

January 2, 2007

Mr. Stephen Marks, P.P., AICP, Director
Hudson County Division of Planning
Brennan Courthouse
583 Newark Avenue
Jersey City, New Jersey 07036

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

Dear Mr. Marks:

Please be advised that the Office of Smart Growth (OSG) will be conducting a public hearing on Hudson 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 in the chambers of the Hudson County Board of Chosen Freeholders at 567 Pavonia Avenue in Jersey City, New Jersey 07306-1803 on Wednesday, January 31, 2007 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Please find enclosed the draft agenda for the public hearing.

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 Hudson 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 Hudson County, in the Office of Smart Growth at (609)-633-6314 or via email at lwhitaker@dca.state.nj.us.

Sincerely,

Eileen Swan
Executive Director

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Enclosure

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 All Municipal Planning Boards within Hudson County
 Hudson County Board of Chosen Freeholders
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 Ben Spinelli, Chief Counsel, OSG
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