## **History of the FFP**

The Frelinghuysen Forest Preserve North property had been a camp since 1926. In 2010 the Trust For Public Land and Warren County preserved adjacent land, known as Gnome Hollow. Now owned by the Ridge and Valley Conservancy, it is managed as a preserve with a focus on trails and wildlife management.

In 2011 Frelinghuysen Township and The Land Conservancy of New Jersey worked with Warren County to preserve two properties now known as the 161-acre Frelinghuysen Forest Preserve South. Preservation of the former Kids Camp in 2014 culminates a multi-year effort to complete the Frelinghuysen Forest Preserve Greenway and secures the property for public recreation, watershed protection, and wildlife habitat. It is a beautiful forested property and a critical link in the Greenway.

The land is now owned and managed by the Township of Frelinghuysen. If it had not been preserved, the property could have been developed with more than a dozen homes. Instead, the Township, the Land Conservancy, and Warren County stepped in and prevented fragmentation of the forest and consolidated municipal recreation lands. The Township has created an important link in an impressive trail system of over six miles which includes trails on the Frelinghuysen Forest Preserve North and South as well as neighboring Gnome Hollow! Melcome to

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