



## State of New Jersey

### Route 36

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

Highlands Bridge Replacement  
Federal Project # 100% State Funding

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**ROUTE 36**

### **PROJECT INFORMATION MEETING MINUTES #048 HELD MARCH 26, 2009**

#### **Those attending:**

Gregory Maryak – NJDOT – Resident Engineer  
Dave Wallis – NJDOT – Principal Engineer  
Mike Kalaka – GPI – DOT Consultant  
Christopher Francy – Highlands – Councilman  
Tony Marsella – NJDOT – Deputy Director  
Bruce Hilling – Highlands – Borough Administrator  
Christine Slade – NPS – Resource Management  
Jerry Vasto – Atlantic Highlands PD – Chief  
John Amici – Atlantic Highlands PD – Captain  
Jack Keeler – Seabright- Councilman

*ITALICIZED TEXT INDICATES UNRESOLVED OR PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED ISSUES.* The following issues were discussed at the March 26, 2009 meeting.

#### Week of March 29, 2009

1. **Continue excavation of north side of ramp K/L and J.**
2. **Install grout in tendons at Pier 1 EB.**
3. **Installation of post tensioning strands for 2 EB. Possibly grout.**
4. **Complete installation of post tensioning and grout at pier 3 EB.**
5. **Complete install of substructure segments and post tension at pier 4 EB.**
6. **Possibly erect substructure segments at pier 5 EB.**
7. **Continue installation of reinforcement steel for pier 7 EB footing.**
8. **Possibly install concrete in pier 7 EB Footing.**
9. **Sealing cofferdam for pier 10.**
10. **Possibly begin installation of reinforcement steel at pier 10.**
11. **Formwork and rebar for south pedestrian bridge north side retaining wall foundations.**
12. **Continue installation of sand filter No. 2 in Sea Bright.**
13. **Wiring of toll booths.**
14. **Install concrete curb around toll booths and general clean-up in GNP.**
15. **Brick installation around toll booths.**

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Week of April 5, 2009

**Continue excavation of north side of ramp K/L and J.**

- 1. Grout post tensioning ducts for piers 2 EB.**
- 2. Installation of stability towers for pier 3 EB.**
- 3. Grout tendons at pier 4 EB.**
- 4. Erect substructure segments at pier 5 EB and post tension.**
- 5. Installation of concrete for pier 7 EB footing.**
- 6. Install reinforcement steel pier 10.**
- 7. Possibly begin installation of formwork and rebar for Ramp J abutment wall.**
- 8. Grout roof planks of sand filter No. 2 in Sea Bright.**
- 9. Complete installation of misc. equipment in toll plaza building in GNP.**
- 10. Complete brick installation around toll booths and sign in GNP,**

Project Safety & Traffic Control

- Highlands vouchers # 8 & 9 are being processed. Hilling requested Marsella to expedite.
- Seabright Voucher #11 has been returned for corrections.
- Franczy requested a point of contact for bike enthusiasts. Marsella noted Ms. Sheeree Davis at DOT can help with questions/concerns.
- Hilling will provide a sign for Contractor erection noting weight limit on Highland Avenue
- Atlantic Highlands PD reviewed traffic patterns for Summer of 2009.

Local Issues

- *Mayor & Chief Blewett requested existing antenna-signal repeater be installed on new bridge. Marsella noted that DOT will fund this item thru the contract. Need foundation and wiring plan from vendor. OPEN. Backup generator plan from Highlands is under review by the Department. D.O.T. will prepare an agreement between the parties.*
- *Request by Highlands for Bayside Drive connector to be completed. Formal request was presented by letter from Leubner. Mayor Little stressed need as OEM issue. Marsella to follow-up. Closed Issue. This will need to be a discretionary aid Application.*
- *Slade noted NPS concerns of crash protection for entrance station. Maryak to follow up. OPEN ISSUE. (Awaiting NPS input on proposal). Maryak reviewed with Slade*
- *Maryak noted Miller street change in timing (3 Phase) to be completed by May 1<sup>st</sup>.*
- *Hilling requested update on JHEGC donation of tires to H.F.A.S...Closed Issue (Check rec'd)*
- *Both Seabright and Atlantic Highlands will petition the USCG for hourly bridge openings for the Summer of 2009.*

The next Project Meeting was scheduled for Thursday 04/02/09 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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