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AN ACT appropriating \$40,000,000 from the "Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund," and appropriating certain interest earnings and reappropriating certain other moneys, for the acquisition of lands by the State 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 from the "Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund," established pursuant to section 19 of P.L.1999, c.152 (C.13:8C-19), to the Department of Environmental Protection the sum of \$40,000,000 for the acquisition of lands by the State for recreation and conservation purposes. This sum shall be allocated as follows:

Project	County	Municipality	Amount
(1) CAPE MAY PENINSULA			\$2,500,000
<i>Cape May Peninsula</i>			
	Cape May	Cape May City Cape May Point Boro Dennis Twp Lower Twp Middle Twp Ocean City Sea Isle City Upper Twp West Cape May Boro Woodbine Boro	
(2) DELAWARE & RARITAN CANAL GREENWAY			750,000
	Hunterdon	Delaware Twp Kingwood Twp Lambertville City Stockton Boro West Amwell Twp	
	Mercer	Ewing Twp Hamilton Twp Hopewell Twp Lawrence Twp Princeton Twp Trenton City	
	Middlesex	New Brunswick City Plainsboro Twp South Brunswick Twp	
	Somerset	Franklin Twp	
(3) DELAWARE BAY WATERSHED GREENWAY			3,500,000
<i>Alloways Creek Greenway</i>			
	Salem	Alloway Twp Elsinboro Twp Lower Alloways Creek Twp Pilesgrove Twp Quinton Twp Upper Pittsgrove Twp	
<i>Cape May Tributaries</i>			
	Cape May	Dennis Twp Lower Twp Middle Twp	

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		Upper Twp	
<i>Cohansey River Greenway</i>			
	Cumberland	Bridgeton City	
		Fairfield Twp	
		Greenwich Twp	
		Hopewell Twp	
		Lawrence Twp	
		Shiloh Boro	
		Upper Deerfield Twp	
	Salem	Alloway Twp	
<i>Dividing/ Nantuxent/ Cedar/ Back Creeks Greenway</i>			
	Cumberland	Commercial Twp	
		Downe Twp	
		Fairfield Twp	
		Lawrence Twp	
<i>Maurice River Greenway</i>			
	Atlantic	Buena Boro	
		Buena Vista Twp	
	Cape May	Dennis Twp	
	Cumberland	Commercial Twp	
		Deerfield Twp	
		Maurice River Twp	
		Millville City	
		Vineland City	
	Gloucester	Clayton Boro	
		Elk Twp	
		Franklin Twp	
		Glassboro Boro	
		Monroe Twp	
		Newfield Boro	
	Salem	Elmer Boro	
		Pittsgrove Twp	
		Upper Pittsgrove Twp	
<i>Salem River/ Mannington Greenway</i>			
	Salem	Carneys Point Twp	
		Elsinboro Twp	
		Mannington Twp	
		Oldmans Twp	
		Pennsville Twp	
		Pilesgrove Twp	
		Upper Pittsgrove Twp	
		Woodstown Boro	
<i>Stow Creek Greenway</i>			
	Cumberland	Greenwich Twp	
		Stow Creek Twp	
	Salem	Alloway Twp	
		Lower Alloways Creek Twp	
		Quinton Twp	
(4) DELAWARE RIVER WATERSHED GREENWAY			2,750,000
<i>Assinkunk Creek Watershed</i>			
	Burlington	Mansfield Twp	
<i>Big Timber Creek</i>			
	Camden	Clementon Boro	
		Gloucester Twp	
		Lindenwold Boro	
		Pine Hill Boro	
	Gloucester	Deptford Twp	

		Westville Boro
<i>Cooper River Greenway</i>		
	Camden	Berlin Twp Camden City Gibbsboro Boro Haddon Twp Lindenwold Boro Voorhees Twp
<i>Crosswicks Creek Watershed</i>		
	Burlington	Bordentown City Bordentown Twp Chesterfield Twp Mansfield Twp North Hanover Twp
	Mercer	Hamilton Twp Trenton City Washington Twp
	Monmouth	Allentown Boro Millstone Twp Upper Freehold Twp
	Ocean	Jackson Twp Plumsted Twp
<i>Delaware River Bluffs</i>		
	Hunterdon	Delaware Twp Frenchtown Boro Kingwood Twp Lambertville City Stockton Boro West Amwell Twp
	Mercer	Ewing Twp Hopewell Twp
<i>Nishisakawick Greenway</i>		
	Hunterdon	Alexandria Twp Delaware Twp Frenchtown Boro Kingwood Twp
<i>Oldmans Creek Greenway</i>		
	Gloucester	Logan Twp South Harrison Twp Woolwich Twp
	Salem	Oldmans Twp Pilesgrove Twp Upper Pittsgrove Twp
<i>Raccoon Creek Greenway</i>		
	Gloucester	East Greenwich Twp Elk Twp Greenwich Twp Harrison Twp Logan Twp Woolwich Twp
<i>Rancocas Creek Greenway</i>		
	Burlington	Cinnaminson Twp Delanco Twp Delran Twp Eastampton Twp Hainesport Twp Lumberton Twp Medford Twp

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		Moorestown Twp	
		Mount Holly Twp	
		Mount Laurel Twp	
		Pemberton Twp	
		Riverside Twp	
		Southampton Twp	
		Springfield Twp	
		Westampton Twp	
		Willingboro Twp	
	<i>Trenton / Hamilton Marsh</i>		
	Burlington	Bordentown Twp	
		Chesterfield Twp	
	Mercer	Hamilton Twp	
		Trenton City	
	<i>Woodbury Creek Watershed</i>		
	Gloucester	National Park Boro	
		West Deptford Twp	
(5) HIGHLANDS GREENWAY			18,000,000
	Bergen	Mahwah Twp	
		Oakland Boro	
	Hunterdon	Alexandria Twp	
		Bethlehem Twp	
		Bloomsbury Boro	
		Califon Boro	
		Clinton Town	
		Clinton Twp	
		Glen Gardner Boro	
		Hampton Boro	
		High Bridge Boro	
		Holland Twp	
		Lebanon Boro	
		Lebanon Twp	
		Milford Boro	
		Tewksbury Twp	
		Union Twp	
	Morris	Boonton Town	
		Boonton Twp	
		Butler Boro	
		Chester Boro	
		Chester Twp	
		Denville Twp	
		Dover Town	
		Hanover Twp	
		Harding Twp	
		Jefferson Twp	
		Kinnelon Boro	
		Mendham Boro	
		Mendham Twp	
		Mine Hill Twp	
		Montville Twp	
		Morris Plains Boro	
		Morris Twp	
		Morristown Town	
		Mount Arlington Boro	
		Mount Olive Twp	
		Mountain Lakes Boro	
		Netcong Boro	

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		Parsippany-Troy Hills Twp	
		Pequannock Twp	
		Randolph Twp	
		Riverdale Boro	
		Rockaway Boro	
		Rockaway Twp	
		Roxbury Twp	
		Victory Gardens Boro	
		Washington Twp	
		Wharton Boro	
Passaic		Bloomington Boro	
		Pompton Lakes Boro	
		Ringwood Boro	
		Wanaque Boro	
		West Milford Twp	
Somerset		Bedminster Twp	
		Bernards Twp	
		Bernardsville Boro	
		Far Hills Boro	
		Peapack-Gladstone Boro	
Sussex		Byram Twp	
		Franklin Boro	
		Green Twp	
		Hamburg Boro	
		Hardyston Twp	
		Hopatcong Boro	
		Ogdensburg Boro	
		Sparta Twp	
		Stanhope Boro	
		Vernon Twp	
Warren		Allamuchy Twp	
		Alpha Boro	
		Belvidere Town	
		Franklin Twp	
		Frelinghuysen Twp	
		Greenwich Twp	
		Hackettstown Town	
		Harmony Twp	
		Hope Twp	
		Independence Twp	
		Liberty Twp	
		Lopatcong Twp	
		Mansfield Twp	
		Oxford Twp	
		Phillipsburg Town	
		Pohatcong Twp	
		Washington Boro	
		Washington Twp	
		White Twp	
(6) NON-PROFIT CAMPS			2,000,000
		<i>Youth Camps</i>	
	Bergen	Mahwah Twp	
	Burlington	Evesham Twp	
		Medford Twp	
		Tabernacle Twp	
	Cumberland	Greenwich Twp	
		Hopewell Twp	

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	Gloucester	Franklin Twp	
	Hunterdon	East Amwell Twp	
		Readington Twp	
	Monmouth	Wall Twp	
	Morris	Kinnelon Boro	
		Rockaway Boro	
	Ocean	Ocean Twp	
	Passaic	Ringwood Boro	
		West Milford Twp	
	Salem	Alloway Twp	
	Somerset	Franklin Twp	
	Sussex	Byram Twp	
		Hampton Twp	
		Sandyston Twp	
		Sparta Twp	
		Stillwater Twp	
		Vernon Twp	
		Wantage Twp	
	Warren	Hardwick Twp	
		Independence Twp	
		Mansfield Twp	
(7) PINELANDS			5,000,000
	Atlantic	Brigantine City	
		Buena Boro	
		Buena Vista Twp	
		Corbin City	
		Egg Harbor City	
		Egg Harbor Twp	
		Estell Manor City	
		Folsom Boro	
		Galloway Twp	
		Hamilton Twp	
		Hammonton Town	
		Mullica Twp	
		Port Republic City	
		Weymouth Twp	
	Burlington	Bass River Twp	
		Evesham Twp	
		Medford Lakes Boro	
		Medford Twp	
		New Hanover Twp	
		North Hanover Twp	
		Pemberton Twp	
		Shamong Twp	
		Southampton Twp	
		Springfield Twp	
		Tabernacle Twp	
		Washington Twp	
		Woodland Twp	
		Wrightstown Boro	
	Camden	Berlin Boro	
		Berlin Twp	
		Chesilhurst Boro	
		Waterford Twp	
		Winslow Twp	

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Cape May	Dennis Twp Middle Twp Upper Twp Woodbine Boro
Cumberland	Maurice River Twp Vineland City
Gloucester	Franklin Twp Monroe Twp
Ocean	Barnegat Twp Beachwood Boro Berkeley Twp Eagleswood Twp Jackson Twp Lacey Twp Lakehurst Boro Little Egg Harbor Twp Manchester Twp Ocean Twp Plumsted Twp South Toms River Boro Stafford Twp Toms River Twp Tuckerton Boro

(8) RARITAN RIVER WATERSHED GREENWAY 250,000

Hunterdon	Bethlehem Twp Clinton Twp East Amwell Twp Franklin Twp High Bridge Boro Lebanon Twp Raritan Twp Readington Twp Tewksbury Twp Union Twp
Middlesex	East Brunswick Twp Milltown Boro New Brunswick City North Brunswick Twp Piscataway Twp South Brunswick Twp
Morris	Chester Twp Harding Twp Long Hill Twp Mendham Boro Mendham Twp Mount Olive Twp Washington Twp
Somerset	Bedminster Twp Bernards Twp Branchburg Twp Bridgewater Twp Far Hills Boro Franklin Twp Hillsborough Twp Manville Boro Montgomery Twp Peapack-Gladstone Boro

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		Somerville Boro	
		Warren Twp	
(9)	RIDGE AND VALLEY GREENWAY		3,000,000
	Sussex	Andover Boro	
		Andover Twp	
		Branchville Boro	
		Frankford Twp	
		Fredon Twp	
		Green Twp	
		Hampton Twp	
		Lafayette Twp	
		Montague Twp	
		Newton Town	
		Sandyston Twp	
		Stillwater Twp	
		Sussex Boro	
		Walpack Twp	
		Wantage Twp	
	Warren	Blairstown Twp	
		Frelinghuysen Twp	
		Hackettstown Town	
		Hardwick Twp	
		Hope Twp	
		Knowlton Twp	
		Liberty Twp	
(10)	TRAILS		250,000
	<i>Appalachian Trail Easements</i>		
	Passaic	West Milford Twp	
	Sussex	Frankford Twp	
		Vernon Twp	
		Wantage Twp	
	<i>Capitol to the Coast</i>		
	Mercer	Hamilton Twp	
		Trenton City	
		Washington Twp	
		West Windsor Twp	
	Monmouth	Freehold Twp	
		Howell Twp	
		Manasquan Boro	
		Millstone Twp	
		Roosevelt Boro	
		Sea Girt Boro	
		Spring Lake Boro	
		Spring Lake Heights Boro	
		Upper Freehold Twp	
		Wall Twp	
	Ocean	Jackson Twp	
	<i>Rails to Trails</i>		
	Burlington	Burlington City	
		Burlington Twp	
		Chesterfield Twp	
		Mansfield Twp	
		North Hanover Twp	
		Pemberton Boro	
		Pemberton Twp	
		Southampton Twp	

		Springfield Twp	
		Westampton Twp	
		Willingboro Twp	
	Hunterdon	Alexandria Twp	
		Frenchtown Boro	
		Holland Twp	
		Lambertville City	
		Milford Boro	
	Mercer	East Windsor Twp	
		Hightstown Boro	
		Washington Twp	
		West Windsor Twp	
	Ocean	Plumsted Twp	
	Sussex	Andover Boro	
		Andover Twp	
		Franklin Boro	
		Green Twp	
		Hamburg Boro	
		Newton Town	
		Ogdensburg Boro	
		Sparta Twp	
		Sussex Boro	
		Vernon Twp	
	Warren	Allamuchy Twp	
		Belvidere Town	
		Franklin Twp	
		Independence Twp	
		Knowlton Twp	
		Liberty Twp	
		Pohatcong Twp	
		Washington Twp	
		White Twp	
	<i>Warren County Trails</i>		
	Warren	Franklin Twp	
		Harmony Twp	
		Lopatcong Twp	
		Mansfield Twp	
		Oxford Twp	
		Phillipsburg Town	
		Washington Twp	
		White Twp	
(11)	URBAN PARKS		2,000,000
	Bergen	Edgewater Boro	
	Camden	Camden City	
	Essex	Belleville Twp	
		Bloomfield Twp	
		Caldwell Boro	
		East Orange City	
		Glen Ridge Boro	
		Irvington Twp	
		Maplewood Twp	
		Montclair Twp	
		Newark City	
		Nutley Twp	
		Orange City Twp	
		South Orange Village Twp	
		West Orange Twp	

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Hudson	Bayonne City	
	East Newark Boro	
	Guttenberg Town	
	Harrison Town	
	Hoboken City	
	Jersey City	
	Kearny Town	
	North Bergen Twp	
	Union City	
	Weehawken Twp	
	West New York Town	
Mercer	Trenton City	
Middlesex	Edison Twp	
Monmouth	Long Branch City	
Passaic	Paterson City	
Union	Elizabeth City	
	Fanwood Boro	
	Garwood Boro	
	Hillside Twp	
	Linden City	
	Plainfield City	
	Rahway City	
	Roselle Boro	
	Roselle Park Boro	
	Union Twp	
	Winfield Twp	
TOTAL		\$40,000,000

b. Any transfer of any funds, or change in project site, 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 State project that previously received funding appropriated or reappropriated from any Green Acres bond act, any annual appropriations act, section 2 of this act, or the Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund for recreation and conservation purposes 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.

d. The expenditure of moneys appropriated by this act is subject to the provisions of subsection o. of section 26 of P.L.1999, c.152 (C.13:8C-26).

e. For the purposes of this section, "Green Acres bond act" means P.L.1995, c.204, P.L.1992, c.88, and P.L.1989, c.183.

2. a. There is reappropriated to the Department of Environmental Protection the unexpended balances, due to project cancellations or cost savings, of the amounts appropriated or reappropriated from any Green Acres bond act, any annual appropriations act, or the Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund for State projects to acquire or develop lands for recreation and conservation purposes, for the purpose of providing additional funding, as determined by the Department of Environmental Protection, to any State project 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 section 1 of this act, 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.

b. There is appropriated to the Department of Environmental Protection such sums as may be or become available on or before June 30, 2008 due to interest earnings in the "Garden State Green Acres Preservation Trust Fund," established pursuant to section 19 of P.L.1999, c.152 (C.13:8C-19), the "1995 New Jersey Green Acres Fund" established pursuant to section 22 of the "Green Acres, Farmland and Historic Preservation, and Blue Acres Bond Act of 1995," P.L.1995, c.204, in the "1992 New Jersey Green Acres Fund" established pursuant to section 21 of the "Green Acres, Clean Water, Farmland and Historic Preservation Bond Act of 1992," P.L.1992, c.88, and in the "1989 New Jersey Green Acres Fund" established pursuant to section 18 of the "Open Space Preservation Bond Act of 1989," P.L.1989, c.183, for the purpose of providing additional funding, as determined by the Department of Environmental Protection, to any State project 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 section 1 of this act, subject to the approval of the Joint Budget Oversight Committee or its successor, and for the purpose of administrative costs associated with any such projects.

c. For the purposes of this section, "Green Acres bond act" means P.L.1995, c.204, P.L.1992, c.88, and P.L.1989, c.183.

3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007 or on the date of enactment, whichever is later.

Approved September 27, 2007.