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MOUNT LAUREL II'S BUILDERS' REMEDY IMPACT ON CRANBURY HISTORIC DISTRICT:

## SUMMARY STATEMENT

The recent Builders' Remedy implementation based on the Mount Laurel II decision was adjudicated without the body of fact concerning Cranbury's State and National historical significance. The said decision states that:

- 1. Fair share housing allocation be consistant with the State's development plan.
- 2. Municipalities not be arbitrarily included or excluded.
- 3. The primary function of the decision is to determine where growth should be encouraged or discouraged.
- 4. State and County governmental offices have the right to bring before the (Supreme) Court any new bodies of fact by January 1, 1985 and in three year increments after that date.
- 5. The Court has the right to review this new information by trial court when: a). expert testimony is given involving impact on municipal (county, state and national) interests of greater importance, and; b). when environmental (historical) or other substantial planning concerns are clearly contrary to sound land use planning.
- 6. Areas should be considered unsuitable for high-growth housing where there are substantial environmental constraints.
- 7. The decision should not result in substantial environmental degradation.
- 8. The fair share allocation should be calculated with concern to environmental conservation.
- 9. The Court's intent is not to make any municipality subject to the same growth area as found in the county or a demographic mirror image of the region.

The Township of Cranbury is a three hundred year old community located in south Middlesex County, New Jersey. Cranbury village was placed on the State Register of Historic Places in 1979 and on the National Register in 1980 with a total of 218 structures now listed. Cranbury is a small community of approximately 1993 residents with an economy based on active farming, small retail establishments and office/research employment. The Historic District's nomination to the State and National Registers included the following statements of significance: "Cranbury is the best preserved 19th century village in Middlesex County. While there are many small... villages...in New Jersey, few are in such an undisturbed environment as that of Cranbury. Cranbury embodies the hopes and aspirations of the nation in the mid-19th century. timism, faith, and reasoned growth are part of what Cranbury represented and continues to represent." (emphasis added)

The Builders' Remedy ruling will have the following housing impacts on Cranbury:

- 1. 4080 units are to be built by 1990 (816 low-moderate income quota). The original Mount Laurel decision called for a total of eighteen units as Cranbury's fair share allocation.
- a. All Builders' Remedy plans call for high density apartment complexes, condominiums and/or townhouses which will be the exact opposite of the existing historic infrastructure.
- b. Project density ranges from five to ten-plus units per acre. This density will destroy prime (preserved) Class I, II, and III agricultural soils and will encapsulate the Historic District with only a fifty-foot setback between the new development and the district.

This Builders' Remedy will have the following adverse impacts:

- 1. The existing population which controls impacts on the district will be overwhelmed by a seven-fold increase in population. This increase will occur in less than five years and will jeopardize the existing restraints on the village due to the lack of state enabling legislation for local historic preservation ordinances.
- 2. Physical damage to historic structures will be caused by vibrations carried from the development sites through the hydrologically sensitive agricultural soils. (These vibrations travel laterally.)
- 3. Remedies will cause radical change to the economic environment inside the village's business district. Either of the following scenarios are likely to occur:
  - a. Development of a subregional shopping facility will draw shoppers from the central business district thereby causing a decline in the commercial vitality of the existing small retail shops.
  - b. If pressure is placed directly on the central business district for increased services and goods to support the new population, existing stores will be inadequate. This will affect the commercial area by destroying existing small retail shops as demand increases for larger stores, and; destroying contiguous housing as the demand for larger parking facilities increases.

Both scenarios will affect the existing shop owners and spell the destruction of their economic base. The Builders' Remedy will have the following adverse impacts on the present infrastructure and support services:

- 1. Increased traffic will necessitate larger intersections, road widening and will cause additional vibration damage.
- 2. If this new body of fact regarding the village's significance is not presented to the Court and acted upon prior to December 15, 1984 (due to Christmas recess), Cranbury will be grandfathered in the existing decision, precluding any future modification of the Builders' Remedy (see reference to preliminary State Development Guide Plan used as an appendix to the Mount Laurel II decision. Note the absence of information regarding the historical significance of Cranbury).

This body of fact presentation to the Court is to be accomplished in the following manner:

A. A Critical Issues Fund emergency grant applied for through the National Trust for Historic Preservation, Washington, D.C. and to be matched by regionally-raised funds. Total amount to be approximately 25,000 dollars and will be allocated to gather the following team:

State and Nationally recognized preservation attorney. Regional land use attorney Certified regional planner Certified engineer Certified preservationist

An advisory group consisting of a representative of the developers, a representative of the Civic (Urban) League of Greater New Brunswick, and local Cranbury residents and businessmen will be formed to provide input into the expert testimony to be presented to the Court.

This body of facts, by conditions expressed in the Mount Laurel II decision, must provide expert testimony in the following areas:

- 1. Impact on National Historic District during and after the Builders' Remedy implementation.
- 2. Impact on local, state and national concerns involving same.
- 3. Impact on rights of community, regional and state agencies including:
  - a. Township and offices of Cranbury.
  - b. Local citizens groups; preservationists, environmentalists, non-profit housing agency and farmland preservationists, local developers.
  - c. Civic (Urban) League regional office.

- d. Senior Citizens County Office.
- e. Developers, New Jersey Builders' Association.

It is hoped that this body of fact will produce the necessary effect required under the Mount Laurel II decision guidelines to remediate the outdated Middlesex County map in the State Development Guide Plan appendix.

This expert testimony must be presented to the Court by December 15, 1984. This informational project has already brought attention of the preservation and environmental concerns of the Mount Laurel II decision to the state legislature's proposed Fair Housing Act and State Planning Act bills. These bills will replace the Mount Laurel II decision with a State development master plan supervised by a board which will follow the planning doctrine expressed in the decision. project now under consideration will continue to have a positive influence at all governmental levels with regards to environmentally sensitive historic sites. Attached is a list of agencies already involved in this project.

In conclusion, Cranbury Township is a heterogeneous comminuty that already has a non-profit agency involved with building low and moderate income housing. This agency has been in existance for the past twenty years and its efforts were reflected in the original Mount Laurel decision which allocated eighteen low-moderate housing units to Cranbury. The agency is prepared to construct an additional thirty to two hundred units under the Mount Laurel II quota. It is evident that neither the town of Cranbury nor any other agency is in any way attempting to enforce practices that could be construed as being exclusionary. The community firmly believes that all citizens have a right to their fare share of housing as described in the body of the two Mount Laurel decisions.

Report prepared by:

Thomas J. Sadlowski, Chair

Historic Sites, Middlesex County

Richard S. Walling

New Jersey Preservation Consultant &

William L. Bunting Jr., Esq.

President, Cranbury Landmarks, Ic.

The following is a list of offices contacted for the purpose of creating the Cranbury CIF grant (to generate the new body of fact). These offices have reqested continual update and provised to provide expertise, additional information, etc.

Gary Hume
Carol Shawal
Department of the Interior
Parks Department
Office of the National Register

Robert Perry J. Gill Office of New Jersey Heritage New Jersey DEP

Tom King
Don Klima
Advisory Council on
Historic Preservation
Department of the Interior

Commissioner Helen Fenske Environmental Resources New Jersey DEP

Constance Beaumont National Trust for Historic Preservation Bernie Bush, Executive Director New Jersey State Historical Comm.

Donna Harris Mike May Mid Atlantic Office, National Trust for Hist. Pres. Harry Pozycki, Esq. Author of State legislative bills FHA, SPA, etc. Metuchen, New Jersey

Congressman Matthew Rinaldo Chief Caseworker Louise Maus 12th District New Jersey Assemblyman Frank Pelly Majority Whip District 12 New Jersey State Assembly

Congressman Chris Smith New Jersey

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Assemblyman Joseph Bocchini Jr. District 14
New Jersey State Assembly

U.S. Senator Frank R. Lautenberg Legislative Assistant Tom Howarth Assemblyman Joseph Patero District 14 New Jersey State Assembly

U.S. Senator William Bradley Special Projects Assistant Mark Ebbin Commissioner Thomas Sadlowski Chairman of Historic Sites Middlesex County, New Jersey

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CONTACTED OFFICES page two

Dr. E. Chandler Mr. Roy Epps Civic (Urban) League of Greater New Brunswick

Mr. Allen Felsenburg Assistant Secretary of State New Jersey

Grace Hagedorn New Jersey State Historic Council and Trust

F. Stone, Congressional Aide Congressman Gillman, New York

Commissioner Renna Assistant Commissioner Sidney Willis New Jersey Department of Community Affairs

Phi J. Cocuzza, Executive Director Anthony Pizzuilla, Assistant to Ex. Director New Jersey Builders Association

Mary Jane Post Meadows Foundation Somerset County, New Jersey

Paige L'Hommadieau Foundation Mr. L'Hommadieau

Thomas J. Sadlowski Chairman of Historic Sites Middlesex County 145 Hardenburg Lane East Brunswick, New Jersey 08816 October 14, 1984

Constance E. Beaumont Program Officer Financial Services National Trust for Historic Preservation 1785 Massachusetts Avenue N.W. Washington, D.C. 20036

## Dear Connie;

In the packet you will find the information necessary to qualify Middlesex County's MCCHOSO founding member (Cranbury Historical and Preservation Society) as a viable extentions to my Commission and to the preservation of privately and publicly owned local, state and national historic sites.

- 1. MCCHOSO has been a standing committee of our Commission since 1980.
- 2. MCCHOSO was accepted as a pilot project by the State of New Jersey to further preservation in the State.
- 3. MCCHOSO has held two major projects to date:

Preservation Experience I Preservation Experience II

and is now working on Preservation Experience III for 1985. to help in New Jersey tourism and the Deleware Raritan Canal celebration.

- 4. MCCHOSO has won three awards to date:
  - 1. State award for project,
  - 2. National award for project,
  - 3. National award Preservation Experience I poster.
- 5. MCCHOSO now has active members from twenty of the twentyfive municipalities throughout the County. Cranbury is a founding member and presently active member through its two agencies; 1. Cranbury Historic and Preservation Society, and; 2. Cranbury Landmarks, Inc.
- 6. Below is a list of agencies involved to date in MCCHOSO projects:

Office of New Jersey Heritage New Jersey Tourism Office Gate Way Tourism Office New Jersey State Historic Trust

(continued on next page)

Mid Atlantic Office, National Trust for Hist. Pres. National Trust for Historic Preservation National Endowment for the Humanities New Jersey Committee for the Humanities Deleware Raritan Canal Commission Route One Poets New Brunswick Tomorrow Office of the Governor, New Jersey New Jersey Secretary of State's Office New Jersey Green Acres The Cultural Center, City of New Brunswick New Jersey Historic Commission New Jersey Historical Society Meadows Foundation Paige L' Hommadieau Foundation Middlesex County Parks College Freeholders Planning Department HUD Committee Engineering Office Handicapped Office Senior Citizens Office

I hope you will find the enclosed material helpful in determining the founding members' (Cranbury's non-profit members in MCCHOSO) eligibility for the grant.

Green Thumb Project

Thomas J. Sadlowski

Chairman of Historic Sites Project MCCHOSO

P.S. I will be speaking at the Fifth Annual Local Historian's Conference to bring this information to the attention of these state-wide groups. The Conference will be held on Oct. 24, 1984 and permission was given by New Jersey Historical Commission Executive Director Bernie Bush on Oct. 12, 1984.

#### MIDDLESEX COUNTY CULTURAL AND HERITAGE COMMISSIONERS

Dr. Richard G. Durnin

Historian and Educator, New York City University Founder and Art Advisor for Norway Art Gallery,

Maine. Art Collector

50 Chester Circle, New Brunswick, N.J. 08901

Dr. Eric B. Chandler

Educator, Civil Rights as a Field Representative for Compliance and Education. Ass't Chief Bureau of Education

100 Memorial Pkwy. Apt. 1-D, New Brunswick, N.J.

Estelle Goldsmith

Music and Art from: The Juilliard School of Music, Manhattan School of Music and Metropolitan Museum of Art. Music Teacher. Founder and Director of Concert Assoc., Arts and Music Administration in East Brunswick, Preservation, Heritage and Conservation

43 Sullivan Way, East Brunswick, N.J. 08816

Don H. Salsky, Esq.

Attorney at Law, Preservationist, Treasurer to and Legal Advisor to the Metlar Museum, Piscataway (a State-owned National Historic Site).

John E. Fedynyshyn

Southeastern Massachusetts University Rutgers University - N. J. Dept. of Community Affairs - Perth Amboy Arts Administration 184 Water St. Apt. D-3, Perth Amboy, N.J. 08861

James E. McGreevey, Esq.

Attorney at Law, interest in the Arts and Education. Middlesex County Teen Arts Festival and State Teen Arts Festival.

Thomas J. Sadlowski

Educator, Jersey City State College
Carribean Symphony Orchastra, First violin
Scenic Designer - theater work. Hudson Symphony,
Founder and Educator of St. Croix School of the
Arts, Friends and Chairman of Board of Metlar
House Museum. Wood scupture

1426 Dogwood Drive, Piscataway, N.J. 08854

Dr. Harris I. Effross

Writer, Author of several publications

Middlesex County Bicentennial Committee

Middlesex County College Liberal Arts

Member, New Jersey State Board of
Ethics.

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1 October 1984

Mr. Thomas J. Sadlowski Chairman of Historic Sites Middlesex County 145 Hardenburg Lane East Brunswick, NJ 08816

Dear Mr. Sadlowski:

In response to your inquiry about the <u>State Development Guide Plan</u>, I can give you the following information.

The <u>Plan</u> was prepared by a professional and technical staff funded from two sources. One source was the State's appropriation for State and regional planning to the Department of Community Affairs. The federal source was the United State Department of Housing and Urban Development's Urban Planning Assistance Program, authorized by Section 701 of the Housing Act of 1954, as amended, and distributed through the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs.

The departmental unit that prepared the  $\underline{Plan}$  was dissolved in April 1983.

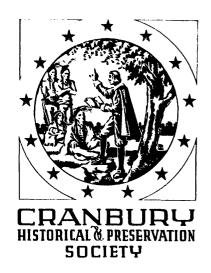
Sincerely,

Jonathan Gell

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Principal Environmental Specialist

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October 15, 1984

Mr. Thomas J. Sadlowski Chair of Historic Sites and Preservation 145 Hardenburg Lane East Brunswick, New Jersey 08816

Dear Chair:

For your information I am one of the founders and an active member in MCCHOSO, a coalition of Middlesex County historic organizations and site owners, accepted in 1980 as a county project. I am also an Active Member of the National Trust for Historic Preservation.

I believe that your proposed project, the ultimate presentation of expert testimony on the impact of Mount Laurel II on historic and environmentally-sensitive areas to the New Jersey Supreme Court is a viable one.

Very truly yours,

(Mrs. William D. Wagner)

President

158 North Main Street, R.D.2 Cranbury, New Jersey 08512

#### PETITION

We, the undersigned, hereby petition our representatives in the New Jersey State Legislature to consider the dilemma of Cranbury Township and to take the necessary action to initiate and support legislation that would enable such rural and historic municipalities as Cranbury to achieve reasonable growth, preserve farmland and protect the historic nature of its village.

- 1. Cranbury Township is a small municipality of less than 2,000 residents which cannot realistically absorb such growth as required by the court (a sevenfold increase in the Township's population in 6 years!), and which is also trying to preserve prime agricultural lands and protect its historic district.
- 2. Cranbury enacted a new master plan prior to the last Supreme Court decision on Mt. Laurel. That plan, and the implementing zoning ordinances, provide that Cranbury will permit approximately 1,500 housing units, of which 300 could be low and moderate income, to be erected in Cranbury over the life of the master plan the next six years. In addition, these ordinances are also designed to preserve approximately 3,500 to 4,000 acres of prime agricultural land and at the same time protect the village area of the Township. Some 218 major buildings in our central district have been placed on the National and State Historic District Registers.
- 3. Both the Mount Laurel decision itself and the Municipal Land Use Law specifically declare the court's and legislature's concern for agricultural preservation. Judge Serpentelli's order, however, imposes such drastic numbers on Cranbury that the Township's efforts to preserve both its farmland and the character of its historic district will be substantially impeded, if not destroyed, in the interest of providing builders' remedies.
- 4. We believe that the transfer of development credit mechanism recently adopted in Cranbury is an appropriate way of preserving the rural character of the community, and we urge the Legislature specifically to authorize municipalities to adopt such procedures.

NAME ADDRESS

30 Fawn Circle Berkeley Heights, N.J. 07922 Oct. 14, 1984

To whom it may concern:

I am writing in support of the application of preservation groups in Cranbury, N.J. for a grant from the National Trust for Historic Preservation's Critical Issues Fund. As I understand the situation, the grant would be used for the preparation and presentation of information to the New Jersey Supreme Court re the impacts on Cranbury of the Court's landmark Mount Laurel II zoning decision.

In the absence of other guidelines, Mount Laurel II relies on the 1980, now outdated, State Development Guide Plan, which allows for environmental concerns but does not recognize such outstanding features of the built environment as the Village of Cranbury, a National Register Historic District. Without the input to the Court, before the Dec. 15, 1984 deadline, that the Critical Issues grant would provide for, the rural setting of this picture-book village could, and almost certainly would, be replaced by dense development. This development would not only destry the setting that enhances the village but would also have detrimental effects on the historic district proper. Instead of the near-perfect village admired not only by preservationists but by the public at large, Cranbury could become a ghost-town.

Expert testimony from preservation interests re Mt. Laurel II is essential to protect Cranbury and other historic districts in similar situations. This testimony could also be useful in introducing preservation concepts into pending legislation that is resulting from Mount Laurel II, and could have impacts in fair housing cases beyond New Jersey's boundaries.

Now, in the midst of the uncetainties and confusion still surrounding Mt. Laurel II, despite one somewhat clarifying decision (Warren Township) is the time to act to protect preservation concerns. The Cranbury case offers a golden opportunity!

I should say that I have long been an advocate of fair housing and having watched the inaction following New Jersey's Mount Laurel I decision believe that Mount Laurel II was a necessity. I do not believe Mount Laurel II was intended to destroy historic resources.

I have been a member of the National Trust and a contributor for approximately 20 years, am an officer and trustee of the New Jersey Historic Trust and the Historical Society of Berkeley Heights and belong to Preservation New Jersey and Preservation Action. I am also a former local planning board member and former president of the Berkeley Heights League of Women Voters.

Through my preservation activities, I have known several of the persons involved in forwarding this application since 1979. I know them to be dedicated preservationists generous with their time and money in the cause of preservation. I also know that they share my interest in fair housing.

Thank you for your attention to this letter.

Very truly yours,

Grace Hagedorn

(Mrs. Fred B. Hagedorn)

## II. SUMMARY OF PROJECT:

This project will hopefully modify the present Builders' Remedy to lessen the environmental impact on this National Historic District. To implement this modification, as allowed under the Mt. Laurel II decision, we propose to engage a panel of experts and a supporting advisory council, to produce a body of fact to be presented to the Supreme Court for review of its decision. This review is provided for in the Court's decision and must be presented by Dec. 15, 1984 (due to the Christmas recess). The introduction of this new body of fact is the only avenue to buffer the destructive affects of the present Builders' Remedy on the National Historic District. This is the only method allowed by the Mt. Laurel II decision as Cranbury will be tied to the decision and will not be affected by the proposed replacement bills currently in the State legislature (these replacement laws include the State Planning Act which will establish a State Master Plan and the Fair Housing Act which will create a council to use the doctrine of the Mt. Laurel II decision). This new information is and will be infused into the new State legislation (which will replace the Mt. Laurel II decision); this process is beginning to be accomplished prior to this grant application. Further, the body of information will be used to inform and guide communities that have present and future potential for involvement with similar : concerns.

A determination as to any excess funds has been made by the applicants. Any funds remaining after all experts have been paid and expenses met will be directed towards preservation activities in the National Historic District of Cranbury, under the direction of the Cranbury Historical and Preservation Society and Cranbury Landmarks, Inc. with guidance from MCCHOSO

## V. PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The project will consist of engaging a group of experts who will present Cranbury's case to the Superior Court of New Jersey and the New Jersey Supreme Court for their review. This panel is necessary because during the town's trial no expert testimony dealt specifically with the environmental impact on the Historic District of the decision of the Court. No information on environmental historic impact was given by State or regional (county) offices. No environmental or his torical information on the national status of Cranbury's Historic District is, or was present when the preliminary State Development Guide Plan growth areas were established.

To remedy this omission of fact, the Mt. Laurel II decision allows the right to introduce new bodies of fact that have (or can prove) adverse environmental impact on the Mt. Laurel II developer suits. Information must be received by the Court no later than January 1, 1985; this date has been moved up to Dec. 15, 1984 due to Christmas recess.

To produce this body of fact, the Cranbury Historical and Preservation Society and Cranbury Landmarks, Inc., both non-profit organizations joined in the efforts of regional, national agencies and private groups concerned with Cranbury's preservation. These two local organizations will serve as a funding nucleus to support the creation of a core of experts and an advisory panel for the production of this new body of fact.

The flow chart depicts the existing and proposed organization of this project. The components of the chart are as follows:

ADVISORY GROUPS:

## Preservation

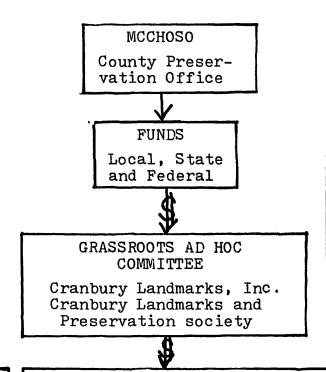
Local: Cranbury Historical and Preservation Society and Cranbury Landmarks, Inc. will serve as the core groups holding monies, hiring experts and acting as advisors to the panel.

County: Chairman of Historic Sites through MCCHOSO; was the initial contact organization and will continue to be advisory to the joint agencies listed above and the panel of experts.

State: Office of New Jersey Heritage will continue to supply information as needed and as a contact with the State Historic Trust.

Historical Commission will provide media access and contact with the State Historic Trust.

## PROJECT FLOW CHART



## LOCAL ADVISORS:

Cranbury Twp. Committee Housing Associates Business Association Women's Club Lions Club

## PANEL OF EXPERTS:

Certified Preservation Attorney
Land Use Attorney
Licensed Planner
Certified Preservationist
Licensed Engineer

STATE SUPREME COURT

## OUTSIDE ADVISORS:

Civic (Urban) League N.J. Builders Assoc. Middlesex County Senior Citizens State Legislature Preservation Offices Local, State, County Federal PROJECT DESCRIPTION page two

Federal: Mid-Atlantic Office, National Trust for Historic Preservation will continue to act as support service and as expert advisors.

National Trust for Historic Preservation, same as the Mid-Atlantic office and as a funding source (CIF grant of \$12,500) for expert testimony and presentation of body of fact.

Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, Department of the Interior, will monitor activities of use of federal funds that will have an adverse impact on this national historic district.

Preservationist involved with project to date: M. Pane, D. Salsky, Wm. Bunting, B. Wagner, J. Sadlowski, R. Walling, D. Harris, C. Shawal, T. King, D Klima, G. Hagedorn, E. Chandler, M. J. Post.

## Other Outside Groups

Civic (Urban) League of New Brunswick will act as advisor to panel of experts regarding low-moderate income housing. Contacts are Roy Epps and Dr. E. Chandler.

New Jersey Builders Association will act as advisor to panel of experts regarding effect on developers. Contacts are Phil J. Cocuzza, Executive Director and Anthony Pizzuillo.

Middlesex County Senior Citizens will act as experts to the panel of experts regarding needs for senior citizens low-moderate housing.

#### Local Advisors

The following bodies and groups will serve as active advisors to the panel of experts; Cranbury Township Mayor and Committee, Cranbury Housing Associates, Business Association, Woman's Club, Lions Club.

#### PANEL OF EXPERTS:

This group will be formed through funds raised from local, regional and National Trust sources. The panel will be receiving information from the advisory council and the panel will formulate the new body of fact. The panel will consist of:

Certified Preservation Attorney Michael Pane (see entry 11)
Land Use Attorney Harry Pozycki (see entry 11)
Licensed Planner

Certified Preservationist Richard Walling (acting as tempory advisor, see entry 11)

Licensed Structural Engineer (being sought)

Based on the flow chart and the component description, we hope that the produced body of fact will have a definite impact on the final implementation decision of the Mt. Laurel II trial court. The body of fact will also be used in future legislation that will be affecting environmentally sensitive areas in the region and State. Any funds remaining after all experts have been paid and expenses met will be directed towards preservation activities in the National Historic District of Cranbury, under the direction of the Cranbury Historical and Preservation Society and Cranbury Landmarks, Inc. with guidance from MCCHOSO.

To summarize, the project (which will be in-part funded by the CIF grant) will have a primary and two secondary outcomes. The major purpose of the project is to modify the existing Builders' Remedy allocation of 4080 units to a new number which will not adversely affect the Historic District. The secondary purposes include the introduction of preservation-related concerns into new and proposed legislation and to share the factual findings with other agencies and the public through an aggressive public information campaign. Our efforts to date have already had an impact on the inclusion of preservation issues in new State bills and the State Historical Commission has made a commitment to publicize the Cranbury project and its outcome.

## Proposed Budget Cranbury CIF Grant:

Certified Preservation Attorney

75 hrs. @ \$80. (45. National Trust/35. Local) \$6,000.

Certified Historic Preservation Consultant

40 hrs. @ 80. (45/35)

3,200.

Licensed Engineer

23 hrs. @ 80. (45/35)

1,840.

Land Use Attorney

75 hrs. @ 80. (45/35)

6,000.

Licensed Planner

64 hrs. @ 80. (45/35)

5,120.

Court Fees and transcripts (local matching funds)

1,500.

Clerical, copying, supplies (local matching funds)

1,340.

\$25,000.

Cranbury CIF Grant Total: \$12,465.

Local Matching Funds Total: 12,535.

Total Project Budget:

\$25,000.

# In-Kind Expenses and Funds Incurred Prior to Grant Application CIF, National Trust for Historic Preservation:

## Professional In-Kind Services:

| Don Salsky, Esq. 15 hrs. @ \$80.00         | \$ 1,200. |  |  |  |
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| Michael Pane, Esq. 15 hrs. @ 80.00         | 1,200.    |  |  |  |
| William Bunting, Esq. 15 hrs. @ 80.00      | 1,200.    |  |  |  |
| Richard Walling, Preservation Consultant   |           |  |  |  |
| 70 hrs. @ 80.00                            | 5,600.    |  |  |  |
| Non-Professional Inkind Services           |           |  |  |  |
| Tom Sadlowski 110 hrs. @ 10.00             | 1,100.    |  |  |  |
| June Sadlowski 50 hrs. @ 10.00             | 500.      |  |  |  |
|  |           |  |  |  |
| Expenses:                                  |           |  |  |  |
| Travel Airfair to Washington, D.C. Oct. 9. | 440.      |  |  |  |
| Phone                                      | 80.       |  |  |  |
| Car 415 miles @ 18¢                        | 81.       |  |  |  |
| Copying                                    | 50.       |  |  |  |
| Postage                                    | 20.       |  |  |  |
| Personal Expenses                          | 140.      |  |  |  |
| Misc.                                      | 50.       |  |  |  |
| In-Kind School Professional Days (2)       |           |  |  |  |
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Total: \$11,921.

The proposed methods of evaluating the project will be three-fold: 1) actual buffering affect on the Mt. Laurel II's Builders' Remedy decision on Cranbury based upon the new body of fact produced by the panel of experts. 2) This body of information will be injected, and has been injected, into the formation of the following State legislative bills; Assembly bills 591 and 666, the State Planning Act and the Fair Housing Act. This infusion of information has been under the guidance of:

Assemblyman Frank Pelly, District 12
Assemblyman Joseph Patero, District 14
Assemblyman Joseph Bocchini, Jr., District 14
Assistant Commissioner Sidney Willis, Department of Community Affairs
Harry Pozycki, Esq., Legislative Author

3) The publication of the factual findings of this project is to be done by, and for the benefit of, the following agencies:

Niddlesex County Cultural and Heritage Commission
Office of New Jersey Heritage
State Historic Council and Trust
State Historical Commission
Department of Community Affairs
Mid-Atlantic Office, National Trust
National Trust for Historic Preservation, Washington, D.C.

A final report will be presented to the National Historic District one year from the date of its involvement. This report will include all three evaluation methods and a projection of future impacts from the following agencies:

Cranbury Landmarks, Inc.
Cranbury Historical and Preservation Society
Middlesex County Cultural and Heritage Commission
Office of New Jersey Heritage
New Jersey Historical Commission
New Jersey Department of Community Affairs

#### XIII. METHOD OF SHARING INFORMATION

The proposed methods of sharing information of this project correspond with Item number 12 of this application. In addition to a comprehensive media campaign in the State and region, the following agencies will be contacted as an informational service and for use in their respective publications:

Cranbury Township and civic organizations

Middlesex County Cultural and Heritage Commission Office on the Handicapped Senior Citizens all other departments and offices

Office of the Governor State Legislature Department of Environmental Protection; Environmental Resources Office of New Jersey Heritage State Historic Council and Trust Historical Commission Department of Community Affairs

Department of the Interior National Park Service Federal Advisory Council on Historic Preservation National Trust for Historic Preservation Mid-Atlantic Office, National Trust

Civic (Urban) League of Greater New Brunswick New Jersey Builders' Association Historical Society of New Jersey Local and County Historians Association of New Jersey Landmark Commissions other appropriate interest groups

Application prepared by:

Thomas J. Sadlowski, Chair Historic Sites, Middlesex County

Richard Walling New Jersey Preservation Conslutant

William L. Bunting, Jr., Esq. President, Cranbury Landmarks, Inc.

In this packet you will find underlined in the body of the Mt. Laurel I and II decisions the areas that have a fected Cranbury, and also avenues for remediation.

NOTE: Avenues for remediation found in Head Notes:

page 183 Section 88, 89, 90, and 92 166 24, 25 167 28, 30

NOTE: Deadline for new body of fact is January 1, 1985 (this has been moved up to Dec. 15, 1984 due to Christmas Recess). Head Notes:

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NOTE: Only appendix to Mt. Laurel I and II is the preliminary State Development Guide Plan maps (predates the placement of Cranbury Historic District on the National Register).

NOTE: On the State Development Guide Plan map, Cranbury lies in three zones; 1) limited growth, 2) agricultural preservation and 3) growth area (the Historic District lies in the middle of this area).

NOTE: Environmental concerns (including historic preservation) expressed in Head Notes:

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