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Honorable Marco DiBattista
Mayor, Pennsauken Township
5605 North Crescent Boulevard
Pennsauken, NJ 08110

RE: Green Acres Project Number: 0427-21-UPG
Project Name: Tippin's Pond Renewal
Pennsauken Township, Camden County

Dear Mayor DiBattista:

I am pleased to inform you that the Department of Environmental Protection has approved Pennsauken Township's application for a grant of \$493,025 for the above project. This funding was offered under the new Urban Parks Grants initiative, made possible through the FY21 and FY22 state budgets.

Preserving land, improving local parks, and stewarding our natural resources are critical components of our efforts to ensure high quality, close-to-home recreation and open space for New Jerseyans. In particular, the Urban Parks Grants will benefit residents in our Overburdened Communities. This project represents a significant step toward our shared goal of protecting and enhancing New Jersey's quality of life, and I congratulate you.

Green Acres staff will contact you directly and provide further information to guide you through this project. We look forward to working with Pennsauken Township toward the successful completion of this important project.

Sincerely,

Shawn M. LaTourette
Commissioner