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Speaker listing in order of appearance (**highlighted names indicate testimony submitted**):

1. [Debra L. Wentz, PhD.](#), Chief Executive Officer, New Jersey Association of Mental Health and Addiction Agencies
2. [Jonathan Dolan](#), President and [John W. Indyk](#), Vice President, Health Care Association of New Jersey
3. [Barbara Johnston](#), Director of Policy and Advocacy, Mental Health Association of New Jersey
4. [Phillip Lubitz](#), Associate Director, National Alliance on Mental Illness New Jersey
5. [Edward Bray](#), Director, Public Policy and Advocacy, Learning Ally, Inc.
6. [Claudine M. Langrin](#), Senior Vice President and Assistant General Counsel, and [Dawn K. Miller](#), Executive Vice President and Assistant General Counsel, Legal Services of New Jersey
7. [Honorable Brian C. Wahler](#), Mayor, Piscataway Township and President, New Jersey League of Municipalities
8. [Tom Bruno](#), Citizen
9. [Cecilia Zalkind](#), Executive Director, Advocates for Children of New Jersey
10. [Colleen Watkins](#), New Jersey Statewide Self-Advocacy Network
11. [Chaevia Clendinen](#), Senior Lecturer, Princeton University
12. [Dr. George Corwell](#), Director, Office of Education, New Jersey Catholic Conference and [Mary McElroy, Esq.](#), Director, New Jersey Network of Catholic School Families for the Archdiocese of Newark
13. [Edward Martone](#), Policy Analyst, National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence, New Jersey
14. [Wendell Steinhauer](#), President, New Jersey Education Association
15. [Lynne Strickland](#), Executive Director, Garden State Coalition of Schools
16. [Josh Pruzansky](#), Director, Orthodox Union Advocacy Center
17. [Patricia Carlesimo](#), Executive Director, Lifetime Assistance for Developmental and Challenging Individual Needs
18. [Andrea Bowen](#), Executive Director, Garden State Equality
19. [Maura A. Collingsgru](#), Health Care Program Director, New Jersey Citizen Action and Convener, New Jersey for Health Care Coalition

20. [Margot Walsh](#), Executive Director, Jersey Shore Partnership, Inc.
21. [Valerie Sellers](#), Chief Executive Officer, New Jersey Association of Community Providers
22. [Sandy Clark](#), Associate Executive Director, New Jersey Coalition for Battered Women
23. [Suzanne Ianni](#), President and Chief Executive Officer, Hospital Alliance of New Jersey
24. [Suzanne Ivans](#), School Administrator, South Hunterdon School District
25. [Rick Pressler](#), Interim President and Chief Executive Officer, New Jersey Charter Schools Association
26. [Michael Egenton](#), Senior Vice President, Government Relations, New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce
27. [Susan Delaney](#), Director, Government Affairs and Policy
28. [Lorraine Dysylva Lee](#), Board Member and Parent, Supportive Housing Association of New Jersey
29. [Andrew Musick](#), Director of Policy and Research, New Jersey Business and Industry Association
30. [Jillian Hudspeth](#), President and Chief Executive Officer, New Jersey Primary Care Association and [Dr. Theresa Berger](#), Chief Executive Officer, Ocean Health Initiatives, Inc.
31. [Jeanne Otersen](#), Chief of Staff, Health Professionals and Allied Employees
32. [Fredrick J. Stone](#), Citizen
33. [Joan Migton](#), Citizen
34. [Bonnie Brien](#), President, Family Support Coalition of New Jersey
35. [Janna Chernetz](#), Senior New Jersey Policy Analyst, Tri-State Transportation Campaign
36. [Tom Grady](#), Director of Advocacy and Public Affairs, Brain Injury Alliance
37. [Lilyan Cralle](#), Advocacy Volunteer, AARP New Jersey
38. [Tony Heyl](#), Director Communications and Public Policy, ALS Association
39. Charles Ouslander, Citizen
40. [Miguel Hernandez, Ed.D.](#), Assistant Superintendent, Hoboken Public Schools
41. [Mary Cruz](#), Political Director and [Paulette Johnson](#), Certified Nursing Assistant and Member, 1199 SEIU
42. [Leslie Long](#), Vice President of Adult Services, Autism Speaks
43. [Daniel J. Keating, PhD.](#), Executive Director, Alliance for the Betterment of Citizens with Disabilities
44. [Ethan Hasbrouck](#), Government Relations Director, American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network
45. [Elizabeth Talmont](#), Vice President, Planned Parenthood
46. [Ann Vardeman](#), Associate Director of Organizing and Advocacy, New Jersey Citizen Action
47. [Meme Omogbai](#), Board Chair, New Jersey Historic Trust
48. [Rocco Tomazic](#), Superintendent, Freehold Borough Public Schools
49. [Rabbi Avi Schnall](#), New Jersey Director, Agudath Israel of American
50. [Paul Velelis](#), School Business Administrator, Jersey City Golden Door Charter School
51. [Kate Clark](#), Government Relations Director, Family Planning Association of New Jersey
52. [Anthony Lucibello](#), Public Policy Chair, New Jersey Psychiatric Rehabilitation Association
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54. [Marcell DelCorpo](#), Director, Redeem-Her
55. [Joseph M. Clift](#), Advocate, Regional Rail Service
56. [Amy Hansen](#), Policy Analyst, New Jersey Conservation Foundation
57. [Vonda Givens](#), Executive Director, The Stickley Museum at Craftsman Farms
58. [Hilary Bowden](#) and [Jacqueline Quagliana](#), Teacher/Managers, Soaring Heights Charter School
59. [Doug O'Malley](#), Director, Environment New Jersey
60. William Spiro, Citizen
61. [Misono Miller](#), Coordinator, Advisory Councils Together for New Jersey
62. [Ryck Suydam](#), President, New Jersey Farm Bureau
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