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### PINELANDS ORIENTATION SET FOR JULY 28

**Woodbine**—Mayor William Pikolycky, Chairman of the Pinelands Municipal Council, is pleased to announce that the Pinelands Commission will hold its 16<sup>th</sup> annual Pinelands Orientation for Newly Elected and Appointed Officials and an Update for other elected or appointed municipal officials on **Thursday, July 28, 2016 at 4 p.m.** in the Pinelands Commission's headquarters Richard J. Sullivan Center at on 15 Springfield Road in Pemberton Township, NJ.

This Orientation is co-sponsored by the New Jersey Pinelands Commission and the Pinelands Municipal Council.

During this year's Orientation, we will provide details about several potential changes to the Pinelands Comprehensive Management Plan, the rules that guide land-use, development and natural resource protection programs in the state-designated Pinelands Area.

This Orientation will immediately precede the July meeting of the Pinelands Municipal Council, **which is also open to the public.**

Registration is required by July 25. There is no cost for the seminar and dinner will be provided. Any questions and to register, please call Paul Leakan at the Pinelands Commission (609-894-7300).

All are also invited to attend the Pinelands Municipal Council meeting following the seminar and get an opportunity to meet the representatives of the 53 Pinelands municipalities that offer suggestions and recommendations to the Commission on issues that impact their communities.

“Additional information about the New Jersey Commission and the Pinelands Municipal Council is available at the website: [www.nj.gov/pinelands/](http://www.nj.gov/pinelands/)”, added Mayor Pikolycky. “Hope to see municipal officials from our Pinelands communities at this Orientation and the Pinelands Municipal Council meeting that follows.”