

# DEFENDING NEW JERSEY'S BLACK BEARS SINCE 1992

Through:

- Litigation
- Legislation
- Wildlife Advocacy

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## New Jersey Bear Advocacy

Bear advocacy is critical until bears are permanently protected. Please continue the fight! Our education efforts must continue until all residents become Bear Smart champions. We need everyone to pitch in to make this happen.

### What can you do?

1. **E-mail Governor Murphy** [constituent.relations@NJ.Gov](mailto:constituent.relations@NJ.Gov). Tell his staff that we support him and his desire to end the hunt.
2. **Refute bear lies.** Whenever and wherever (newspaper, social media, radio, etc.) you see lies about bears, please counter it by commenting or writing a letter to the editor. Use these facts:
  - Bear hunts are cruel and do not reduce complaints or incidents.
  - Bear Smart initiatives (education, garbage control, and other nonlethal methods) are the only solution. Visit [www.BearSmartNJ.org](http://www.BearSmartNJ.org) for more information.
3. **Hold banner protests.** Two or more people and a good location are all that's needed for a successful banner protest. Contact [Doreen.Frega@aplNJ.org](mailto:Doreen.Frega@aplNJ.org) for a banner.



4. **Tweet Governor Murphy:** @GovMurphy #SaveNJBears
5. **Support Priority Legislation: A4641 –** Assemblyman Raj Mukherji (D-33) introduced a new bill to strengthen the current feeding ban law, which will reduce complaints and incidents with black bears. Please visit [aplNJ.org/bear-legislation/](http://aplNJ.org/bear-legislation/) to help enact this legislation.
6. **Get involved and STAY involved.** Help us educate

the public and support us financially so we can continue our work to permanently protect black bears. Contact [Doreen.Frega@aplNJ.org](mailto:Doreen.Frega@aplNJ.org) to join us at education outreach events.

For the latest information and up-to-date actions needed, like us on [Facebook.com/SaveNJBears](https://www.facebook.com/SaveNJBears).

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