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AN ACT appropriating \$15,564,293 from constitutionally dedicated corporation business tax revenues for the purpose of providing grants, as awarded by the New Jersey Historic Trust, for certain historic preservation projects and associated administrative expenses.

BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

1. a. There is appropriated to the New Jersey Historic Trust the sum of \$13,899,293 from dedicated corporation business tax revenues pursuant to Article VIII, Section II, paragraph 6 of the State Constitution in the “Preserve New Jersey Historic Preservation Fund,” established pursuant to section 9 of the “Preserve New Jersey Act,” P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-51), for the purpose of providing, for historic preservation projects approved as eligible for such funding: (1) capital preservation grants as listed in subsection b. of this section; (2) historic site management grants as listed in subsection c. of this section; (3) special project initiatives as listed in subsection d. of this section; and (4) emergency intervention funds pursuant to subsection e. of this section.

b. The following historic preservation projects are eligible for funding in the form of capital preservation grants, as awarded by the New Jersey Historic Trust, using moneys appropriated pursuant to subsection a. of this section:

County	Municipality	Name of Organization	Project Name	Grant Award
Burlington	Moorestown Twp	Perkins Center for the Arts	Carriage House (Perkins House)	\$150,000
Burlington	New Hanover Twp	Township of New Hanover	General Edward S. Godfrey House	149,489
Burlington	Pemberton Twp	NJ Pinelands Commission	Fenwick Manor	575,000
Camden	Camden City	Camden County Historical Society	Benjamin Cooper Ferry and Tavern	611,340
Camden	Camden City	Home Port Alliance for the USS New Jersey, Inc.	USS New Jersey (BB-62)	750,000
Cape May	Cape May City	Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts (trading as Cape May MAC)	Emlen Physick Estate	32,308
Cape May	Cape May City	Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts (trading as Cape May MAC)	Emlen Physick Estate	404,611
Cape May	Lower Twp	Cape May Maritime Museum and Education Center	U.S. Coast Guard Motor Lifeboat CG-36538	45,017
Cape May	Lower Twp	HCSV Foundation, (trading as Historic Cold Spring Village)	Cold Spring Grange Hall	156,266
Cumberland	Commercial Twp	Bayshore Center at Bivalve	A.J. Meerwald Schooner and Bivalve Oyster Packing Houses and Docks	82,728
Essex	Newark City	Mount Pleasant Cemetery	Mount Pleasant Cemetery	21,600
Gloucester	Woolwich Twp	Gloucester County Historical Society	Moravian Church	23,582
Hudson	Hoboken City	Hoboken Public Library	Hoboken Public Library – Phase 3	750,000
Hudson	Jersey City	City of Jersey City	Reservoir #3	750,000
Hudson	Jersey City	Hudson County Division of Parks	North and South Summer Houses (West Bergen-East Lincoln Park Historic District)	713,550
Mercer	Princeton Boro	Dorothea van Dyke McLane Association	Dorothea van Dyke McLane House (Princeton Historic District)	475,718
Mercer	Princeton Boro	Historic Morven, Inc.	Morven	72,300
Mercer	Princeton Boro	Historic Morven, Inc.	Morven	500,000
Mercer	Trenton City	120 East State Street	First Presbyterian Church and Cemetery	750,000
Mercer	Trenton City	City of Trenton	Trenton City Hall	749,644
Mercer	Trenton City	Old Barracks Association	Old Barracks	152,622
Monmouth	Highlands Boro	Twin Lights Historical Society	Navesink Lighthouse (Twin Lights) (Navesink Light Station)	15,000

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Monmouth	Matawan Boro	Borough of Matawan	Major John Burrowes Mansion	149,377
Monmouth	Rumson Boro	SLT & CC Landmark Friends, Inc.	Seabright Lawn Tennis and Cricket Club	304,000
Morris	Denville Twp	Ayres/Knuth Farm Foundation, Inc.	Ayres Farm (Knuth Farm)	194,150
Morris	Hanover Twp	Township of Hanover	Joseph Tuttle House	539,250
Morris	Mendham Boro	Borough of Mendham	Phoenix House (Mendham Historic District)	214,029
Morris	Mine Hill Twp	Township of Mine Hill	Bridget Smith House	259,600
Morris	Morris Twp	Morris County Park Commission	General Joseph W. Revere House (The Willows, Fosterfields)	245,430
Morris	Morristown Town	The Morristown & Morris Township Library Foundation	Morristown Public Library (Morristown Historic District Extension)	37,911
Morris	Mount Olive Twp	Township of Mount Olive	Barn (Seward House)	261,205
Morris	Netcong Boro	The Growing Stage Theatre for Young Audiences, Inc.	Palace Theatre	140,502
Morris	Washington Twp	Washington Township Land Trust of Morris County, Inc.	Obadiah LaTourette Grist and Saw Mill (German Valley Historic District)	470,500
Passaic	Clifton City	City of Clifton	Morris Canal	444,995
Passaic	Paterson City	County of Passaic	Passaic County Court House, and United States Custom House and Post Office Historic District – Phase 1	750,000
Passaic	Ringwood Boro	Skylands Association, NJ Botanical Garden	Carriage House (Skylands)	150,000
Union	Union Twp	Liberty Hall Museum	Carriage House Liberty Hall (Governor William Livingston House)	90,000
TOTAL				\$12,181,724

c. The following historic preservation projects are eligible for funding in the form of historic site management grants, as awarded by the New Jersey Historic Trust, using moneys appropriated pursuant to subsection a. of this section:

County	Municipality	Name of Organization	Project Name	Grant Award
Bergen	East Rutherford Boro	Borough of East Rutherford	Richard Outwater House	\$45,000
Bergen	Fair Lawn Boro	Radburn Association	Grange Hall (Radburn Historic District)	36,821
Bergen	Oakland Boro	Borough of Oakland	Vygeberg Farm Office building	61,125
Bergen	Oradell Boro	County of Bergen	New Milford Plant of the Hackensack Water Company	75,000
Burlington	Florence Twp	Roebling Main Gate Museum (DBA: Roebling Museum)	101 Second Avenue (Roebling Historic District)	28,332
Burlington	Moorestown Twp	Township of Moorestown	Moorestown Historic District	75,000
Burlington	Pemberton Twp	The Whitesbog Preservation Trust, Inc.	Whitesbog Historic District	30,000
Cape May	Middle Twp	Cape May County Historical & Genealogical Society	Cresse-Holmes House (John Holmes House)	49,584
Cumberland	Greenwich Twp	South Mountain TheaterWorks, Inc. d/b/a South Mountain TV	Greenwich Historic District	75,000
Cumberland	Millville City	Millville Army Air Field Museum Inc.	Millville Army Air Field Historic District	22,500
Cumberland	Millville City	Millville Army Air Field Museum Inc.	Millville Army Air Field Historic District	8,163
Essex	Fairfield Twp	Friends of the Van Ness House, Inc.	Van Ness House	45,713
Essex	Montclair Twp	The Montclair Foundation	Van Vleck House & Gardens (Mountain Historic District)	41,025
Gloucester	National Park Boro	Rowan University	Red Bank Battlefield	55,634
Gloucester	Woodbury City	Gloucester County Historical Society	Hunter-Lawrence-Jessup House	26,929

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Hudson	Jersey City	Save Ellis Island, Inc.	Hospital Complex (Statue of Liberty National Monument, Ellis Island and Liberty Island)	63,750
Hunterdon	Clinton Twp	1759 Vought House	Christoffel Vought Farmstead	13,650
Hunterdon	High Bridge Boro	Borough of High Bridge	Solitude House	26,550
Mercer	Ewing Twp	The College of New Jersey	William Green House	47,775
Mercer	Hopewell Twp	Howell Living History Farm	Hunter Road Bridge (Pleasant Valley Historic District)	35,250
Mercer	Princeton Boro	American Battlefield Trust	Princeton Battlefield (Princeton Battlefield/Stony Brook Historic District)	74,925
Mercer	Princeton Boro	Historic Morven, Inc.	Morven	75,000
Mercer	Trenton City	St. Michael's Episcopal Church	St. Michael's Episcopal Church	24,390
Middlesex	Perth Amboy City	City of Perth Amboy	Perth Amboy City Hall and Surveyor General's Office	71,250
Middlesex	Piscataway Twp	Middlesex County, Division of History and Historic Preservation	Cornelius Low House	75,000
Monmouth	Freehold Boro	Borough of Freehold	General Clinton's Headquarters	15,000
Monmouth	Matawan Boro	Borough of Matawan	Major John Burrowes Mansion	33,964
Monmouth	Millstone Twp	Millstone Township Historical Preservation Commission	Clarksburg Methodist Episcopal Church	71,250
Morris	Morristown Town	Morris County Historical Society	Acorn Hall	15,330
Morris	Morristown Town	Town of Morristown	Morristown Post Office (Morristown Historic District Extension)	75,000
Morris	Mountain Lakes Boro	Borough of Mountain Lakes	Mountain Lakes Train Station (Mountain Lakes Historic District)	7,670
Passaic	Little Falls Twp	Little Falls Historical Society	Little Falls Old Town Hall	13,725
Passaic	Paterson City	County of Passaic, Department of Cultural & Historic Affairs	Westside Park Pedestrian Bridge	69,451
Passaic	Paterson City	Friends of Passaic County	Belle Vista (Lambert Castle)	75,000
Sussex	Newton Town	Town of Newton	Newtown Town Plot Historic District	32,813
TOTAL				\$1,592,569

d. Of the funds appropriated pursuant to subsection a. of this section, the sum of \$25,000 shall be used by the New Jersey Historic Trust for the purpose of the following special project initiatives:

County	Municipality	Name of Organization	Project Name	Grant Award
Mercer	Trenton City	NJ Historic Trust	Discover NJ History License Plate Fund	\$25,000
TOTAL				\$25,000

e. Of the funds appropriated pursuant to subsection a. of this section, the sum of \$100,000 shall be used by the New Jersey Historic Trust for the purpose of providing funds for emergency intervention, as defined pursuant to section 3 of P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-45). Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection c. of section 9 of P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-51) to the contrary, the expenditure of funds pursuant to this subsection shall not require the approval of the Joint Budget Oversight Committee, or its successor.

f. Any transfer of any funds, or change in project sponsor, site, or type, listed in subsection b., c., or d. of this section shall require the approval of the Joint Budget Oversight Committee or its successor.

g. To the extent that moneys remain available after the projects listed in subsection b., c., or d. of this section are offered funding pursuant thereto, any project that previously received funding for historic preservation purposes appropriated or reappropriated from any Green Acres bond act, any annual appropriations act, or the Garden State Historic Preservation Trust Fund established pursuant to section 21 of P.L.1999, c.152 (C.13:8C-21), or that receives funding pursuant to this act, shall be eligible to receive additional funding, as determined by

the New Jersey Historic Trust, subject to the approval of the Joint Budget Oversight Committee or its successor.

For the purposes of this subsection, "Green Acres bond act" means P.L.2009, c.117, P.L.2007, c.119, P.L.1995, c.204, P.L.1992, c.88, and P.L.1987, c.265.

h. The expenditure of moneys appropriated pursuant to this section is subject to the provisions of the "Preserve New Jersey Act," P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-43 et seq.).

2. There is appropriated to the New Jersey Historic Trust from the "Preserve New Jersey Historic Preservation Fund," established pursuant to section 9 of the "Preserve New Jersey Act," P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-51), the sum of \$1,665,000 for paying administrative costs associated with administering the applicable provisions of P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-43 et seq.).

3. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the "Preserve New Jersey Historic Preservation Fund," established pursuant to section 9 of the "Preserve New Jersey Act," P.L.2016, c.12 (C.13:8C-51), the sum of \$15,564,293 to implement the provisions of this act.

4. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved January 16, 2024.