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Donna A. Rendeiro Executive Director

MEMORANDUM TO: State Planning Commission

FROM: Donna Rendeiro

RE: Proposed Brick Endorsement

DATE: October 12, 2022

The Township of Brick received Town Center designation in June, 2007. In December, 2021, the Township submitted their Municipal Self-Assessment to the Office, beginning their process to renew their endorsement and their Center boundaries. I approved a waiver for conducting two visioning sessions due to their demonstrated commitment to public input. The Governing Body of Brick places a high value on public information and transparency. The details are provided in the attached recommendation report written by Lisa Avichal.

Brick actively plans for its future by engaging the public and seeks to realize the vision articulated in their Master Plan. The Township has committed to fulfill the criteria outline in the State Plan and desires to continue setting new foundations for better planning by incorporating a vision of the future that contemplates resiliency, redevelopment, and preservation of the remaining undeveloped lands.

Given the Township's vision is in line with the State Plan's goals, I fully support the recommendation to grant the Township of Brick Plan Endorsement.