton Twp
3		Hammonton Town
4		Mullica Twp
5		Northfield City
6		Port Republic City
7		Somers Point City
8		
9	Bergen	Norwood Boro
10		Rutherford Boro
11		
12	Burlington	Bass River Twp
13		Bordentown Twp
14		Burlington City
15		Burlington Twp
16		Chesterfield Twp
17		Eastampton Twp
18		Evesham Twp
19		Florence Twp
20		Hainesport Twp
21		Lumberton Twp
22		Mansfield Twp
23		Medford Twp
24		Medford Lakes Boro
25		Mount Laurel Twp
26		New Hanover Twp
27		North Hanover Twp
28		Pemberton Twp
29		Shamong Twp
30		Southampton Twp
31		Springfield Twp
32		Tabernacle Twp
33		Westampton Twp
34		
35	Camden	Chesilhurst Boro
36		Clementon Boro
37		Gloucester Twp
38		Pine Hill Boro
39		Waterford Twp
40		Winslow Twp
41		
42	Cape May	Dennis Twp
43		Lower Twp
44		Middle Twp
45		Upper Twp
46		Woodbine Boro
47		
48	Cumberland	Bridgeton City
49		Commercial Twp
50		Deerfield Twp
51		Downe Twp
52		Fairfield Twp
53		Greenwich Twp
54		Hopewell Twp
55		Maurice River Twp
56		Millville City
57		Stow Creek Twp
58		Upper Deerfield Twp
59		Vineland City

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1	Essex	Fairfield Twp
2		Livingston Twp
3		
4	Gloucester	Clayton Boro
5		East Greenwich Twp
6		Elk Twp
7		Franklin Twp
8		Glassboro Boro
9		Greenwich Twp
10		Harrison Twp
11		Logan Twp
12		Mantua Twp
13		Monroe Twp
14		Newfield Boro
15		Paulsboro Boro
16		South Harrison Twp
17		West Deptford Twp
18		Woolwich Twp
19		
20	Hunterdon	Alexandria Twp
21		Bethlehem Twp
22		Clinton Twp
23		Delaware Twp
24		East Amwell Twp
25		Franklin Twp
26		Frenchtown Boro
27		Holland Twp
28		Kingwood Twp
29		Lebanon Boro
30		Lebanon Twp
31		Milford Boro
32		Raritan Twp
33		Readington Twp
34		Tewksbury Twp
35		Union Twp
36		West Amwell Twp
37		
38	Mercer	East Windsor Twp
39		Hamilton Twp
40		Hopewell Twp
41		Lawrence Twp
42		Pennington Boro
43		Princeton Boro
44		Robbinsville Twp
45		West Windsor Twp
46		
47	Middlesex	Cranbury Twp
48		East Brunswick Twp
49		Middlesex Boro
50		Milltown Boro
51		Monroe Twp
52		New Brunswick City
53		North Brunswick Twp
54		Old Bridge Twp
55		Piscataway Twp
56		Plainsboro Twp
57		Sayreville Boro
58		South Brunswick Twp

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1	Monmouth	Aberdeen Twp
2		Allentown Boro
3		Colts Neck Twp
4		Farmingdale Boro
5		Freehold Twp
6		Holmdel Twp
7		Howell Twp
8		Manalapan Twp
9		Marlboro Twp
10		Millstone Twp
11		Roosevelt Boro
12		Upper Freehold Twp
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15		Boonton Twp
16		Chatham Boro
17		Chester Boro
18		Chester Twp
19		Denville Twp
20		East Hanover Twp
21		Florham Park Boro
22		Hanover Twp
23		Harding Twp
24		Jefferson Twp
25		Kinnelon Boro
26		Lincoln Park Boro
27		Mendham Boro
28		Mendham Twp
29		Mine Hill Twp
30		Morris Twp
31		Mount Arlington Boro
32		Mount Olive Twp
33		Netcong Boro
34		Parsippany-Troy Hills Twp
35		Long Hill Twp
36		Pequannock Twp
37		Randolph Twp
38		Rockaway Boro
39		Rockaway Twp
40		Roxbury Twp
41		Washington Twp
42		Wharton Boro
43		
44	Ocean	Barneget Twp
45		Beachwood Boro
46		Berkeley Twp
47		Brick Twp
48		Toms River Twp
49		Eagleswood Twp
50		Jackson Twp
51		Lakehurst Boro
52		Lakewood Twp
53		Little Egg Harbor Twp
54		Manchester Twp
55		Ocean Twp
56		Plumsted Twp
57		Stafford Twp

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1	Passaic	Ringwood Boro
2		Wayne Twp
3		West Milford Twp
4		
5	Salem	Alloway Twp
6		Carneys Point Twp
7		Elsinboro Twp
8		Mannington Twp
9		Oldmans Twp
10		Pilesgrove Twp
11		Pittsgrove Twp
12		Quinton Twp
13		Salem City
14		Upper Pittsgrove Twp
15		Woodstown Boro
16		
17	Somerset	Bedminster Twp
18		Bernards Twp
19		Bernardsville Boro
20		Bound Brook Boro
21		Branchburg Twp
22		Bridgewater Twp
23		Far Hills Boro
24		Franklin Twp
25		Green Brook Twp
26		Hillsborough Twp
27		Manville Boro
28		Montgomery Twp
29		Peapack-Gladstone Boro
30		Raritan Boro
31		Rocky Hill Boro
32		Somerville Boro
33		Warren Twp
34		Watchung Boro
35		
36	Sussex	Andover Twp
37		Branchville Boro
38		Byram Twp
39		Frankford Twp
40		Fredon Twp
41		Green Twp
42		Hampton Twp
43		Hardyston Twp
44		Lafayette Twp
45		Montague Twp
46		Newton Town
47		Ogdensburg Boro
48		Sandyston Twp
49		Sparta Twp
50		Stillwater Twp
51		Sussex Boro
52		Vernon Twp
53		Wantage Twp
54		
55	Union	Berkeley Heights Twp
56		
57	Warren	Allamuchy Twp
58		Blairstown Twp
59		Franklin Twp

1		Frelinghuysen Twp
2		Greenwich Twp
3		Hardwick Twp
4		Harmony Twp
5		Hope Twp
6		Independence Twp
7		Knowlton Twp
8		Liberty Twp
9		Mansfield Twp
10		Washington Twp
11		White Twp
12		

13 (5) CROSSROADS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

14		
15	Hunterdon	Delaware Twp
16		East Amwell Twp
17		Flemington Boro
18		Franklin Twp
19		Frenchtown Boro
20		Kingwood Twp
21		Lambertville City
22		Raritan Twp
23		Readington Twp
24		Stockton Boro
25		West Amwell Twp
26		
27	Mercer	East Windsor Twp
28		Ewing Twp
29		Hamilton Twp
30		Hightstown Boro
31		Hopewell Boro
32		Hopewell Twp
33		Lawrence Twp
34		Pennington Boro
35		Princeton Boro
36		Robbinsville Twp
37		Trenton City
38		West Windsor Twp
39		
40	Middlesex	Cranbury Twp
41		Monroe Twp
42		Plainsboro Twp
43		South Brunswick Twp
44		
45	Monmouth	Allentown Boro
46		Englishtown Boro
47		Freehold Twp
48		Manalapan Twp
49		Marlboro Twp
50		Millstone Twp
51		Roosevelt Boro
52		Upper Freehold Twp
53		
54	Morris	Chatham Boro
55		Chatham Twp
56		Chester Boro
57		Harding Twp
58		Long Hill Twp
59		Madison Boro

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1		Mendham Boro
2		Mendham Twp
3		Morris Plains Boro
4		Morris Twp
5		Morristown Town
6		Randolph Twp
7		
8	Somerset	Bedminster Twp
9		Bernards Twp
10		Bernardsville Boro
11		Bound Brook Boro
12		Branchburg Twp
13		Bridgewater Twp
14		Far Hills Boro
15		Franklin Twp
16		Green Brook Twp
17		Hillsborough Twp
18		Manville Boro
19		Millstone Boro
20		Montgomery Twp
21		North Plainfield Boro
22		Peapack-Gladstone Boro
23		Raritan Boro
24		Rocky Hill Boro
25		Somerville Boro
26		South Bound Brook Boro
27		Warren Twp
28		Watchung Boro
29		

**(6) DELAWARE AND RARITAN CANAL GREENWAY**

30		
31		
32	Hunterdon	Delaware Twp
33		Kingwood Twp
34		Lambertville City
35		Stockton Boro
36		West Amwell Twp
37		
38	Mercer	Ewing Twp
39		Hamilton Twp
40		Hopewell Twp
41		Lawrence Twp
42		Princeton Boro
43		Trenton City
44		
45	Middlesex	New Brunswick City
46		Plainsboro Twp
47		South Brunswick Twp
48		
49	Somerset	Franklin Twp
50		

**(7) DELAWARE BAY WATERSHED GREENWAY**

51		
52		
53	Atlantic	Buena Boro
54		Buena Vista Twp
55		
56	Cape May	Dennis Twp
57		Lower Twp
58		Middle Twp
59		Upper Twp

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1	Cumberland	Bridgeton City
2		Commercial Twp
3		Deerfield Twp
4		Downe Twp
5		Fairfield Twp
6		Greenwich Twp
7		Hopewell Twp
8		Lawrence Twp
9		Maurice River Twp
10		Millville City
11		Shiloh Boro
12		Stow Creek Twp
13		Upper Deerfield Twp
14		Vineland City
15		
16	Gloucester	Clayton Boro
17		Elk Twp
18		Franklin Twp
19		Glassboro Boro
20		Monroe Twp
21		Newfield Boro
22		
23	Salem	Alloway Twp
24		Carneys Point Twp
25		Elmer Boro
26		Elsinboro Twp
27		Lower Alloways Creek Twp
28		Mannington Twp
29		Oldmans Twp
30		Pennsville Twp
31		Pilesgrove Twp
32		Pittsgrove Twp
33		Quinton Twp
34		Upper Pittsgrove Twp
35		Woodstown Boro
36		
37	<b>(8) DELAWARE RIVER WATERSHED GREENWAY</b>	
38		
39	Burlington	Bordentown City
40		Bordentown Twp
41		Chesterfield Twp
42		Cinnaminson Twp
43		Delanco Twp
44		Delran Twp
45		Eastampton Twp
46		Hainesport Twp
47		Lumberton Twp
48		Mansfield Twp
49		Medford Twp
50		Moorestown Twp
51		Mount Holly Twp
52		Mount Laurel Twp
53		North Hanover Twp
54		Pemberton Twp
55		Riverside Twp
56		Southampton Twp
57		Springfield Twp
58		Westampton Twp
59		Willingboro Twp

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1	Camden	Berlin Twp
2		Camden City
3		Clementon Boro
4		Gibbsboro Boro
5		Gloucester Twp
6		Haddon Twp
7		Lindenwold Boro
8		Pine Hill Boro
9		Voorhees Twp
10		
11	Gloucester	Deptford Twp
12		East Greenwich Twp
13		Elk Twp
14		Greenwich Twp
15		Harrison Twp
16		Logan Twp
17		National Park Boro
18		South Harrison Twp
19		West Deptford Twp
20		Westville Boro
21		Woolwich Twp
22		
23	Hunterdon	Alexandria Twp
24		Delaware Twp
25		Frenchtown Boro
26		Kingwood Twp
27		Lambertville City
28		Stockton Boro
29		West Amwell Twp
30		
31	Mercer	Ewing Twp
32		Hamilton Twp
33		Hopewell Twp
34		Robbinsville Twp
35		Trenton City
36		
37	Monmouth	Allentown Boro
38		Millstone Twp
39		Upper Freehold Twp
40		
41	Ocean	Jackson Twp
42		Plumsted Twp
43		
44	Salem	Oldmans Twp
45		Pilesgrove Twp
46		Upper Pittsgrove Twp
47		
48	<b>(9) HIGHLANDS GREENWAY</b>	
49		
50	Bergen	Mahwah Twp
51		Oakland Boro
52		
53	Hunterdon	Alexandria Twp
54		Bethlehem Twp
55		Bloomsbury Boro
56		Califon Boro
57		Clinton Town
58		Clinton Twp
59		Glen Gardner Boro

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1		Hampton Boro
2		High Bridge Boro
3		Holland Twp
4		Lebanon Boro
5		Lebanon Twp
6		Milford Boro
7		Tewksbury Twp
8		Union Twp
9		
10	Morris	Boonton Town
11		Boonton Twp
12		Butler Boro
13		Chester Boro
14		Chester Twp
15		Denville Twp
16		Dover Town
17		Hanover Twp
18		Harding Twp
19		Jefferson Twp
20		Kinnelon Boro
21		Mendham Boro
22		Mendham Twp
23		Mine Hill Twp
24		Montville Twp
25		Morris Plains Boro
26		Morris Twp
27		Morristown Town
28		Mount Arlington Boro
29		Mount Olive Twp
30		Mountain Lakes Boro
31		Netcong Boro
32		Parsippany-Troy Hills Twp
33		Pequannock Twp
34		Randolph Twp
35		Riverdale Boro
36		Rockaway Boro
37		Rockaway Twp
38		Roxbury Twp
39		Victory Gardens Boro
40		Washington Twp
41		Wharton Boro
42		
43	Passaic	Bloomington Boro
44		Pompton Lakes Boro
45		Ringwood Boro
46		Wanaque Boro
47		West Milford Twp
48		
49	Somerset	Bedminster Twp
50		Bernards Twp
51		Bernardsville Boro
52		Far Hills Boro
53		Peapack-Gladstone Boro
54		
55	Sussex	Byram Twp
56		Franklin Boro
57		Green Twp
58		Hamburg Boro
59		Hardyston Twp

1		Hopatcong Boro
2		Ogdensburg Boro
3		Sparta Twp
4		Stanhope Boro
5		Vernon Twp
6		
7	Warren	Allamuchy Twp
8		Alpha Boro
9		Belvidere Town
10		Franklin Twp
11		Frelinghuysen Twp
12		Greenwich Twp
13		Hackettstown Town
14		Harmony Twp
15		Hope Twp
16		Independence Twp
17		Liberty Twp
18		Lopatcong Twp
19		Mansfield Twp
20		Oxford Twp
21		Phillipsburg Town
22		Pohatcong Twp
23		Washington Boro
24		Washington Twp
25		White Twp

**(10) HISTORIC RESOURCES**

26		
27		
28		
29		<i>Allaire State Park</i>
30		
31	Monmouth	Howell Twp
32		Wall Twp
33		
34		<i>Fort Mott Officers Quarters</i>
35		
36	Salem	Pennsville Twp
37		
38		<i>Griggstown Muletenders Barracks</i>
39		
40	Somerset	Franklin Twp
41		
42		<i>Historic Sites</i>
43		
44	Burlington	Medford Twp
45		
46		<i>Monmouth Battlefield</i>
47		
48	Monmouth	Freehold Twp
49		Manalapan Twp
50		
51		<i>New Bridge Landing</i>
52		
53	Bergen	New Milford Boro
54		River Edge Boro
55		
56		<i>Princeton Battlefield</i>
57		
58	Mercer	Princeton Boro

1	<i>Proprietary House</i>		
2			
3		Middlesex	Perth Amboy City
4			
5	<i>Register Eligible Sites</i>		
6			
7		Somerset	Green Brook Twp
8			Watchung Boro
9			
10	<i>Rockingham Farmstead</i>		
11			
12		Somerset	Franklin Twp
13			
14	<i>Twin Lights</i>		
15			
16		Monmouth	Highlands Boro
17			
18	<i>Washington Crossing State Park</i>		
19			
20		Mercer	Ewing Twp
21			Hopewell Twp
22			
23	<i>Waterloo Village</i>		
24			
25		Sussex	Byram Twp
26			Stanhope Boro
27			
28	<b>(11) NATURAL AREAS</b>		
29			
30	<i>Bill Henry Pond</i>		
31			
32		Atlantic	Egg Harbor Twp
33			
34	<i>Budd Lake Bog</i>		
35			
36		Morris	Mount Olive Twp
37			
38	<i>Campus Swamp</i>		
39			
40		Camden	Gloucester Twp
41			
42	<i>Cheesequake State Park</i>		
43			
44		Middlesex	Old Bridge Twp
45			
46	<i>Crossley Preserve</i>		
47			
48		Ocean	Berkeley Twp
49			Manchester Twp
50			
51	<i>Five Acre Pond</i>		
52			
53		Atlantic	Estell Manor City
54			
55	<i>Gravel Hill</i>		
56			
57		Hunterdon	Holland Twp

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1			<i>Great Piece Meadows/ Troy Meadows</i>
2			
3		Essex	Fairfield Twp
4			Roseland Boro
5			West Caldwell Twp
6			
7		Morris	East Hanover Twp
8			Hanover Twp
9			Lincoln Park Boro
10			Montville Twp
11			Parsippany-Troy Hills Twp
12			Pequannock Twp
13			
14		Passaic	Wayne Twp
15			
16			<i>Hamburg Mountain</i>
17			
18		Sussex	Hardyston Twp
19			Vernon Twp
20			
21			<i>Hidden Lake</i>
22			
23		Camden	Gloucester Twp
24			
25			<i>High Mountain</i>
26			
27		Passaic	North Haledon Boro
28			Wayne Twp
29			
30			<i>Limestone Ridge</i>
31			
32		Warren	Blairstown Twp
33			
34			<i>Long-A-Coming Branch</i>
35			
36		Camden	Winslow Twp
37			
38			<i>Milford Bluffs</i>
39			
40		Hunterdon	Holland Twp
41			
42			<i>Mountain Lake Bog</i>
43			
44		Warren	White Twp
45			<i>Ogdensburg Fen</i>
46			
47		Sussex	Ogdensburg Boro
48			
49			<i>Oswego River Natural Area</i>
50			
51		Burlington	Washington Twp
52			
53			<i>Phone-In-Fen</i>
54			
55		Warren	Hardwick Twp
56			
57			<i>Ramapo Lake Natural Area</i>
58			
59		Bergen	Oakland Boro

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21

1	Passaic	Ringwood Boro
2		Wanaque Boro
3		
4	<i>Ramapo Mountain</i>	
5		
6	Bergen	Mahwah Twp
7		Oakland Boro
8		
9	Passaic	Pompton Lakes Boro
10		Ringwood Boro
11		Wanaque Boro
12		
13	<i>Sourland Mountains</i>	
14		
15	Hunterdon	East Amwell Twp
16		West Amwell Twp
17		
18	Mercer	Hopewell Twp
19		
20	Somerset	Hillsborough Twp
21		Montgomery Twp
22		
23	<i>Strawberry Hill</i>	
24		
25	Mercer	Hopewell Twp
26		
27	<i>Sunfish Pond</i>	
28		
29	Warren	Hardwick Twp
30		
31	<i>Sweet Hollow</i>	
32		
33	Hunterdon	Alexandria Twp
34		Holland Twp
35		
36	<i>Troy Meadows</i>	
37		
38	Morris	Parsippany-Troy Hills Twp
39		
40	<i>Uttertown Bog</i>	
41		
42	Passaic	West Milford Twp
43		
44	<i>Washington Crossing State Park</i>	
45		
46	Mercer	Hopewell Twp
47		
48	<i>Wetlands Habitat/ Bog Turtle</i>	
49		
50	Sussex	Frankford Twp
51		Wantage Twp
52		
53	<i>Whale Pond</i>	
54		
55	Monmouth	Ocean Twp
56		
57	<i>Woodbine Bogs</i>	
58		
59	Cape May	Upper Twp

1	<b>(12) NON-PROFIT CAMPS</b>		
2			
3		<i>Youth Camps</i>	
4			
5		Bergen	Mahwah Twp
6			
7		Burlington	Evesham Twp
8			Medford Twp
9			Tabernacle Twp
10			
11		Cumberland	Greenwich Twp
12			Hopewell Twp
13			
14		Gloucester	Franklin Twp
15			
16		Hunterdon	East Amwell Twp
17			Readington Twp
18			
19		Monmouth	Wall Twp
20			
21		Morris	Kinnelon Boro
22			Rockaway Boro
23			
24		Ocean	Ocean Twp
25			
26		Passaic	Ringwood Boro
27			West Milford Twp
28			
29		Salem	Alloway Twp
30			Upper Pittsgrove Twp
31			
32		Somerset	Franklin Twp
33			
34		Sussex	Byram Twp
35			Hampton Twp
36			Sandyston Twp
37			Sparta Twp
38			Stillwater Twp
39			Vernon Twp
40			Wantage Twp
41			
42		Warren	Frelinghuysen Twp
43			Hardwick Twp
44			Independence Twp
45			Mansfield Twp
46			
47	<b>(13) PINELANDS</b>		
48			
49		Atlantic	Brigantine City
50			Buena Boro
51			Buena Vista Twp
52			Corbin City
53			Egg Harbor City
54			Egg Harbor Twp
55			Estell Manor City
56			Folsom Boro
57			Galloway Twp
58			Hamilton Twp
59			Hammonton Town

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23

1		Mullica Twp
2		Port Republic City
3		Weymouth Twp
4		
5	Burlington	Bass River Twp
6		Evesham Twp
7		Medford Lakes Boro
8		Medford Twp
9		New Hanover Twp
10		North Hanover Twp
11		Pemberton Twp
12		Shamong Twp
13		Southampton Twp
14		Springfield Twp
15		Tabernacle Twp
16		Washington Twp
17		Woodland Twp
18		Wrightstown Boro
19		
20	Camden	Berlin Boro
21		Berlin Twp
22		Chesilhurst Boro
23		Waterford Twp
24		Winslow Twp
25		
26	Cape May	Dennis Twp
27		Middle Twp
28		Upper Twp
29		Woodbine Boro
30		
31	Cumberland	Maurice River Twp
32		Vineland City
33		
34	Gloucester	Franklin Twp
35		Monroe Twp
36		
37	Ocean	Barneget Twp
38		Beachwood Boro
39		Berkeley Twp
40		Eagleswood Twp
41		Jackson Twp
42		Lacey Twp
43		Lakehurst Boro
44		Little Egg Harbor Twp
45		Manchester Twp
46		Ocean Twp
47		Plumsted Twp
48		South Toms River Boro
49		Stafford Twp
50		Toms River Twp
51		Tuckerton Boro
52		
53	<b>(14) RIDGE AND VALLEY GREENWAY</b>	
54		
55	Sussex	Andover Boro
56		Andover Twp
57		Branchville Boro
58		Frankford Twp
59		Fredon Twp

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24

1		Green Twp
2		Hampton Twp
3		Lafayette Twp
4		Montague Twp
5		Newton Town
6		Sandyston Twp
7		Stillwater Twp
8		Sussex Boro
9		Walpack Twp
10		Wantage Twp
11		
12	Warren	Blairstown Twp
13		Frelinghuysen Twp
14		Hackettstown Town
15		Hardwick Twp
16		Hope Twp
17		Knowlton Twp
18		Liberty Twp
19		
20	(15) URBAN PARKS	
21		
22	Atlantic	Atlantic City
23		Pleasantville City
24		
25	Bergen	Bergenfield Boro
26		Cliffside Park Boro
27		Edgewater Boro
28		Garfield City
29		Hackensack City
30		Lodi Boro
31		
32	Burlington	Mount Holly Twp
33		Pemberton Twp
34		Willingboro Twp
35		
36	Camden	Camden City
37		Gloucester City
38		Gloucester Twp
39		Lindenwold Boro
40		Pennsauken Twp
41		Winslow Twp
42		
43	Cumberland	Bridgeton City
44		Millville City
45		Vineland City
46		
47	Essex	Belleville Twp
48		Bloomfield Twp
49		Caldwell Boro
50		Cedar Grove Twp
51		East Orange City
52		Glen Ridge Boro
53		Irvington Twp
54		Maplewood Twp
55		Montclair Twp
56		Newark City
57		Nutley Twp

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25

1		Orange City Twp
2		South Orange Village Twp
3		West Orange Twp
4		
5	Gloucester	Glassboro Boro
6		Monroe Twp
7		Paulsboro Boro
8		Woodbury City
9		
10	Hudson	Bayonne City
11		East Newark Boro
12		Guttenberg Town
13		Harrison Town
14		Hoboken City
15		Jersey City
16		Kearny Town
17		North Bergen Twp
18		Union City
19		Weehawken Twp
20		West New York Town
21		
22	Mercer	Trenton City
23		
24	Middlesex	Carteret Boro
25		Edison Twp
26		New Brunswick City
27		Old Bridge Twp
28		Perth Amboy City
29		Woodbridge Twp
30		
31	Monmouth	Asbury Park City
32		Long Branch City
33		Neptune City Boro
34		Neptune Twp
35		
36	Ocean	Brick Twp
37		Lakewood Twp
38		
39	Passaic	Clifton City
40		Passaic City
41		Paterson City
42		Totowa Boro
43		
44	Salem	Penns Grove Boro
45		Salem City
46		
47	Union	Elizabeth City
48		Fanwood Boro
49		Garwood Boro
50		Hillside Twp
51		Linden City
52		Plainfield City
53		Rahway City
54		Roselle Boro
55		Roselle Park Boro
56		Union Twp
57		Winfield Twp

1 Warren Phillipsburg Town

2  
3 **TOTAL** **\$21,375,000**

4  
5 c. The expenditure of funds appropriated pursuant to  
6 subsection a. of this section for any project listed in subsection b. of  
7 this section shall not require the approval of the Joint Budget  
8 Oversight Committee, or its successor.

9 d. To the extent that moneys remain available after the projects  
10 listed in subsection b. of this section are offered funding pursuant  
11 thereto, any State project that previously received funding  
12 appropriated or reappropriated from any Green Acres bond act, any  
13 annual appropriations act, the Garden State Green Acres  
14 Preservation Trust Fund, established pursuant to the “Garden State  
15 Preservation Trust Act,” P.L.1999, c.152 (C.13:8C-1 et seq.), or the  
16 “Preserve New Jersey Green Acres Fund,” established pursuant to  
17 section 6 of the “Preserve New Jersey Act,” P.L.2016, c.12  
18 (C.13:8C-48), for recreation and conservation purposes shall be  
19 eligible to receive additional funding, as determined by the  
20 Department of Environmental Protection, subject to the approval of  
21 the Joint Budget Oversight Committee or its successor.

22 For the purposes of this subsection, “Green Acres bond act”  
23 means P.L.2009, c.117, P.L.2007, c.119, P.L.1995, c.204, P.L.1992,  
24 c.88, and P.L.1989, c.183.

25  
26 2. a. There is appropriated to the Department of  
27 Environmental Protection the sum of \$21,375,000 from dedicated  
28 corporation business tax revenues pursuant to Article VIII, Section  
29 II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution in the “Preserve New  
30 Jersey Green Acres Fund,” established pursuant to section 6 of the  
31 “Preserve New Jersey Act,” P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-48), and the  
32 “Preserve New Jersey Blue Acres Fund,” established pursuant to  
33 section 7 of P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-49), for the acquisition, for  
34 recreation and conservation purposes, of lands throughout the State  
35 that have been damaged by, or may be prone to incurring damage  
36 caused by, storms or storm-related flooding, or that may buffer or  
37 protect other lands from such damage. Of the amount appropriated  
38 pursuant to this subsection, the sum of \$5,402,000 is available due  
39 to interest earnings on the dedicated corporation business tax  
40 revenues pursuant to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the  
41 State Constitution.

42 b. The funds appropriated pursuant to subsection a. of this  
43 section shall be allocated as follows:

44

45 Project	County	Municipality	Amount
47 BLUE ACRES			\$21,375,000
49	Every county	Every municipality	
51 <b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$21,375,000</b>

1 c. The expenditure of moneys appropriated pursuant to this  
2 section is subject to the provisions of the “Preserve New Jersey  
3 Act,” P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-43 et seq.).  
4

5 3. a. There is reappropriated to the Department of  
6 Environmental Protection the unexpended balances, due to project  
7 cancellations or cost savings, of the amounts appropriated or  
8 reappropriated from this act, any Green Acres bond act, any annual  
9 appropriations act, the Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust  
10 Fund, established pursuant to the “Garden State Preservation Trust  
11 Act,” P.L.1999, c.152 (C.13:8C-1 et seq.), or the “Preserve New  
12 Jersey Green Acres Fund,” established pursuant to section 6 of the  
13 “Preserve New Jersey Act,” P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-48), for State  
14 projects to acquire or develop lands for recreation and conservation  
15 purposes, for the purpose of providing additional funding, as  
16 determined by the Department of Environmental Protection, to any  
17 State project that previously received funding appropriated or  
18 reappropriated from any Green Acres bond act, any annual  
19 appropriations act, the Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust  
20 Fund, or the “Preserve New Jersey Green Acres Fund” for  
21 recreation and conservation purposes or that receives funding  
22 approved pursuant to section 1 of this act, subject to the approval of  
23 the Joint Budget Oversight Committee or its successor. Any such  
24 additional funding provided from a Green Acres bond act may  
25 include administrative costs.

26 b. For the purposes of this section, “Green Acres bond act”  
27 means P.L.2009, c.117, P.L.2007, c.119, P.L.1995, c.204, P.L.1992,  
28 c.88, and P.L.1989, c.183.  
29

30 4. There is appropriated to the Department of Environmental  
31 Protection the sum of \$1,650,000 from dedicated corporation  
32 business tax revenues pursuant to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph  
33 6 of the State Constitution in the “Preserve New Jersey Green Acres  
34 Fund,” established pursuant to section 6 of the “Preserve New  
35 Jersey Act,” P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-48), for paying administrative  
36 costs associated with administering the applicable provisions of  
37 P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-43 et seq.). Of the amount appropriated  
38 pursuant to this section, \$825,000 shall be used for the paying  
39 administrative costs associated with administering the provisions of  
40 section 1 of this act and \$825,000 shall be used for the paying  
41 administrative costs associated with administering the provisions of  
42 section 2 of this act.  
43

44 5. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
45 “Preserve New Jersey Green Acres Fund,” established pursuant to  
46 section 6 of the “Preserve New Jersey Act,” P.L.2016, c.12  
47 (C.13:8C-48), the sum of \$33,596,000 to implement the provisions  
48 of this act.

1       6. This act shall take effect immediately.

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#### STATEMENT

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6       This bill appropriates the sum of \$44.4 million to the Department  
7 of Environmental Protection (DEP) to provide funding for the  
8 acquisition by the State of lands for recreation and conservation  
9 purposes, including for Blue Acres projects, pursuant to the  
10 “Preserve New Jersey Act,” P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-43 et seq.).

11       The funding in this bill is provided from constitutionally  
12 dedicated corporation business tax (CBT) revenues pursuant to  
13 Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution,  
14 approved by the voters of the State in November 2014. The  
15 “Preserve New Jersey Act” implements the constitutional  
16 dedication of CBT revenues for open space, farmland, and historic  
17 preservation. The act provides that a certain amount of the portion  
18 of dedicated CBT revenues allocated each year for the Green Acres  
19 program is to be used for: the acquisition of lands for open space,  
20 including Blue Acres projects, and development projects on State  
21 lands administered by the DEP’s Division of Fish and Wildlife and  
22 Division of Parks and Forestry; grants and loans to fund local  
23 government open space acquisition and development projects; and  
24 grants to nonprofit entities to acquire or develop lands for  
25 recreation and conservation purposes. This bill appropriates  
26 moneys for State open space acquisition projects, including for Blue  
27 Acres projects.

28       Specifically, this bill appropriates \$21,375,000 to the DEP to  
29 provide funding for the acquisition by the State of lands for  
30 recreation and conservation purposes. This appropriation allocates  
31 funding for the acquisition by the State of lands, for recreation and  
32 conservation purposes, located throughout the State within the 15  
33 project categories identified in section 1 of the bill. The bill also  
34 appropriates \$21,375,000 to the DEP to provide funding for the  
35 acquisition by the State, for recreation and conservation purposes,  
36 of properties throughout the State that are prone to or have incurred  
37 flood or storm damage, or that may buffer or protect other lands  
38 from such damage, i.e., “Blue Acres” projects. In addition, section  
39 3 of the bill appropriates \$1,650,000 to the DEP for the purposes of  
40 paying administrative costs associated with administering the  
41 applicable provisions of the “Preserve New Jersey Act.” Of the  
42 total funds appropriated in the bill, the sum of \$10,804,000 million  
43 is available due to interest earnings on the constitutionally  
44 dedicated CBT revenues.

45       The “Preserve New Jersey Green Acres Fund” was established  
46 by section 6 of the “Preserve New Jersey Act.” The “Preserve New  
47 Jersey Blue Acres Fund” was established by section 7 of the  
48 “Preserve New Jersey Act.” P.L.2019, c.136 amended the  
49 “Preserve New Jersey Act” to incorporate the purposes of the

1 “Preserve New Jersey Blue Acres Fund” into the “Preserve New  
2 Jersey Green Acres Fund,” rather than having two separate funds,  
3 both providing moneys to the DEP for the acquisition of lands for  
4 recreation and conservation purposes. Of the funding allocated for  
5 the acquisition of lands for recreation and conservation purposes by  
6 the State, a minimum of 10 percent is to be allocated for Blue Acres  
7 projects.

8 The projects and appropriations listed in this bill have been  
9 approved by the DEP and the Garden State Preservation Trust.

10 Lastly, the bill authorizes the department to re-distribute certain  
11 other moneys made available by project cancellations or cost  
12 savings to provide additional funding, for recreation and  
13 conservation purposes, to previously approved and funded State  
14 projects, subject to the approval of the Joint Budget Oversight  
15 Committee. The bill provides that the additional funding, if  
16 provided from a Green Acres bond act, may include administrative  
17 costs.