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Route 36

Highlands Bridge Replacement
Federal Project # 100% State Funding

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ROUTE 36

PROJECT INFORMATION MEETING MINUTES #065

HELD July 30, 2009

Those attending:

Dave Wallis – NJDOT – Resident Engineer
JP Singh – NJDOT – Senior Engineer
Christine Slade – NPS – Resource Management
Chief Blewett – Highlands PD
Bruce Hilling – Highlands – Borough Administrator
Dave Avrin – NPS – Park Superintendent
Christopher Francy – Highlands – Councilman
Dominic Salsa – JHReid- Project Engineer
Jack Keeler – Sea Bright- Councilman

ITALICIZED TEXT INDICATES UNRESOLVED OR PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED ISSUES. The following issues were discussed at the July 30, 2009 meeting.

Upcoming Work Activities

Week of Aug 2, 2009

- 1. Installation of closure for span 1.**
- 2. Installation of superstructure segments for cantilever No. 5.**
- 3. Installation of superstructure segments for cantilever No. 6.**
- 4. Installation of stability towers at pier 7 EB.**
- 5. Air test, install strands, stress and grout pier 8 EB.**
- 6. Continue construction of WB cofferdam in precast yard.**
- 7. Installation of formwork, rebar and concrete for south pedestrian bridge.**
- 8. Installation of drainage pipe on south ramp.**
- 9. Installation of maintenance lighting inside superstructure segments.**
- 10. Possibly begin installation of highway lighting on bridge deck.**

Week of Aug 9, 2009

- 1. Installation of closure span at span 5**
- 2. Installation of superstructure segments at pier 6 EB.**
- 3. Installation of stability towers at pier 7 EB.**
- 4. Installation of stability towers at pier 8 EB.**

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5. Continue with construction of WB cofferdams in precast yard.
6. Possibly erect precast beams for south pedestrian bridge.
7. Installation of permanent posts for signs in GNP.
8. Installation of maintenance lighting inside superstructure segments.
9. Possibly begin installation of highway lighting on bridge deck.

Project Safety & Traffic Control

- Highlands's voucher #11 was processed and is awaiting payment. Voucher #12 received & out this week.
- Sea Bright Voucher #14 is awaiting payment. Voucher #15 went back.
- Full police traffic director's (All shifts/all locations). To be implemented this weekend due to forecasted good weather.
- Maryak noted extended police traffic director hrs. At Miller Street up to 10 pm. Kalaka to follow up. DONE
- Discussion on NPS traffic exiting delays.
- D. Motiani noted to install Temp.VMS boards for NPS saying "Dial 511 Park Exiting Delays". Also suggested can be operated manually to put real delay time by NPS. MacInnes to follow up.
- *Maryak noted NPS may want to review directing all NPS parking lots exiting traffic towards north end and then turn around for exiting to avoid grid lock at each lot exit.*
- 511 system to be utilized for exiting traffic delays.
- NPS will limit the number of vehicles entering the park if the exiting delay remains longer than 1.5 Hours.
- Utilization of a floating SB police officer to be incorporated.
- TOC 'S will setup command post & develop a incident management plan.
- Revised traffic signal timing reviewed and will be installed by C.O.B Thursday. DONE

Local Issues

- *Mayor & Chief Blewett requested existing antenna-signal repeater be installed on new bridge. D.O.T. will prepare an agreement. Required details for hanging antenna, wires and any other attachments have been approved. Blewett is coordinating with Cotrell the installation of electric to the proposed location. Proposed agreement under review by Hilling*
- Slade requested installation of farm fence (welded wire) along dunes. Work is DONE. Some locations aren't accessible. Slade requested to relocate two posts. Kalaka to follow up.
- *Tony Marsella to investigate Highland's request for public forum regarding controlled demolition blasting. Department will prepare a handout for local use. Open Issue. 500 copies to be made.*
- Slade requested to fix NPS entrance/fee bldg. window locks. JHR will be notified.
- Slade requested to check damages on permanent park ID sign. Kalaka to follow up.
- *Slade noted next free entry into park is Aug. 15 & 16th 2009.*
- Marsella requested lists of events for upcoming season from SB, Highlands & NPS.
- Grass to be cut next week on North Ramp. DONE
- Slade requested to fix standing water at top of window sill for toll booth no. 1 west side from entrance bldg. Salsa to follow up.

- Hilling requested temp. VMS at Portland Rd during South bay ave closed next Mon & Tuesday displaying South bay ave closed at South ramp Hillside ave alternate traffic.

The next Project Meeting was scheduled for Thursday 08/06/09 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

