

CHAPTER 171

AN ACT approving projects of certain local government units in southern New Jersey as eligible for funding from the State to acquire lands for recreation and conservation purposes.

BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

1. a. The following projects to acquire lands for recreation and conservation purposes are eligible for funding with moneys appropriated or reappropriated pursuant to sections 1 and 2 of P.L.2001, c.170:

| LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT | COUNTY | PROJECT | APPROVED AMOUNT |
|------------------------------|---------------|--|------------------------|
| Atlantic County | Atlantic | Atlantic County Open Space Acq | \$1,500,000 |
| Bordentown Twp | Burlington | Bordentown Twp Open Space Acq | 750,000 |
| Burlington County | Burlington | Burlington County Planning Incentive | 1,500,000 |
| Eastampton Twp | Burlington | Eastampton Twp Planning Incentive | 750,000 |
| Edgewater Park Twp | Burlington | Edgewater Park Twp Open Space | 750,000 |
| Evesham Twp | Burlington | Evesham Twp Planning Incentive | 750,000 |
| Medford Twp | Burlington | Medford Twp Open Space Incentive | 750,000 |
| Moorestown Twp | Burlington | Moorestown Twp Open Space Preservation Plan | 750,000 |
| Mount Laurel Twp | Burlington | Mount Laurel Mt Laurel Acquisition Plan | 750,000 |
| Camden County | Camden | Camden County Open Space Plan | 1,500,000 |
| Voorhees Twp | Camden | Voorhees Twp Planning Incentive Grant | 750,000 |
| Hopewell Twp | Mercer | Hopewell Twp Hopewell Open Space Acq | 750,000 |
| Lawrence Twp | Mercer | Lawrence Twp Open Space Plan Acq | 750,000 |
| Princeton Twp | Mercer | Princeton Twp Princeton Open Space Acquisition | 750,000 |
| West Windsor Twp | Mercer | West Windsor West Windsor Planning Inc. | 750,000 |
| Atlantic Highlands Boro | Monmouth | Atlantic Highlands Boro Atlantic Highlands Boro Open Space Acq | 750,000 |
| Freehold Twp | Monmouth | Freehold Township Freehold Township Open Space Acq | 750,000 |
| Holmdel Twp | Monmouth | Holmdel Twp Holmdel Planning Incentive Acq | 750,000 |
| Howell Twp | Monmouth | Howell Twp Howell Twp Planning Incentive | 750,000 |
| Manalapan Twp | Monmouth | Manalapan Twp Manalapan Twp Planning Incentive Acq | 750,000 |
| Middletown Twp | Monmouth | Middletown Twp Middletown Twp Planning Incentive | 750,000 |
| Millstone Twp | Monmouth | Millstone Township Millstone Township Planning Incentive | 750,000 |
| Monmouth County | Monmouth | Monmouth County Monmouth County Planning Incentive Acq | 1,500,000 |
| Oceanport Boro | Monmouth | Oceanport Boro Oceanport Boro Open Space Acquisition | 750,000 |
| Tinton Falls Boro | Monmouth | Tinton Falls Boro Tinton Falls Boro Open Space Acquisition | 750,000 |
| Ocean County | Ocean | Ocean County Ocean County Planning Incentive Grant | 1,500,000 |

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| Plumsted Twp | Ocean | Planning Incentive | 750,000 |
| TOTAL | | | \$24,000,000 |

b. Any transfer of any funds, or change in project sponsor, site, or type, listed in subsection a. of this section shall require the approval of the Joint Budget Oversight Committee or its successor.

c. To the extent that moneys remain available after the projects listed in subsection a. of this section are offered funding pursuant thereto, any project of a local government unit that previously received funding appropriated or reappropriated from any Green Acres bond act, any annual appropriations act, or the "Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund," established pursuant to section 19 of P.L.1999, c.152 (C.13:8C-19), for recreation and conservation purposes, or that receives funding approved pursuant to section 3 of P.L.2001, c.170, section 1 of P.L.2001, 172, or section 1 of P.L.2001, c.173, shall be eligible to receive additional funding, as determined by the Department of Environmental Protection, subject to the approval of the Joint Budget Oversight Committee or its successor. Any such additional funding provided from a Green Acres bond act may include administrative costs.

For the purposes of this subsection, "Green Acres bond act" means P.L.1995, c.204, P.L.1992, c.88, P.L.1989, c.183, P.L.1987, c.265, and P.L.1983, c.354.

2. This act shall take effect on the effective date of P.L.2001, c.170.

Approved July 26, 2001.