

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Township of Hillsborough has filed a request with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection proposing to amend the Township of Hillsborough's Recreation and Open Space Inventory by removing the property identified as Auten Road, Block 150, Lot 4Q Farm, Hillsborough, New Jersey, consisting of +/-57.172 acres of preserved farmland, from the Township's Recreation and Open Space Inventory.

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:36-25.3(h)2v, a hearing to obtain public comment on this request will be held at the Hillsborough Township Municipal Building Courtroom, 379 South Branch Road, Hillsborough, New Jersey, on Tuesday, August 22, 2023, at 6:30 pm.

All information submitted by the Township to the Department in support of this requested ROSI amendment is available for public inspection at the Hillsborough Township Municipal Building Clerk's Office and Library, 379 South Branch Road, Hillsborough, New Jersey and by appointment at the Department's Office of Transactions and Public Land Administration.

Written comments on the ROSI amendment request may be directed to the Township Clerk at Hillsborough Township Municipal Building, 379 South Branch Road, Hillsborough, New Jersey 08844; (908) 369-3535. Please send a copy of any comments submitted on this request to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Office of Transactions and Public Land Administration, Public Land Compliance Section, 401 East State Street, 7th Floor, Mail Code 401-07, P.O. Box 420, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0420, Attn.: Jessica Patterson, Somerset County Compliance Officer or jessica.patterson@dep.nj.gov

Public comment on this ROSI amendment request will be accepted during the public hearing or until September 5, 2023. On or after September 6, 2023, the Department of Environmental Protection may take formal action to approve the proposed ROSI amendment request.

Additional information about this proposal may be obtained at: www.hillsborough-nj.org or by calling (908) 369-3535.