Morris County Preservation Trust Recommended Open Space Projects for 2006



Expansion of Schiff Nature Preserve

Submitted by: Schiff Natural Lands Trust, Inc.

Type of Acquisition: ✓ Fee Simple Acres To Be Acquired: 15.00

☐ Conservation Easement

Grant Amount: \$850,000

Description:

Located east of Roxiticus Road, south of Mendham Road, this 15-acre acquisition allows further expansion of the 340-acre Schiff Nature Preserve located directly west of the site. The property will allow increased passive recreational use of this area and provide opportunities for nature observation and wildlife habitat. In addition to the actual purchase in fee, the funding of this application will include a right of first refusal for the remaining 21 acres.

