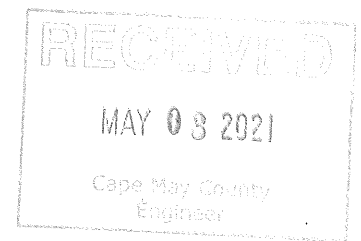




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The Honorable Gerald M. Thornton
County Commissioner, Cape May County
County Office Building
4 Moore Road
Cape May Court House, NJ 08210

RE: 2021 Local Bridges Fund

Dear Commissioner Thornton:

On behalf of Governor Philip D. Murphy, I am pleased to inform you that Cape May County will receive a total allotment of \$3,015,992.00 from the Transportation Trust Fund as part of the Local Bridges Fund Program for the following projects:

- Ocean Drive (C.R.621) over Mill Creek Bridge railing replacement and cantilevered walk construction (\$1,255,197.00)
- Ocean Drive (C.R. 621) Over Upper Thorofare bridge railing replacement and walk construction (\$1,015,282.00)
- Corson's Inlet Bridge Substructure rehabilitation (\$745,513.00)

The New Jersey Department of Transportation has dedicated \$47.3 million in the Fiscal Year 2021 Transportation Capital Program for local bridge projects.

The Local Bridges Fund Program provides funds to all 21 counties for preservation of bridges at the local level. As part of its Statewide Capital Investment Strategy, the NJDOT is focusing on bridges under the jurisdiction of counties with an emphasis on repair, reconstruction and replacement of those bridges with the greatest structural deficiencies.

As part of the Department's Commitment to Communities, NJDOT provides statewide assistance for local governments for improvements to and preservation of the local transportation network, which makes up about 90 percent of New Jersey's roadways. The successful completion of your project will help achieve this goal and provide your constituents and everyone that uses local roads a transportation system that provides the mobility they deserve.

The NJDOT's Local Aid District Office is in the process of preparing the necessary State Aid agreements for the project/projects referenced above.

Should have any questions, please contact Thomas Berryman, Manager of the NJDOT Local Aid District Office in Cherry Hill at 856-414-8414.

Sincerely,



Diane Gutierrez-Scaccetti
Commissioner

cc: County Engineer