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**Via E-mail Distribution**

**Re: Two Additional Public Hearings for the draft Final State Strategic Plan: New Jersey's State Development and Redevelopment Plan**

Dear Interested Party:

Please be advised that, pursuant to the State Planning Act, the State Planning Commission will be two additional public hearings in order to receive testimony on the **draft Final State Strategic State Plan: New Jersey's State Development and Redevelopment Plan and the draft Infrastructure Needs Assessment**, N.J.S.A. 52:18A-202(c). This notice is being provided as required pursuant to the State Planning Rules, N.J.A.C. 5:85-5.1.

The two additional public hearings will be as follows:

- **September 10, 2012** at 1:00 p.m. Presentation, 2:00 p.m. Public Hearing, Toms River Municipal Complex, Council Chambers, 33 Washington Street, Toms River, NJ 08753
- **September 13, 2012** at 1:00 p.m. Presentation, 200 p.m. Public Hearing, Jersey City – City Hall, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Council Chambers, 280 Grove Street, Jersey City, NJ 07302

Written comments to the State Planning Commission via the Office for Planning Advocacy regarding the draft final State Development and Redevelopment Plan and the draft Infrastructure Needs Assessment at any time up to 30 days after the last public hearing is conducted, N.J.A.C. 5:85-5.2. Submission of written comments may also be directed to the State Planning Commission at [osg\\_ed@sos.state.nj.us](mailto:osg_ed@sos.state.nj.us).

A copy of the **draft Final State Strategic Plan: New Jersey's State Development and Redevelopment Plan and its supporting documents** are available for public inspection at the New Jersey Department of State, Office for Planning Advocacy, 225 West State Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0820, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The **draft Final State Strategic Plan: New Jersey's State Development and Redevelopment Plan and its supporting documents** are also available electronically on the Office for Planning Advocacy's website at <http://www.state.nj.us/state/planning/plan-draft-final.html>.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (609) 633-8301 or via e-mail at Gerard.scharfenberger@sos.state.nj.us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gerry Scharfenberger". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "G" at the beginning.

Gerry Scharfenberger, Ph.D.  
Director

Enclosure (Notice of Public Hearings)

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### Public Hearing on the draft Final State Strategic Plan: New Jersey's State Development and Redevelopment Plan

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The public may comment orally, and in written form, at the hearing and may submit written comments to the Director of the Office for Planning Advocacy at any time up to 30 days after the last public hearing is conducted pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:85-5.3. Written comments can be filed electronically to [osg\\_ed@sos.state.nj.us](mailto:osg_ed@sos.state.nj.us) or by the U.S. Postal Service to the New Jersey Department of State, Office for Planning Advocacy, 225 West State Street, P.O. Box 820, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0820. Submission of written public comments may also be directed to the State Planning Commission at [osg\\_ed@sos.state.nj.us](mailto:osg_ed@sos.state.nj.us) at any time up to 30 days after the last public hearing is conducted pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:85-5.2.

Interested parties may register with the Office for Planning Advocacy by filing a written request to the Director through [osg\\_ed@sos.state.nj.us](mailto:osg_ed@sos.state.nj.us) for such notice and specifying the subject matter requested and by providing the name, organization, if any, address, phone and fax numbers, and email address.