

JOINT STATEMENT ON ARC TUNNEL
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The construction of the ARC Tunnel is critical to improving both mass transit options and the environment in northern and central New Jersey. The project will take cars off the road and reduce greenhouse gas emissions. NY/NJ Baykeeper and Hackensack Riverkeeper have been working with NJ Transit on the ARC Tunnel since 2007 to address our environmental concerns and we support moving forward with this important regional project.

NY/NJ Baykeeper is the citizen guardian of the Hudson-Raritan Estuary. Since 1989, we've worked to protect, preserve, and restore the environment of one of the most urban estuaries on Earth - benefiting its natural and human communities. For more information please visit www.nynjbaykeeper.org.

The primary Mission of the Hackensack Riverkeeper, Inc. is to provide representation for the natural living resources of the Hackensack River. This representation is manifested in the Hackensack environmental advocacy, education and conservation programs. The focus of Hackensack Riverkeeper, Inc. is to protect and defend the environmental quality of the eco-system of the estuary, river and watershed and the quality of life for the people and other creatures that inhabit the Hackensack River watershed. For more information please visit www.hackensackriverkeeper.org