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CMC SIERRA CLUB ENDORSES BACHER & JACKSON
FOR CAPE MAY COUNTY FREEHOLDERS

CAPE MAY COURT HOUSE--The Cape May Conservation Committee of the New Jersey Sierra Club today endorsed Steven Bacher and Robert Jackson, the Democratic candidates for the two seats on the Cape May County Board of Chosen Freeholders on the November 6, 2007 ballot. The Sierra Club's mission is to explore, enjoy, and protect the wild places of the earth; to practice and promote the responsible use of the earth's ecosystems and resources; and to educate and enlist humanity to protect and restore the quality of the natural and human environments. The Sierra Club distributed questionnaires to all of the candidates for Cape May County Freeholder, and New Jersey State Senator and Assemblyman from District 1.

"Steve Bacher and Robert Jackson's vision and values for the future of Cape May County are consistent with those of the Sierra Club," said Trish McMonagle, Chair of Cape May County's Sierra Club Conservation Committee. "The local Sierra Club Committee believes that renewable energy and climate change are important issues that need to be addressed whether or not they are politically popular. These are issues that will affect us on every level, locally and globally. The current Freeholders have been slow to respond to the issues of global warming and renewable energy. We need Freeholders that will take a stand for us on issue that matter.

"Steve Bacher and Robert Jackson have championed these issues. Their understanding of the importance of fighting global warming at every level of government, including County government, is the kind of leadership the Sierra Club believes is essential today. The emphasis in their campaign on reducing carbon emissions is a public service in itself. The Sierra Club looks forward to supporting their work on the Board of Chosen Freeholders and urges everyone to vote on November 6."

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