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Sent: Tuesday, July 14, 2009 3:43 PM
To: Lashway, Lisa
Subject: From NJLM - Three Issues

LEAGUE ALERT

Municipal Clerk: Please forward to Mayor and Governing Body.

July 14, 2009

Re: I NJ FamilyCare Advertising Campaign

Re: II Public Hearing Set on Proposed Amendments to Vegetation Management Rules

Re: III Local Government Greenhouse Gas Grant Workshop

Re: I. NJ FamilyCare Advertising Campaign

Dear Mayor:

The NJ Department of Human Services (DHS) has launched an NJ FamilyCare advertising campaign to inform families to enroll eligible children in our comprehensive Children's Health Insurance Program. If you want to help us with this promotional effort, please contact us. We will be happy to forward an electronic version of the NJ FamilyCare logo (which can be hyperlinked to www.njfamilycare.org) for posting on your website. Also available are the radio ads in both English and Spanish - available for upload or download to your organization's website, [Facebook](#) page or [Twitter](#) account.

The League of Municipalities, DHS and our sister agencies in government are working to ensure that every child has health insurance – and we are sharing this outreach initiative in an effort to maximize success.

It is our hope that by expanding the scope of our outreach through your agency, we will improve health care access to every uninsured child in New Jersey.

NJ FamilyCare is a federal and state funded health insurance program created to help New Jersey's uninsured children have affordable health coverage. It is not a welfare program. NJ FamilyCare is for families who do not have available or affordable employer insurance, and cannot afford to pay the high cost of private health

insurance.

If you want to post the logo, contact Jon Moran at (609) 695-3481 ext. 121 or jmoran@njslom.com. If you have any questions about NJFamilyCare or this advertising campaign, please contact:

Nicole Brossoie
Assistant Commissioner of Public Affairs
NJ Department of Human Services
nicole.brossoie@dhs.state.nj.us
609-292-3703

Thank you in advance for your participation and support.

Very truly yours,

William G. Dressel, Jr.
Executive Director

Re: II. Public Hearing Set on Proposed Amendments to Vegetation Management Rules

Dear Mayor:

The New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (BPU) has scheduled a public hearing on the proposed amendments to the Vegetation Management Rules adopted on February 14, 2008. The hearing will be held on Tuesday, July 21, 2009 at:

New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
8th Floor Hearing Room
Two Gateway Center
Newark, NJ

The BPU has also extended the comment period in connection with these proposed amendments through July 22, 2009.

You may send comments to:

Kristi Izzo, Secretary
New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
ATTN: BPU Docket No. EX0804235
Two Gateway Center

Newark, NJ 07102

You may also submit comments electronically by sending a WORD document to rule.comments@bpu.state.nj.us

You may view the proposed rules at: <http://www.state.nj.us/bpu/agenda/rules/>
If you do send comments, please send a copy to the League.

If you have any questions or concerns about this communication, please contact Deborah M. Kole, Staff Attorney, at the League, ex. 137, or at dkole@njslom.com

Very truly yours,

William G. Dressel, Jr.
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**Re: III. Local Government Greenhouse Gas Grant Workshop
NJ Department of Environmental Protection
July 23, 2009 at 9:00 AM**

To Mayors, Council Members and Department Heads:

On Thursday, July 23, 2009, the NJ Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) will be holding an Information Workshop on the **Local Government Greenhouse Gas Reduction Grant Program**. For information on this new grant program, please visit the web page at: <http://www.nj.gov/dep/opsc/ghggrant.html>

Workshop Details:

Date: Thursday, July 23, 2009
Time: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Location: Public Hearing Room, NJDEP Headquarters
401 E. State Street, Trenton, NJ 08625
<http://www.nj.gov/dep/where.htm>

The workshop will provide an overview of the grant program including local government eligibility, a description of all the types of projects eligible for the grant, funding levels, and the application process.

Seating is limited to 150 people. Preference will be given to eligible entities and their representatives. Only local government agencies are eligible to apply for funding under this Grant Program. A local government agency must be:

- a contracting unit under the Local Public Contracts Law

(N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(1)), i.e., municipality, county or local authority;

- a board of education under the Public School Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-2a); or
- a county college under the County College Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 18A:64A-25.2b).

This event is FREE; however, registration is mandatory to attend. To register for the event, please send your contact information, including name, address, phone number, email address and name of the local government agency you are representing to ghggrantsregistration@dep.state.nj.us.

Please note that on July 20, 2009 a similar workshop has been organized ONLY on the Land Use Planning and Transportation eligible related projects. More information on this workshop can be found at:
<http://www.njfuture.org/Media/Docs/July%2020,%202009%20dep%20workshop.pdf>

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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