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April 23, 2007

Ms. Kathleen A. Donovan, Bergen County Clerk
One Bergen County Plaza
Hackensack, New Jersey 07601

Re: Public Hearing for Bergen County's Cross-Acceptance Report

Dear Ms. Donovan:

Please be advised that the Office of Smart Growth (OSG) will be conducting a public hearing on the Bergen County's report for the third round of the Cross-Acceptance process, pursuant to the New Jersey State Planning Rules, N.J.A.C. 5:85-4.5(a).

The Office of Smart Growth will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, May 8, 2007 in the Freeholder Meeting Room at the Bergen County Administration Building located at One Bergen County Plaza, 5th Floor in Hackensack, New Jersey 07601 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Please find enclosed the draft agenda for the public hearing. The Office of Smart Growth requests that Bergen County post this notice in the County's Administration Building.

The public may comment orally, and in written form, at the hearing and may submit written comments to the Executive Director of the Office of Smart Growth at any time up to 30 days after the last public hearing conducted pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:85-5.2. Submission of written public comments may also be directed to the State Planning Commission at osg_ed@dca.state.nj.us at any time up to 30 days after the last public hearing conducted pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:85-5.2.

Please be advised that interested parties may register with the Office of Smart Growth to receive notifications of meetings or hearings regarding Bergen County and any other localities of interest to you. If you would like to register with OSG, simply email your contact information, including your name, organization, address and email address to osgmail@dca.state.nj.us.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact myself or Lorissa Whitaker, Area Planner for Bergen County in the Office of Smart Growth at (609)-633-6314 or via email at lwhitaker@dca.state.nj.us.

Sincerely,

Benjamin Spinelli
Acting Executive Director

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Enclosure

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