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The Honorable Phil Murphy  
Governor of the State of New Jersey  
Office of the Governor PO Box 001  
Trenton, NJ 08625

Dear Governor Murphy:

I am writing to respectfully request that you suspend the 2020 bear hunt.

I also want to extend a word of praise for your dedication in ensuring that New Jerseyans' health and well-being remain paramount during these difficult times and for your swift action in suspending the annual bear hunt starting in 2021.

I join with many other legislators who are asking for the 2020 bear hunt to be suspended in response to the increased spread of Covid-19. I believe that failing to act now will put our families, friends and communities at great risk, as an influx of out-of-town hunters will endanger our state.

As an animal welfare advocate, I feel that we need to do all we can to reduce the hunting of bears for sport. Thank you for your consideration of my request. Please let me know if I can provide additional information.

Sincerely,

Senator Linda Greenstein

