

# Public Hearing Announcement

Today you can begin registering to testify at the public hearings to be held by the Assembly Budget Committee on the proposed State Budget for Fiscal Year 2010.

The **Assembly** will hold 3 hearings. You may participate in one by selecting the **topics/dates** and **time** below that best suits you or your organization. Every attempt will be made to honor your request, but the committee may have to reschedule some individuals should the requested times be over subscribed.

You, the public will have the opportunity to testify at **ONE** public hearing. Simply go to the “**New Jersey Legislative Home Page**” at: [www.njleg.state.nj.us](http://www.njleg.state.nj.us), click on “**online registration**” and follow the directions to register. Submit the form and print a copy of your **REGISTRATION** and a **CONFIRMATION** will be sent to you via e-mail using the same address you registered with. If you need assistance please call the Legislative Budget and Finance Office at (609) 292-8030.

## Assembly Budget Committee

### Public Hearings Dates:

**March 24, 2009 (Tuesday)**      **State House Annex, Committee Room 11**  
**(Starting at 9:30 AM)**            **Fourth Floor**  
   **Trenton, New Jersey**

**\*TOPICS- Health, Human Services, Senior, Family & Children’s Issues**

**March 26, 2009 (Thursday)**      **State House Annex, Committee Room 11**  
**(Starting at 9:30 AM)**            **Fourth Floor**  
   **Trenton, New Jersey**

**\*TOPICS- Education, Higher Education & Local Government Issues**

**April 2, 2009 (Thursday)**      **State House Annex, Committee Room 11**  
**(Starting at 9:30 AM)**            **Fourth Floor**  
   **Trenton, New Jersey**

**\*TOPICS- Public Safety, Economic Development, Transportation, Environment, Arts, History & Cultural Issues (and all other subjects not listed above)**

**NOTE:** Participants will only be allowed to testify at **ONE** public hearing. In consideration of all who wish to contribute, we prefer that those participants from statewide or national organizations with multiple chapters, offices, locations, etc., consolidate their efforts and select one person to represent the organization at each public hearing. Your presentation may include information pertaining to more than one chapter, office, location, etc.

For reasonable accommodations of a disability, **immediately** call the telephone number or fax number above, or TTY for hearing loss assistance (609)777-2744/toll free in NJ (800)257-7490. The provision of assistive listening devices requires 24 hours' notice. Real time reporter or sign language interpretation requires 5 days' notice.

For changes in schedule due to snow or other emergencies, call 800-792-8630 (toll-free in NJ or 609-292-4840).

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR ASSEMBLY PUBLIC HEARING REGISTRATION

To register for participation in one of the Assembly public hearings, please do **ONLY ONE** of the following:

- a. fill out the PUBLIC HEARING SELECTION FORM and fax the completed form to our office at (609) 777-2442,
- b. **OR**, mail it to our office,
- c. **OR**, call the information in to our office by dialing (609) 984-6798, stating that you wish to register for one of the Assembly public hearings.

**NOTE: PLEASE DO NOT REGISTER BY PHONE IF YOU HAVE FAXED OR MAILED OR E-MAILED YOUR REGISTRATION FORM.**

**! AS SOON AS WE HEAR FROM YOU, WE WILL SEND YOU THE CONFIRMATION PACKAGE. IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED A SCHEDULING CONFIRMATION BY **March 23rd** FOR THE **March 24th** HEARING, **March 25th** FOR THE **March 26th** HEARING OR **March 31st** FOR THE **April 2nd** HEARING, PLEASE CALL OUR OFFICE AT (609) 292-8030.**

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**WE THANK YOU AND APPRECIATE YOUR COOPERATION**