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IN SENATE -- Introduced by Sens. LAVALLE, ZELDIN -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

IN ASSEMBLY -- Introduced by M. of A. SWEENEY, THIELE, ENGLEBRIGHT, FITZPATRICK, LOSQUADRO, MURRAY, RAIA -- read once and referred to the Committee on Environmental Conservation

AN ACT to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to the addition of certain lands within the Carmans River watershed to the core preservation area of the Central Pine Barrens

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Legislative findings. The Legislature finds that increasing protection for the Carmans River and its watershed as a part of the Central Pine Barrens is a vital goal that benefits the environment and the economy of the state. The Carmans River is one of only two found within the Central Pine Barrens. As such, the Carmans River represents a significant and integral part of the Central Pine Barrens ecosystem.

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Although various State and local measures have been undertaken to protect the Carmans River over the last several decades, recent scientific studies have indicated that existing measures are insufficient to protect the Carmans River. Further, the Carmans River is beginning to demonstrate a decline in both the quality of its surface water and its ecological integrity.

The town of Brookhaven has commenced a planning process to protect the Carmans River. The proposed plan is designed to protect and preserve the areas within the Carmans River watershed while also allowing for appropriate economic growth in areas of Brookhaven outside of the Carmans River watershed through the implementation of a transfer of development rights program and the creation of a multi-family district to receive those development rights. This process has also involved the cooper-

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [] is old law to be omitted.

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1 ation and participation of the Central Pine Barrens joint planning and 2 policy commission. 3 The entire watercourse of the Carmans River lies within the Central

The entire watercourse of the Carmans River lies within the Central Pine Barrens and much of its groundwater watershed also lies within the Central Pine Barrens and entirely within the town of Brookhaven. Accordingly, the most effective means of achieving the objectives of environmental preservation of the Carmans River watershed and economic growth on other areas of the town of Brookhaven would be to expand the core preservation area of the Central Pine Barrens.

As a result, it is proposed to expand the core preservation area boundary to encompass those areas most critical to the Carmans River and to include public parklands and open space areas which are near or currently adjacent to the core preservation area and which should be integrated into the core preservation area. The Central Pine Barrens Area boundary located south of the Long Island Expressway will also be expanded to be coincident with boundaries of the expanded core preservation area.

The expansion of the core preservation area will provide significantly more protection to the Carmans River than currently exists and will help to ensure that key ecological values and habitats will be adequately protected, enhanced and maintained.

This legislation establishes a process consistent with the ongoing town of Brookhaven planning process that will result in the inclusion of the Carmans River watershed in the core preservation area and the implementation of an amendment to the Central Pine Barrens Comprehensive Management Plan to protect the Carmans River watershed.

- S 2. Section 57-0107 of the environmental conservation law is amended by adding four new subdivisions 10-a, 11-a, 11-b and 15 to read as follows:
- 10-A. "CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED ADDITION TO THE CENTRAL PINE BARRENS AREA" SHALL MEAN THOSE LANDS DESIGNATED AS THE CARMANS RIVER ADDITION TO THE CENTRAL PINE BARRENS AREA IN THE CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT PLAN AND MORE SPECIFICALLY DELINEATED ON A MAP DATED, MAY TWO THOUSAND ELEVEN, AS APPROVED BY THE BROOKHAVEN TOWN BOARD.
- 11-A. "CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED ADDITION TO THE CORE PRESERVATION AREA" SHALL MEAN THAT THOSE LANDS DESIGNATED AS THE CARMANS RIVER ADDITION TO THE CORE PRESERVATION AREA IN THE CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT PLAN AND MORE SPECIFICALLY DELINEATED ON A MAP DATED, MAY TWO THOUSAND ELEVEN, AS APPROVED BY THE BROOKHAVEN TOWN BOARD AND DESCRIBED IN SUBDIVISION ELEVEN-B OF THIS SECTION.
- 11-B. THE CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED ADDITION TO THE CORE PRESERVATION AT AREA SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING SUFFOLK COUNTY TAX MAP PARCELS, ALL LOCATED IN THE TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT 200, EQUAL TO 1,018.85 ACRES MORE OR LESS.

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- 15. "CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT PLAN" SHALL MEAN THE DRAFT COMPREHENSIVE LAND USE PLAN PREPARED FOR THE TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN, BY THE CARMANS RIVER STUDY GROUP, DATED FEBRUARY TWO THOU-51 SAND ELEVEN.
 - S 3. The environmental conservation law is amended by adding a new section 57-0122 to read as follows:
 - S 57-0122. CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED PLAN AMENDMENT.

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1. WITHIN SIX MONTHS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION, THE TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN SHALL FINALIZE THE CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED PROTECTION AND

MANAGEMENT PLAN, AND THE COMMISSION SHALL APPROVE SUCH FINALIZED PLAN, FOLLOWING RATIFICATION BY THE COMMISSION THE TOWN BOARD OF THE SHALL RATIFY SUCH FINALIZED CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT PLAN AS A PLAN AMENDMENT TO THE CENTRAL PINE BARRENS COMPREHENSIVE MANAGEMENT PLAN IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FOR PROTECTION OF THE CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED. SUCH PLAN AMENDMENT SHALL BE 7 CONSISTENT WITH THE FINDINGS ENUMERATED BY THIS ACT, AS WELL AS 57-0105 OF THIS TITLE, AND THE PLAN GOALS ENUMERATED IN SUBDIVISIONS TWO, THREE AND FOUR OF SECTION 57-0121 OF THIS TITLE. 9

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- 2. THE PLAN AMENDMENT SHALL PROVIDE FOR, ADDRESS, AND INCLUDE IMPLEMENTATION OF LAND PROTECTION MECHANISMS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED (A) ACQUISITION; (B) CONSERVATION EASEMENTS; (C) TRANSFER OF DEVEL-OPMENT RIGHTS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE CREATION OF RECEIVING ZONES FOR THE USE OF SUCH RIGHTS ADEQUATE TO ACHIEVE THE GOALS OF PRES-ERVATION AND BALANCED GROWTH WITHIN THE TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN; (D) PURCHASE OF DEVELOPMENT RIGHTS; (E) DONATIONS; (F) CLUSTERING; (G) PLANNED UNIT LAND TRUSTS; (I) EXCHANGES BETWEEN PRIVATELY AND DEVELOPMENT; (H) PUBLICLY OWNED LANDS; (J) OR OTHER ZONING ACTIONS CONSISTENT PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION.
- SUCH PLAN AMENDMENT SHALL BE ADOPTED BY THE COMMISSION PURSUANT TO PROVISIONS RELATING TO PLAN AMENDMENTS ENUMERATED IN SUBDIVISION SECTION 57-0121 OF THIS TITLE. SUCH PLAN AMENDMENT SHALL BE RATIFIED BY THE BROOKHAVEN TOWN BOARD, PURSUANT TO A DULY ADOPTED RESOL-UTION OF SUCH BOARD.
- 4. UPON ADOPTION AND RATIFICATION OF THE PLAN AMENDMENT, SUCH AMEND- $_{
 m BE}$ IMPLEMENTED BY THE TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN AS PROVIDED BY SUBDIVISION FIVE OF THIS SECTION.
- 5. WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE LAND USE PLAN HAS BEEN ADOPTED BY THE COMMISSION, THE BROOKHAVEN TOWN BOARD SHALL ADOPT AND AMEND AS NECESSARY LAND USE AND ZONING REGULATIONS, BY LOCAL LAW OR ORDINANCE, RULE REGULATION TO CONFORM THEIR LAND USE REGULATIONS TO THE PLAN AMENDMENT. AT LEAST THIRTY DAYS BEFORE ADOPTION THEREOF, THE TOWN BOARD SHALL PROPOSED REGULATIONS TO THE COMMISSION FOR ITS REVIEW AND APPROVAL. WITHIN TEN DAYS OF RECEIPT OF SUCH PROPOSED REGULATIONS, COMMISSION SHALL REVIEW AND APPROVE SUCH PROPOSED REGULATIONS, OR IF IT DOES NOT APPROVE THEM, RETURN THEM WITH COMMENTS ON WHAT NEEDS TO MAKE THEM APPROVABLE. THE PLAN AMENDMENT SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE IMPLEMENTED UPON ADOPTION BY THE TOWN BOARD OF APPROVED LAND USE REGU-LATIONS.
- 6. UPON IMPLEMENTATION OF THE LAND USE REGULATIONS BY THE TOWN BOARD, ALL THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE RELATING TO THE CORE PRESERVATION AREA AND CENTRAL PINE BARRENS AREA SHALL ALSO APPLY TO THE CARMANS RIVER WATERSHED ADDITION TO THE CORE PRESERVATION AREA AND THE CARMANS RIVER ADDITION TO THE CENTRAL PINE BARRENS AREA.
- S 4. Agriculture and horticulture study and analysis in the Central Pine Barrens. 1. Agriculture and horticulture continues to be a major, important and vital industry in the Central Pine Barrens and it continues to be the policy of the state of New York that compatible agricultural and horticultural uses be maintained and encouraged within the Central Pine Barrens. Sustaining agriculture in the Central Pine Barrens while harmonizing and balancing such use with other, concomitant Central barrens objectives, including groundwater and ecological protection, continues to be a primary goal of the state of New York.
- 2. As soon as is practicable and within twelve months of the effective 55 date of this section, the Central Pine Barrens Joint Planning and Policy commission shall prepare or cause to be prepared, in cooperation and

coordination with the Suffolk county planning department and the Suffolk county agricultural and farmland protection board, a comprehensive study and analysis of agriculture and horticulture in the Central Pine Barrens.

- 3. The study shall examine and shall incorporate the following elements:
- (a) An identification and inventory of existing farms, farmland, agricultural land and horticultural land within both the compatible growth area and the core preservation area. The inventory shall include, but not be limited to:
 - (i) locations of existing farms;
 - (ii) boundaries of existing farms, including tax map parcels;
 - (iii) ownership;

- (iv) leased farmland;
- (v) areas of farms in active cultivation;
- (vi) areas of farms which have been cleared of natural vegetation;
- (vii) areas of fallow farmland;
- (viii) areas of farms remaining in natural vegetation;
- (ix) areas of farms devoted to other uses including, but not limited to, infrastructure, windbreaks, structures, equipment storage, irrigation wells and pumps;
 - (x) agricultural products generated by each farm;
 - (xi) ecological, hydrological, geological, historical, scenic and archaeological features within or in proximity to existing farms;
 - (xii) location of agricultural districts in relation to existing farms; and
 - (xiii) any other elements considered necessary.
 - (b) An identification and inventory of the existing land uses which lie adjacent to and/or occupy the areas surrounding each farm.
 - (c) An identification and analysis of areas adjacent to existing farms which may be considered for farm expansion in future years, the extent of active cultivation on existing farms and the presence of natural vegetation and ecological, geological, historical, scenic and archaeological features in portions of existing farms which may be desirable for expanded cultivation in the future.
- (d) The study shall include an analysis and review of trends, influences and issues affecting farming in the Central Pine Barrens and the potential impacts of these elements on farming in the Central Pine Barrens.
- (e) The study shall develop and provide a comprehensive vegetation management plan for non-cultivated areas of vegetation within all existing farms in the Central Pine Barrens which, if adopted, would allow the Central Pine Barrens Joint Planning and Policy commission to review potential vegetation clearing and other matters within farms in a comprehensive, panoptic and systematic manner as opposed to on a case-by-case basis.
- (f) The study shall make recommendations, as and if needed, for amendments to the Central Pine Barrens comprehensive land use plan considered necessary as an outgrowth of the study's analysis. The study shall also make recommendations to the towns within the Central Pine Barrens as to code and plan changes, pertaining to land use within the Central Pine Barrens, which should be contemplated, particularly to reduce or eliminate conflicts among overlapping regulatory jurisdictions.
- S 5. Severability. The provisions of this act shall be severable and if any portion thereof or the applicability thereof to any person or

circumstances shall be held invalid, the remainder of this act and the application thereof shall not be affected thereby.

3 This act shall take effect immediately, provided that if nine months after this act shall have become a law, the plan amendment speci-5 fied in section 57-0122 of the environmental conservation law shall not 6 have been adopted, ratified, and implemented as provided for by section 7 three of this act, this act shall be deemed repealed and of no force and 8 effect. If the plan amendment is adopted, ratified, and implemented, the Central Pine Barrens Joint Planning and Policy commission shall provide 9 10 accurate metes and bounds description of the boundaries depicted in the map dated May 2011, as further described in subdivision 11 12 section 57-0107 of the environmental conservation law, as added by section two of this act, and as approved by the Brookhaven town board, 13 14 the state legislature within such nine month period. If the state 15 legislature does not approve the metes and bounds description within nine months of their receipt of such description, then this act shall 16 expire and be deemed repealed. The Central Pine Barrens Joint Planning 17 18 and Policy commission shall notify the legislative bill drafting commis-19 sion upon the adoption, ratification, and implementation of the plan 20 amendment pursuant to section 57-0122 of the environmental conservation 21 authorized pursuant to section three of this act and subsequent legislative approval of the metes and bounds description required pursu-23 ant to this section in order that the legislative bill drafting commission may maintain an accurate and timely effective data base of the 24 25 official text of the laws of the state of New York in furtherance of 26 effectuating the provisions of section 44 of the legislative law and 27 section 70-b of the public officers law.