



State of New Jersey

Department of Transportation
Central Region Construction
100 Daniels Way
Freehold, New Jersey 07728

Route 36
Highlands Bridge Replacement
Federal Project # 100% State Funding

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ROUTE 36

PROJECT INFORMATION MEETING MINUTES #019

HELD JULY 17, 2008

Those attending:

- Gregory Maryak – NJDOT – Resident Engineer
- JP Singh – NJDOT – Senior Engineer
- Tony Marsella – NJDOT – Deputy Director
- Mike Kalaka—GPI- DOT Consultant
- Bruce Hilling – Highlands – Borough Administrator
- Christine Slade – NPS –Resource Management
- Dominic Salsa – JHReidGC – Project Engineer
- Jamin Patel – JHReid – Project Engineer
- Anna Little – Highlands Mayor
- Dale Luebner- Highlands – Borough Engineer
- Joe Blewett – HighlandsPD – Chief
- Brian Forseth – NPS – Facility manager
- Bruce Hawkinson – NJDOT – E-Team

ITALICIZED TEXT INDICATES UNRESOLVED OR PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED ISSUES. The following issues were discussed at the July17, 2008 meeting

Two Week Look Ahead

Week of 07/20/08

- Continue Construction of North pedestrian Bridge in NPS.
- Continue with precast cofferdams construction.
- Water and Sewer relocation at bridge. Call D.L. for lateral sewer inspection.
- Continue with demolition of bridge Tuesday 7/24/08. Remove girders at spans 1 to 3.

Week of 07/27/08

- Continue pedestrian Bridge in NPS.
- Continue demolition of bridge.
- Continue precast cofferdams construction.
- Test pile driving date will be week of 07/27/08 at pier no. 3.(Most likely 7/30/08)

Project Safety & Traffic Control

- *Maryak to schedule PD coverage when required.*
- *Weekend PD coverage reassigned to Highlands and Seabright P.D's*

Local Issues

- Highlands requested AM radio station that could be heard in Highlands. Discussion on possible use of NPS radio. OPEN ISSUE(Tony Marsella investigating with NPS and department of Communication Re:GSP station)
- Highlands requested a 3 week block of time with no work on south ramp to complete work to Hillside Ave. Scheduling by Salsa and Hilling (June 15 - July 7). This time frame may need to be expanded Lubner to advise. (July 24 is now the estimated completion date)
- Discussion on NPS Ranger Agreement.(OPEN W/NPS)
- Mayor & Chief Blewett requested existing antenna-signal repeater be installed on new bridge. Tony Marsella to further investigate. Highlands to review with repeater provider. (OPEN) Marsella requested a written request for relocation.
- NPS requested temporary pedestrian/bicycle marking on Ramp M during construction. Reviewed by G.M., will looking into completing multi use path by full opening of temp. intersections.(OPEN)
- NPS requested a property boundary survey plat.(JHR to provide)(OPEN)
- Hilling requested economic impact report due to the construction and copy of bridge photo's for historic society.(Economic study not done. CLOSED ISSUE). Photo' are available for inspection only at NJDOT office.
- Slade requested mowing at ramps. JHR to complete by weekend.(Work in progress)
- Driveway sign's requested by Hilling will be installed this week.
- Mayor and Hilling pointed out dust problem during demolition. Maryak explained most dust coming from sand and deck is wet with water every 45 minutes.
- Hilling noted that there is to be no parking at south Bay Ave along water side.
- Hilling requested Sea Bright side bridge Pylons put aside for Highlands. Hilling will confirm location with Maryak.
- Valley Ave pipe work review will be scheduled by Hilling.
- Local traffic only lane request by Highland's was denied by Maryak as unsafe and unenforceable.

The next Project Meeting was scheduled for Thursday 07/24/08 at 10:00am.

Persons wishing to make comments, corrections, or interpretations regarding these minutes may do so to the NJDOT Resident Engineer.

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