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

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ROUTE 36

PROJECT INFORMATION MEETING MINUTES #056

HELD MAY 28, 2009

Those attending:

Gregory Maryak – NJDOT – Resident Engineer
JP Singh – NJDOT – Senior Engineer
Mike Kalaka – GPI – DOT Consultant
Christine Slade – NPS – Resource Management
Christopher Francy – Highlands – Councilman
Bruce Hilling – Highlands – Borough Administrator
Tony Marsella – NJDOT – Deputy Director
Joe Blewett – Highlands PD – Chief
Anna Little – Highlands – Mayor

ITALICIZED TEXT INDICATES UNRESOLVED OR PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED ISSUES. The following issues were discussed at the May 28, 2009 meeting.

Week of May 31, 2009

1. **Installation of stability towers pier 1 EB.**
2. **Installation of bearing pedestals and bearings at pier 1 EB**
3. **Begin installation of superstructure segments at pier 2 EB.**
4. **Complete of superstructure segments for cantilever No. 4.**
5. **Possibly begin closure between cantilever 3 and 4.**
6. **Possibly install substructure segments at pier 7 EB.**
7. **Possibly install substructure segments at pier 8 EB.**
8. **Installation of formwork and pour base slab pier 7 WB in precast yard.**
9. **Installation of formwork, rebar and concrete for south pedestrian bridge pier 3.**
10. **Continue installation of permanent signs in GNP.**
11. **Continue fabrication of fender system.**
12. **Continue installing GRSE wall and backfilling at Sand filter No. 2.**
13. **Begin installation of concrete footer for retaining walls 3 and 4.**

Week of June 7, 2009

1. **Installation of stability towers pier 1 EB.**
2. **Installation of bearing pedestals and bearings at pier 1 EB.**

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3. Continue installation of closure between cantilever No. 3 and 4.
4. Continue installation of superstructure segments for cantilever 2.
5. Possibly install substructure segments at pier 7 EB.
6. Possibly install substructure segments at pier 8 EB.
7. Continue with construction of WB cofferdams in precast yard.
8. Continue backfill east side of bridge.
9. Construction of south pedestrian bridge pier 3.
10. Installation of drainage pipe along Ramp M.
11. Possibly begin installation of precast panels for retaining wall No. 3.

Project Safety & Traffic Control

- Highlands's vouchers are paid to date. None are pending.
- Sea Bright Voucher #12 is paid. Voucher #13 is in progress.
- *Maryak noted Miller Ave underground work starting on 05/26/09 & to be done by NJDOT forces. Co-ordination with church to be through Tim Hill and Maryak.*
- Blewett requested NO LEFT TURN sign on Portland Rd NB at entrance to Rt 36 SB. Maryak will direct same.

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 noted required details for hanging antenna, wires and any other attachments. Need to be submitted. OPEN. Maryak to coordinate with Cotrell.*
- *Slade requested installation of farm fence (welded wire) along dunes. Maryak requested that a detail be provided by NPS. Awaiting contractor pricing. Open Issue.*
- *Highlands reviewed possible need for signage on Route 36 cross streets due to proposed detour. Hilling to review & advise. Sign & location on Bay Ave. Sign has been ordered.*
- *Spahr noted location of ambulance tire blowouts on bridge. Kalaka to investigate. DONE.*
- *Maryak discussed Bridge segment installation plan for pier #1 & #2 and explained South Bay Ave will need to be closed during noted operation. Work will begin on 6/03/09 and will last 4 days. Work Hours will be 7:00 am to 7:30 pm. H.P.D. will control traffic into & out of South Bay Ave.*
- *Francy & Little requested disposition process for homeowner claims from Marsella. Marsella to review and advise.*

The next Project Meeting was scheduled for Thursday 06/04/09 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