New Jersey Legislature Senate Budget and Appropriations Committee Public Hearing Fiscal Year 2006 State Budget Giants Stadium, 50 Club, South Tower Suite East Rutherford, New Jersey March 22, 2005

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Speaker listing in order of appearance:

- 1. Dennis McNerney, County Executive, County of Bergen
- 2. Edana Desatnick, parent of child with Angelman's Syndrome, The ARC of New Jersey
- 3. Cecilia Zalkind, Executive Director, Association for Children of New Jersey
- 4. Thomas Grady, Director, Advocacy and Public Affairs, Brain Injury Association of New Jersey, Inc.
- 5. Sean Hopkins, Senior Vice President, New Jersey Hospital Association
- 6. Lisa Coscia, Executive Director, New Jersey MENTOR
- 7. Alan Mucatel, Executive Director, Cerebral Palsy of New Jersey (CPNJ)
- 8. William R. Testa, Executive Director, The ARC/Morris Chapter
- 9. James Lape, Vice President, Trinitas Hospital
- 10. Marie Fader, President, The Federation of New Jersey Child Evaluation Centers, Inc.
- 11. Richard Vogel, President, Hemophilia Association of New Jersey (HANJ)
- 12. Adele LaTourette, Director, Statewide Emergency Food and Anti-Hunger Network
- 13. Joan Desmarais, Program Manager, Child Care Services of Monmouth County
- 14. Tom Zsiga, Associate Director, New Jersey Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies
- 15. Tom Bruno, Legislative/Political Coordinator, CWA Local 1040
- 16. Edithe Fulton, President, New Jersey Education Association
- 17. Suzanne Williamson, Chair, New Jersey Child Care Advisory Council
- 18. Sandra Accomando, CEO, The Apostles' House
- 19. Dana Berry, Executive Director, Starting Points for Children, Inc.
- 20. Diane Conway, Executive Director, New Jersey Association of Community Providers
- 21. Frank X. Caragher, Executive Director, The Arc of Union County

- 22. Mildred Fruhling
- 23. Lindsay Spero, Legislative Director, Rutgers University Lobbying Association: Sharo Atmeh and Jillian Curtis, University Senators, Rutgers College Governing Association
- Lynne Strickland, Executive Director, Garden State Coalition of Schools/GSCS
- 25. Robert Schechner, Volunteer, and Sister Margaret Lopez, Director of Advocacy, American Cancer Society
- 26. Tom Baffuto, Chair, Cost of Providing Care Coalition
- 27. Celeste Fitzgerald, Director, New Jerseyans for Alternatives to the Death Penalty (NJADP)
- 28. Dr. William Weiss, Executive Director, Passaic County Elks Cerebral Palsy Center
- 29. Douglas A. Struyk, President and CEO, Christian Health Care Center
- 30. Tricia Hampel, President, New Jersey Association of Clinical Case Managers and Director of Hudson County's Integrated Case Management Service program
- 31. Marc Mion, student, Bergen Community College
- 32. Ometa Richey, Parent/Executive Director, Family Support Organization of Hudson County
- 33. Christine Ranaghan, Director, Education Outreach, Recording for the Blind & Dyslexic, New Jersey Unit
- 34. Frances Curley, Regional Vice President, Community Options, Inc.
- 35. Janice Sangle, Government Relations Committee Chairperson, New Jersey Chapter, National Multiple Sclerosis Society
- 36. Suzanne Ianni, Executive Director, Hospital Alliance of New Jersey
- 37. Richard Goldberg, President, Commerce and Industry Association of New Jersey
- 38. Patricia A. Tumulty, Executive Director, New Jersey Library Association
- 39. Liza M. Kirschenbaum, Esq., Director of Public Affairs, Court Appointed Special Advocates of New Jersey, Inc. (CASA of NJ)
- 40. Lucille Richards, COO, Visiting Nurse Association of Central Jersey
- 41. Maureen Walliser, Governmental Affairs Chairperson, Association for Choices in Community Supports and Employment Services (ACCSES), New Jersey, Inc.
- 42. Susan Coen, Director, Union County Division of Cultural and Heritage Affairs
- 43. Robert Nolan, Controller, Mental Health Association of Essex County, Inc.
- 44. William S. England, President, Disability Services & Advocacy, LLC.
- 45. Creighton Drury, Vice President, New Jersey Community Development Corporation; Creighton Drury, Rutgers Alumni Federation
- 46. Peter Chin, individual, issues with DYFS
- 47. Eugenia Gore, Executive Assistant, Our House, Inc.
- 48. Reverend Patricia L. Bruger, Executive Director, CUMAC/ECHO, Inc.
- 49. Sue Kozel, Consultant, Amanda's Easel, 180, Turning Lives Around

- 50. Darlene Reeves, Parent Advocate, Disability Issues
- 51. Dr. Arnold H. Rosenheck, Assistant Dean, New Jersey Dental School speaking on behalf of the Coalition of the NJ Comprehensive Cancer Plan.
- 52. Ethan Ellis, Executive Director, New Jersey Council on Developmental Disabilities
- 53. Frank Gargiulo, Superintendent, Hudson County Schools of Technology
- 54. Linda Caldwell Epps, Director of Advancement, New Jersey Historical Society.
- 55. Russell F. Hall, President, Board of Trustees, Interfaith Food Pantry in Morristown
- 56. Judy Grignon, Coordinator, Farmers Against Hunger program, New Jersey Agricultural Society
- 57. Ralph Mastrangelo, Parent Advocate, Disability Issues
- 58. Rev. Reginald T. Jackson, Black Ministers Council of New Jersey
- 59. Dr. Steven Rose, President, Passaic County Community College and Vice Chair, New Jersey Association of Colleges and Universities
- 60. Dana Rone, Public Housing and Educational Advocate, Newark School Board Member
- 61. Victoria Leigh, Outreach Co-Coordinator, Family Support Organization of Union County
- 62. Nick Starita, Executive Director, United Cerebral Palsy of Hudson County, Inc.
- 63. Axel Torres-Marrero, Director of Public Policy, Hyacinth AIDS Foundation
- 64. Carole Tonks, Parent Advocate on behalf of New Jersey Developmental Disabilities Council
- 65. Kenneth H. Thorn, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Paper Mill Playhouse
- 66. Anthony Lucibello, Executive Director, Northwest Essex Community Healthcare Network
- 67. Mary Arnold, Executive Director, Teaneck Creek Conservancy, Inc.
- 68. Dr. Lorraine Cooke, Chair, Early Childhood Coalition of New Jersey