



MIDDLESEX COUNTY
Coalition on
Community
Wellness

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Betsey S. Chadwick
Director, MCSAAC
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Dear Betsey,

It is my understanding that MCSAAC will be providing testimony at the State Capitol tomorrow regarding SB-24 An Act Concerning the Governor's Recommendations Regarding Electronic Nicotine Systems and Youth Smoking Prevention.

It is the consensus of our Middlesex County Coalition on Community Wellness Tobacco Free Parks Workgroup that we would like to endorse and support your testimony. We believe that this is a very important initiative that will help limit the exposure of our youth to these products.

The members of this workgroup include:

Deanna Rhodes, Planner for the Town of Portland
Joyce Walter, Director, Davison Health Center, Wesleyan University
Catherine Rees, Director Community Benefits, Middlesex Hospital
Ruth Checko, Director, Parks and Recreation, Town of East Hampton
Tony Sharillo, Camp Director YMCA Camp Ingersoll
Maura Esposito, Director of Health, Town of Killingworth
Ruth Canovi, American Lung Association

Please let me know if there is anything else that we can do to assist you in moving ahead with this very important legislation.

Sincerely,

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Tobacco Free Parks Workgroup Leader