

# New Jersey Chapter Report for HPS Society Year 2007–2008

## General Information

**Official Year:** July – June

**Mailing Address:**

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**Dues Information:**

Plenary: \$20.00  
Associate: n/a  
Student: \$5.00  
Emeritus: n/a  
Life: \$0.00  
Affiliate: \$200.00

**Charter Date:** 1974

**Science Teacher Workshop?** yes

Held: Periodically  
Last workshop: July 2005  
Average number of teachers attending: 40

**Collaboration with other societies?** yes

Collaborations: NJAIHA, DVRS, GNYCHPS

**Web site:** <http://www.hpschapters.org/njhps/>

## Chapter Leadership & Officers

**President:** Patrick McDermott

**President–Elect:** Vincent Williams

**Secretary:** Curtis Smock

**Treasurer:** Adam Cook

**Executive Committee:** Venkata Lanka

**Executive Committee:** Mary Dorman

**Executive Secretary:** Deborah Hrabinski

**Treasurer–Elect:** Jeffrey Guenther

**Director Liaison:** Armin Ansari

## **Chapter Incorporation & Exempt Status**

**Applied for Incorporation?** no

**Applied for an Employer Identification Number?** no

**Insurance?** no

**Willing to share IRS paperwork?** yes

## **Chapter Membership & Certifications**

**HPS Members:** 111

**non-Members:** 0

**Total:** 111

**ABHP Certified:** 15

**NRRPT Certified:** 4

## **Meetings/Activities: Meetings/Activities (Aug-07 to Jul-08)**

**Oct '07 Meeting Topic:** Annual NJHPS BBQ

Type: Social

Speaker: None

Attendance: 33

**Nov '07 Meeting Topic:** Looking Back After 25 Years...

Type: Technical, Joint, Executive Council

Speaker: Richard Toohey, PhD – National President Elect

Attendance: 41

**Jan '08 Meeting Topic:** DOT Refresher Training (8-hr)

Type: Technical

Speaker: Sean Austin, Radiation Safety Academy

Attendance: 65

**Feb '08 Meeting Topic:** Radioactive Materials Security Roundtable (8-hr)

Type: Technical

Speaker: M. Miller & J. Joustra (NRC), G. Tittmore (NNSA) & R. Whitman (USCBP)

Attendance: 36

**Mar '08 Meeting Topic:** Radio–frequency Safety (2 days)

Type: Technical

Speaker: Bob Johnson, NARDA

Attendance: 70

**Apr '08 Meeting Topic:** Executive Council Meeting (Actually in Feb, 08)

Type: Executive Council

Speaker: council members

Attendance: 6

**May '08 Meeting Topic:** Radiological Fire Disasters – Lessons Learned

Type: Technical, Executive Council

Speaker: Matt Norton, Philotechnics

Attendance: 29

**Jun '08 Meeting Topic:** NJHPS Annual Meeting – Radioactive Myth Busting

Type: Annual, Social, Executive Council

Speaker: V. Williams, A. Cook & J. Krampert (Merck)

Attendance: 44

## Comments

The NJ Chapter had a very active and productive 2007 & 2008!

Thank you for your support.

Patrick J. McDermott, CHP

Outgoing President

This Chapter report was created on 11 July 2008 by Patrick McDermott.