

# **New Jersey Noise Control Council**

## **Agenda – December 9, 2025**

### **A. Sunshine Notification**

Sunshine Notification Adequate Notice – In accordance with the Open Public Meeting Act P.L. Chapter 231 and Chapter 11 of the Public Laws of 2020, all requirements have been met to allow for this meeting of this NJ Noise Control Council. Adequate notice of this meeting has been posted.

### **B. Call to Order**

### **C. Roll Call**

### **D. Minutes Approval – November 12, 2025 NCC meeting**

### **E. Executive Session – as necessary**

### **F. Chair Report & Communications/Correspondence**

1. Status of 7:29 Amendments – Published in NJ Register on June 16; Public hearing - July 7
2. Modified Muffler Legislative Bill S507 – 2025 status in legislature

### **G. First Opening to the Public for Comments and Discussion**

### **H. New Business**

1. Discuss possibility of conducting some NCC meetings on a virtual basis
2. Review of noise enforcement data provided by Phil Makreliis
3. Add section to Guidance Document to explain to police and others how to enforce 7:29
4. Applicability of the Grace Period Law regarding non-metered enforcement

### **I. Old Business**

#### **1. Model Ordinance Review**

- a. Applicability of the Grace Period Law regarding sound production devices – volume control
- b. Modify Model Ordinance section XI(D)2. – as it is currently written: “The NOV shall identify the time period (up to ~~90~~ 30 days)” Change to read: “(minimum of 30 days, up to 90 days)”
- c. Section X. Motor Vehicles: add rule text to as to how an officer determines the vehicle is being operated without being properly muffled.
- d. Discuss flexibility in the Model, including lower day/night limits
- e. Appellate court ruling – Sea Bright nuisance-based noise ordinance – Public Nuisance Ordinance of 1953

#### **2. Guidance Documents**

- a. Gun Ranges
- b. Modified Exhaust Systems/Backfiring MVs – await action from Legislature
- c. Vehicles Entering and Existing – when unable to achieve/demonstrate compliance

#### **3. By-Laws Review – Update**

### **J. Second Opening to the Public for Comments and Discussion**

### **K. Executive Session – as necessary**

### **L. Adjournment – next meeting on Tuesday, January 13, 2026**