

# Morris County Preservation Trust Recommended Open Space Projects for 2019

## Black River Fields

**Submitted by:** Chester Township

**Type of Acquisition:** Fee Simple

**Grant Amount:** \$416,250

**Location:** Chester Twp.

**Acreage:** 45.00

### Description:

This property is located off North Road, across from Telcordia Park, next to the Black River Middle School and Chester Area Pool. The property serves as a regional recreational facility and is utilized by residents and recreational clubs of both Chester and Mendham. Chester Township has leased the property for over two decades to utilize the lands for active recreation and has made significant investments in the park fields and parking areas. Acquisition would ensure the popular facility is protected.

