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New Jersey Highlands Coalition **ACTION ALERT**

Senate and House of Representatives to Vote on the Land and Water Conservation Fund this Week!

**Contact your Representatives and Urge them to
Vote "YES!" on HR 3534, the Consolidated Land,
Energy, and Aquatic Resources (CLEAR) Act**

We have a critical opportunity to secure full, dedicated funding for the Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) and your urgent action is needed!

The tragedy of the BP Oil Spill reminds us how vulnerable our public lands and waters, surrounding communities, and wildlife are to harm. We need sustained investment to provide long term protection of the natural places that are so important to us as Americans, and the Land and Water Conservation Fund was designed to do just that. It is time to keep the promise that was made to use all the funding deposited in LWCF to protect places Americans care about for future generations.

LWCF is authorized to receive a very small percentage of revenue from offshore leases for oil and gas- \$900 million a year. However, Congress and various Administrations have diverted many of these funds from their intended purpose! Today, the LWCF has an authorized balance of more than \$17 billion that should have been spent on conservation, but was not- a \$17 billion broken promise!

Please contact Senators Menedez and Lautenberg and your Congressman today and urge them to:

1. Support full funding of the Land and Water Conservation Fund in the CLEAR Act
2. Support passage of the CLEAR Act
3. Oppose any weakening amendments

Representatives can be reached through the Capitol switchboard at
202-224-3121
or at their office:
Senator Lautenberg- (202) 224-3224
Senator Menedez- (202) 224-4744
Representative Frelinghuysen- (202) 225- 5034
Representative Garrett- (202) 225- 9048
Representative Lance- (202) 225- 9460

Thank you for your time and efforts at this critical moment, this week
could be our opportunity to secure full and dedicated funding for
LWCF!

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