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Central Region Construction
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Route 36

Highlands Bridge Replacement
Federal Project # 100% State Funding

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ROUTE 36

PROJECT INFORMATION MEETING MINUTES #052

HELD April 23, 2009

Those attending:

Gregory Maryak – NJDOT – Resident Engineer
JP Singh – NJDOT – Senior Engineer
Mike Kalaka – GPI – DOT Consultant
Bruce Hilling – Highlands – Borough Administrator
Rob Loudon – NPS – Ranger
Jack Keeler – Sea Bright- Councilman
Joe Blewett – HighlandsPD – Chief
Councilman Murphy – Sea Bright Borough
Steve Spahr – Captain—Sea Bright PD
Maryann Smeltzer – Sea Bright – Borough Clerk
William Moore – Sea BrightPD - Chief

ITALICIZED TEXT INDICATES UNRESOLVED OR PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED ISSUES. The following issues were discussed at the April 23, 2009 meeting.

Week of April 26, 2009

1. **Continue erection of superstructure segments for cantilever No. 3.**
2. **Installation of stability towers and bearing pedestals at 1 EB.**
3. **Installation of stability towers and bearing pedestals at 2 EB.**
4. **Installation of stability towers and bearing pedestals at 4 EB.**
5. **Installation of stability towers and bearing pedestals at 5 EB.**
6. **Possibly install base segment at pier 6 EB**
7. **Complete installation of reinforcement steel and cooling tubes for pier 10 footing.**
8. **Pour concrete for pier 10 footing.**
9. **Continue installation of forms and rebar for ramp J abutment wall.**
10. **Complete installation of temporary traffic signal at Ramp J.**
11. **Open Ramp J to traffic on May 1 and shut down ramp M southbound, out of GNP.**
12. **Complete limestone installation at toll booth in GNP.**
13. **Continue with brick installation at sign structure for GNP.**
14. **Install permeable pavers in GNP.**
15. **Pavement striping in GNP.**

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16. **Install quad guards at toll booths in GNP.**
17. **Install construction signs in GNP.**
18. **Possibly install permanent signs in GNP.**
19. **Cut sheets and install temporary road by Off The Hook restaurant.**
20. **Open south ramp, on weekend only, in Highlands.**

Week of May 3, 2009

1. **Installation of superstructure segments for cantilever No. 3.**
2. **Installation of stability towers and bearing pedestals at 4 EB.**
3. **Installation of stability towers and bearing pedestals at 5 EB.**
4. **Installation for substructure segment for Pier 6 EB.**
5. **Install post tensioning strands and grout at pier 6 EB.**
6. **Continue installation of formwork and rebar for Ramp J abutment wall. Possibly pour concrete.**
7. **Backfill and water test sand filter No. 2.**
8. **Complete any odds and ends in GNP.**

Project Safety & Traffic Control

- *Highlands vouchers # 8 & 9 are being processed. Hilling requested Marsella to expedite.*
- *Sea Bright Voucher #11 has been corrected and is being returned and #12 is submitted. Marsella to expedite.*
- *Hilling requested a sign noting weight limit on Highland Avenue be placed on Rt. 36 (Ordered). To be installed A.S.A.P.*
- *SBPD requested delineators at mouth of ramp J. Maryak will direct installation of same.*
- *Discussion on local P.D. refusal to accept work details due to payment delays. Maryak noted that unfortunately (for the near future) N.J.S.P. will be used in lieu of local P.D.'s.*

Local Issues

- *Mayor & Chief Blewett requested existing antenna-signal repeater be installed on new bridge. Backup generator plan from Highlands is under review by the Department. D.O.T. will prepare an agreement between the parties. Maryak to set up meeting for Fri 05/01/09 at 10 am at field office.*
- *Slade noted NPS concerns of crash protection for entrance station. Maryak to follow up. OPEN ISSUE. . Maryak reviewed with Slade. Awaiting final design.*
- *Maryak noted Miller street change in timing (3 Phase) to be completed by June 1st. This is delayed due to equipment upgrades being required.*
- *Slade requested installation of farm fence (welded wire) along dunes. Maryak requested that a detail be provided by NPS. Awaiting contractor pricing.*
- *Highlands reviewed possible need for signage on Route 36 cross streets due to proposed detour. Hilling to review & advise.*
- *Long Branch and Sea Bright fireworks on 07/04/09. (Rain day date is 5th July). Police traffic directors will be required.*
- *Slade noted North Pedestrian bridge south east stair case may not required. Slade to follow up.*
- *Slade requested completion date for NPS toll booths. (Tentative completion date 04/29/09).*

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The next Project Meeting was scheduled for Thursday 04/30/09 at 10:00am.

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

Prepared By,

JP Singh

Office of the Resident Engineer

CC: Those Attending, J. Szafranski, D. Carlson, P. Patel, Lynne Baumann, File