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Dear Residents of New Jersey:

It's time to take back New Jersey from the politicians and power brokers who have raised our taxes and turned a blind eye to corruption, and return New Jersey to the people. It's time we brought real change to Trenton.

Elect me as your Governor and we will bring change to New Jersey—cut property taxes by 30%, reduce wasteful spending, and fight the corruption that has plagued our state for too long.

My wife Andrea and I moved here nearly 30 years ago with only a few dollars in our pockets. New Jersey has given us the opportunity to work hard, raise a family, educate our children, and start a business. But now all that we have worked for is being threatened by rising property taxes, wasteful spending, and corruption.

We can change that. I am not a politician—I am a businessman with a real plan to permanently cut property taxes by 30% and change Trenton.

My property tax relief plan—the 30-in-3 Guarantee—will reduce property taxes by 30% over three years on New Jersey's hard-working families and seniors. The plan provides a 10% property cut in the first year, a 20% cut in the second year, and a 30% cut in the third year. In the third and every year going forward, 30% of your property tax bill will be paid for by the state and guaranteed by the state constitution.

We will pay for property tax relief by cutting wasteful spending—like hundreds of millions of tax dollars being wasted on a hockey arena in Newark, the thousands of political patronage jobs Jim McGreevey created, the exorbitant fees paid to politically connected contractors . . . The list goes on and on.

Corruption costs New Jersey an estimated \$1 BILLION every year. It's robbing us of our tax dollars, robbing our children of their education, and sapping the faith and confidence that we must have in our government and its leaders.

To fight corruption, we will institute tough, comprehensive ethics reforms. We will end “pay to play” by banning the appropriation of state contracts to campaign contributors and making all government contracts go to bid. We will create an elected State Auditor and State Audit Team to root out and eliminate government waste, fraud, and abuse.

It's time to put an end to higher and higher property taxes every year!

It's time to put an end to the corruption and scandals that have plagued our state!

It's time to put an end to government being run to benefit the friends of the powerful political bosses!

It's time to TAKE BACK NEW JERSEY!

Give me your vote and we will lower property taxes, root out corruption and make New Jersey a better place for all of us.

Sincerely,  
Doug Forrester