

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP SEEKS PUBLIC INPUT ON OPEN SPACE AND RECREATION PLAN

Washington Township is updating its Open Space and Recreation Plan (OSRP), and your input is invited!

The OSRP update addresses natural, recreational and cultural land preservation needs of the Township, and includes an action plan to guide future land stewardship initiatives.

The Open Space Advisory Committee and The Land Conservancy of New Jersey (TLCNJ) will make a presentation on the draft OSRP update at the Township Council meeting on Wednesday, February 28, at 7:00 pm, followed by an opportunity for public comment. Additionally, residents may view maps and discuss the draft OSRP update with members of Advisory Committee and TLCNJ during a workshop preceding the Township Council meeting (5:30 – 6:30 pm).

A draft of the updated document is available for review at www.TownshipNJ.com. Print copies are also available at the Clerk's Office in the Township Municipal Building (523 Egg Harbor Road, Sewell) and at the Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library (606 Delsea Drive, Sewell).

Residents are invited to provide written comments on the draft OSRP update through March 16, 2018. Comments may be submitted to the Washington Township Open Space Advisory Committee, P.O. Box 1106, Turnersville, NJ 08012, or electronically to WTEC@twp.washington.nj.us (please indicate "OSRP Update" in the subject line). An additional meeting to receive public input may be held if there is sufficient interest.

A final draft of the OSRP update will ultimately be submitted to the Washington Township Planning Board for adoption as an element of the Washington Township Master Plan.