

# 2023 Rule Package #1 Update

P & I Committee

March 31, 2023

# Amendments

## Black Run

- ▶ Redesignates an area in Evesham Township, Burlington County, from a Pinelands Rural Development Area to a Pinelands Forest Area
- ▶ Authorizes a new pilot program to address the location and intensity of future development of lands in Evesham Township through conservation of lands in Evesham's new and existing Forest Area

## Electric Transmission Line Right-of-Way Vegetation Management

- ▶ A new rule to make permanent the Electric Transmission Right-of-Way Vegetation Management Plan ("ROW Plan")
- ▶ Plan currently administered through a pilot program, which will be repealed.

## Amendments (cont.)

### Fees

- ▶ Increased fee for applications to resolve violations
- ▶ Fee for resubmittal of application for expired waiver

### Expiration of Old Waivers and Certificates of Filing

### Minor Amendments

- ▶ Clarifications, Codifications of Existing Practices, and amendments to address statutory name change to County Boards of Commissioners

# Next Steps

June 2023	P&I Committee reviews rule proposal
July 2023	Commission reviews and authorizes rule proposal
August 2023	Rule proposal filed with Office of Administrative Law
September 2023	Rule proposal published in New Jersey Register
October 2023	Public hearing
November 2023	End of 60-day comment period
January 2024	P&I Committee reviews rule adoption
February 2024	Commission reviews public comment and adopts rules
March 2024	Adoption notice filed with Office of Administrative Law
May 2024	Amendments take effect