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The Hon. Paul G. Clark  
County Executive  
New Castle County  
87 Reads Way  
New Castle, DE 19720

**Re: Certification of 2012 Update to New Castle County Comprehensive Plan**

Dear County Executive Clark:

I am pleased to inform you that pursuant to 29 *Del. C.* § 9103, as per the recommendation of the Office of State Planning Coordination, the 2012 Update to the Comprehensive Plan for New Castle County (the "Comprehensive Plan") is hereby certified. This certification confirms that the Comprehensive Plan includes all of the required elements set forth in 9 *Del. C.* §2656.

I would like to thank the County for all of its hard work in connection with the Comprehensive Plan. We look forward to working with the County as you move into the implementation stage of your plan.

Once again, congratulations on your certification.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "J.A. Markell".

Jack A. Markell  
Governor

cc: Mr. David M. Culver, General Manager, NCC Department of Land Use (via email)  
Ms. Constance Holland, Director, Office of State Planning (via email)