

**CHAPTER 10**

**AN ACT** appropriating moneys from the "Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund" to assist local government units in southern New Jersey to acquire or develop lands for recreation and conservation purposes.

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

1. a. There is appropriated to the Department of Environmental Protection from the "Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund," established pursuant to section 19 of P.L.1999, c.152 (C.13:8C-19), the sum of \$17,623,600 to provide grants or loans, or both, to assist local government units in southern New Jersey to acquire or develop lands for recreation and conservation purposes. The following projects to acquire or develop lands for recreation and conservation purposes are eligible for funding with the moneys appropriated pursuant to this subsection:

*(1) Planning Incentive Acquisition Projects:*

<b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT</b>	<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>APPROVED AMOUNT</b>
Atlantic County	Atlantic	Atlantic County Open Space Acq	\$800,000
Burlington County	Burlington	Planning Incentive Acq	800,000
Bordentown Twp	Burlington	Bordentown Twp Open Space Acq	400,000
Eastampton Twp	Burlington	Planning Incentive Acq	400,000
Lumberton Twp	Burlington	Open Space Acq	400,000
Medford Twp	Burlington	Open Space Incentive Acq	400,000
Moorestown Twp	Burlington	Open Space Preservation Plan Acq	400,000
Westampton Twp	Burlington	Planning Incentive Acq	400,000
Gibbsboro Boro	Camden	Greenway Acq	400,000
Voorhees Twp	Camden	Planning Incentive Grant Acq	400,000
Gloucester County	Gloucester	Open Space Plan Acq	800,000
Ocean County	Ocean	Planning Incentive Grant Acq	800,000
Barneгат Twp	Ocean	Planning Incentive Acq	400,000
Little Egg Harbor Twp	Ocean	Planning Incentive Acq	348,000
Plumsted Twp	Ocean	Planning Incentive Acq	400,000
Stafford Twp	Ocean	Stafford Twp Planning Incentive Program Acq	<u>400,000</u>
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b><u>\$7,948,000</u></b>

*(2) Site Specific Incentive Acquisition Projects:*

<b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT</b>	<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>APPROVED AMOUNT</b>
Cape May City	Cape May	Cape May City Open Space Acq	<u>\$400,000</u>
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b><u>\$400,000</u></b>

*(3) Standard Acquisition Projects:*

<b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT</b>	<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>APPROVED AMOUNT</b>
Brigantine City	Atlantic	Brigantine Golf Club Acq	\$150,000
Bordentown City	Burlington	Black's Creek/Crosswicks Creek Greenway Acq	150,000
Burlington Twp	Burlington	Tillinghast Property Acq	400,000
Southampton Twp	Burlington	Goode Farm Acq	400,000

Middle Twp	Cape May	Park Acq	250,000
Ocean City	Cape May	Park Acq	400,000
Pittsgrove Twp	Salem	Pittsgrove Twp Acq	<u>200,000</u>
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b><u>\$1,950,000</u></b>

(4) *Development Projects:*

<b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT</b>	<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>APPROVED AMOUNT</b>
Brigantine City	Atlantic	Waterfront Improvements Dev	\$500,000
Hammontown Town	Atlantic	Hammonton Recreation Complex Dev	400,000
Mullica Twp	Atlantic	Recreation Field Expansion - Phase II Dev	50,000
Bordentown Twp	Burlington	Northern Community Park Dev	500,000
Cinnaminson Twp	Burlington	Multi Park Dev	368,200
Berlin Boro	Camden	Franklin Avenue Field Dev	250,000
Somerdale Boro	Camden	Recreation Facility Dev	162,000
Avalon Boro	Cape May	Avalon Recreation Area Dev	500,000
Cape May			
Point Boro	Cape May	Outdoor Rec/Educational Park Dev	95,000
Lower Twp	Cape May	Multi Parks Dev	500,000
Sea Isle City	Cape May	48th Street Recreation Area Dev	500,000
Deptford Twp	Gloucester	Fasola Park Dev	250,000
Logan Twp	Gloucester	Logan Municipal Park Dev	150,000
Bay Head Boro	Ocean	Twilight Lake Waterfront Imp. Dev	147,400
Island Heights Boro	Ocean	River Ave Boardwalk Improvements Dev	100,000
Little Egg			
Harbor Twp	Ocean	Municipal Recreation Complex VI Dev	250,000
Ocean Twp	Ocean	Recreation Area Dev	500,000
Pine Beach Boro	Ocean	Admiral Farragut Main Dev	500,000
Point Pleasant	Ocean	Oceanfront Boardwalk Reconstruction Dev	203,000
Beach Boro			
Seaside Park Boro	Ocean	Bayview Avenue Walkway II Dev	500,000
Stafford Twp	Ocean	Manahawkin Lake II Dev	400,000
Stafford Twp	Ocean	Nautilus Park Dev	<u>500,000</u>
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b><u>\$7,325,600</u></b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL ALL CATEGORIES</b>			<b><u>\$17,623,600</u></b>

b. Any transfer of 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 for recreation and conservation purposes, or that receives funding approved pursuant to P.L.2005, c. 7, P.L.2005, c.8, or P.L.2005, c.9, 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.

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 immediately.

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