

## **Model Ordinance Development and Promotion**

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection in cooperation with the Sustainable Jersey program drafted multiple versions of an outdoor water conservation ordinance. The ordinance is currently a "Priority Item" in Sustainable Jersey Program which is being promoted Statewide. In addition, the next version of the ordinance is being vetted through multiple industry representatives and municipalities to help iron out any flaws.

The ordinance and an overview of the entire New Jersey Water Savers educational program is scheduled to be promoted through regional Water Conservation Workshops which are provided through the Sustainable Jersey Program and is being considered as one of the workshops for this years' New Jersey League of Municipalities Conference in Atlantic City, N.J.