

APPENDIX

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State House Commissioners:

Protect Our Coast New Jersey objects to item 10 on today's agenda. This is a NJDEP request on behalf of Atlantic City. We have spoken with residents in the fifth ward who are outraged that this industrial project is going to be built. Concerns have been expressed that the affected residents and neighborhoods have not been given ample notice, nor has that notice been delivered in their languages. There are quite a few Asian and Hispanic families living along the proposed high voltage electric cable route. And these neighborhoods contain a substantial number of blue collar workers, folks who work two or more jobs just so they can afford to keep the lights on. These are not people who can take a day off to attend commission meetings or hearings, especially when accommodations haven't been made (ie, translation services).

Even with the support of Atlantic City Mayor Marty Small, Council President Aaron Randolph and Vice President Kaleem Shabazz, this measure was narrowly approved by the council on a 5-4 vote last week.

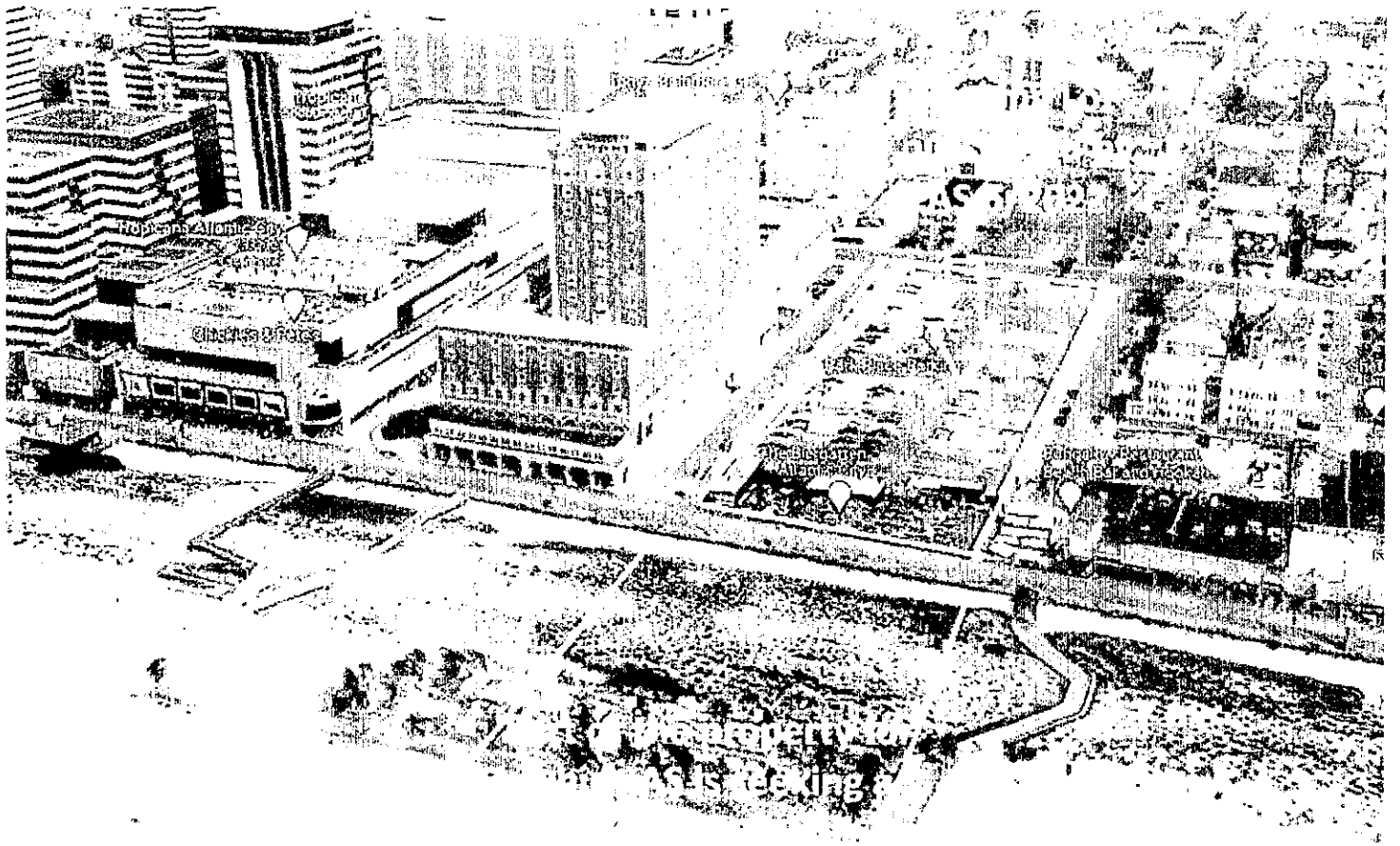
I hope the commissioners understand the injustice that bringing high voltage cable through underprivileged, overburdened communities represents. If this plan goes forward, it will do so in direct conflict with NJ Environmental Justice Law.

We ask you to **REJECT** the DEP request contained in agenda item 10.

Thank you for your consideration.

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President
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<https://breakingac.com/news/2024/sep/18/atlantic-city-council-backs-wind-farm-plan-despite-major-opposition/>



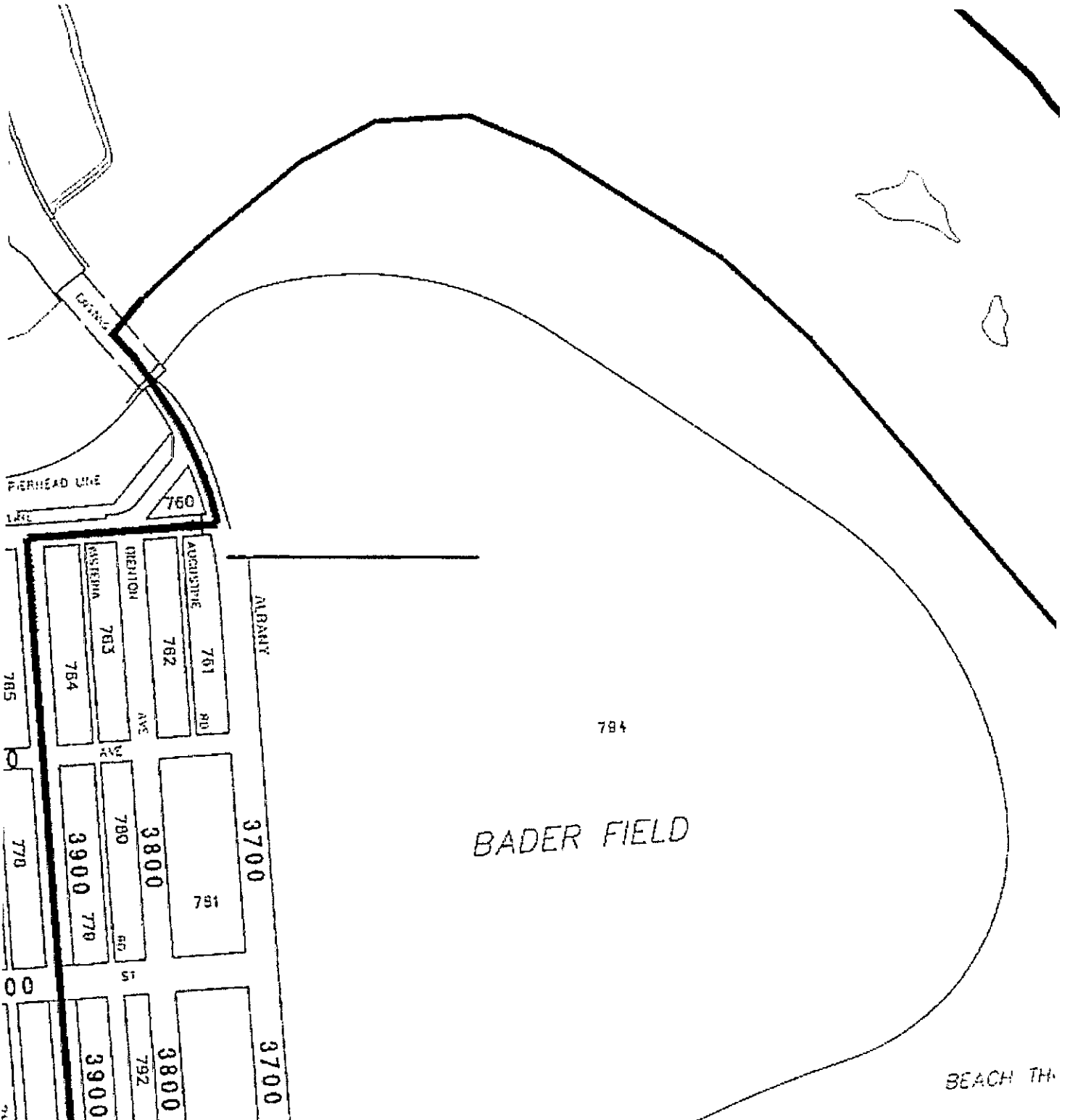
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, R.

10. Project: Atlantic City Public Beach, Pete Pallitto Fi and Lots, City of Atlantic City, Atlantic County

Requesting Party: The NJDEP on behalf of the City allow the acquisition of four 10-foot wide undergro the Atlantic City Public Beach and Boardwalk and utility easements across both Bader Field, in-water Field, by Atlantic Shores Offshore Wind Project 1 I Atlantic Shores Offshore Wind Project 1 (Project). develop a 1,510 MW offshore wind generation proj OCS-A 0499 and to connect to the electric grid via cables. The crossing of the City's parks will require exclusive utility easements for the proposed electric wide permanent non-exclusive easements total app through the Beach, 590 (+-) linear feet through Pete through Bader Field and in total will encompass app Acres encumbered parkland.

This project is proposed to assist with meeting the t Order 8 (2018), which set a goal of 3,500 megawatt Executive Order 92 (2019), which increased the goal Executive Order 307 (2022), which further increase which all are in furtherance of the State's Offshore (OWEDA), P.L. 2010, c. 57.

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items 3 - deny sale of hagedorn hospital building for such a low price. such a low price does not properly help the taxpayers of hunterdon county, who own this property. the sale price should be one million dollars. somebody has set this sale price too low imo.

6. how soon is interstate required to get the billboard up? is the requirement get the billboard up in one month so it is effective in a timely fashion. certainly for interstate to get years to put up a billboard does not make sense. any agreement must state a fixed date for action by interstate.

10 totally opposed to wind energ coming onto atlantic city beach. do not believe this desecratio of the ocan with wind towers is sound economic policy or a policy that protects the environment. public opposition to these wind towers is substantial and this back door method of approving wind towers that kill whales and dolphins and destroy nature is incalculably bad for the residents of nj. the costs for this electricity method will be massive to the residents. deny this back door proposition and protect the beach and the ocean from profiteer manipulators.

12the 4 acres of compensation for losing green acres should be specified in this state house commission memorandum agenda. to just say 4.862 acres is compensatory and not identify the specific identification for this site is negligent.

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