

LEADING GREEN

TRAINING FOR ENVIRONMENTAL LEADERSHIP
IN NEW JERSEY CITIES
AND DEVELOPED COMMUNITIES

ANJEC



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

When and where are the sessions?

LEADING GREEN 2011 is scheduled for:

April 29 and April 30 – An Initial Overnight Retreat at the Kateri Environmental Center in Marlboro, Friday evening at 7:30pm to Saturday afternoon at 3:30pm.

Saturday, June 4th – Land Use Session in Paterson at the Great Falls, 9:30am to 3:30pm

Saturday, July 16th – Redevelopment Session in Asbury Park from 9:30am to 3:30pm

Saturday, August 6th – An Eco-Tour of the Hackensack River from 9:30am to 3:30pm

Saturday, September 17th – Air Session in the Ironbound Section of Newark from 9:30am to 3:30pm

Who should apply?

Creative and enthusiastic people who want to make a positive difference in their community should apply for LEADING GREEN. Ideal candidates are people who live, work or play in New Jersey's cities or developed communities and have a personal or professional interest in the environment.

People who serve on municipal boards, interested college students, civic leaders and retirees looking to increase their substantive knowledge of the environment as well as improve their leadership skills make excellent candidates. We are seeking a diverse group of talented citizens interested in exploring environmental issues facing New Jersey's cities and developed communities, and those willing challenge themselves and each other to create solutions.

What are the goals of the project?

- To strengthen the leadership capacity of urban environmental commissioners as well as civic leaders in cities that do not have environmental commissions
- To offer environmentalists opportunities for personal growth, networking, and to arm them with timely and relevant information
- To provide four major sessions on air, land, water, and sustainability.
- To give each participant resource materials, ANJEC publications and technical assistance from ANJEC staff

Is there a cost involved?

Thanks to the generous support of The Fund for New Jersey there is a nominal fee of \$80 for the five sessions of training. Scholarships are available for those who are unable to pay.

Do you need to be a member of an environmental commission or an open space committee to participate?

No.

Can more than one person from a municipality apply?

Yes.

When will the selected candidates be notified?

All candidates will be notified by Friday, April 22, 2011.