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**Subject:** HPO Project #20-1028 Replacement of Traffic Signals and Signal Control Cabinets at Various Intersections, Atlantic City, Atlantic County  
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HPO Project #20-1028-1  
HPO-E2020-065

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Dear Mr. Sherman:

As Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer for New Jersey, in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800: Protection of Historic Properties, as published in the *Federal Register* on December 12, 2000 (65 FR 77725-77739) and amended on July 6, 2004 (69 FR 40544-40555), I am providing consultation comments for the following proposed undertaking:

**Atlantic County, Atlantic City**  
**Replacement of Traffic Signals, Poles, and Signal Control Cabinets at the following intersections:**  
**Multiple Intersections (see table below)**  
**New Jersey Department of Community Affairs**  
**United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)**  
**Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR)**

Thank you for providing the Historic Preservation Office (HPO) with the opportunity to comment on the potential for the above-referenced undertaking to affect historic properties. The comments below are in response to your letter and supporting documentation received by the HPO on April 7, 2020 with additional information received on May 13, 2020.

**800.4 Identification of Historic Properties**

It is our understanding that the City of Atlantic City intends to use HUD-CDBG funds to replace traffic signals, poles, and signal control cabinets at various intersections throughout the city (see below table).

<b>North Carolina Avenue and Arctic Avenue</b>
<b>Delaware Avenue and Arctic Avenue</b>
<b>New Jersey Avenue and Arctic Avenue</b>
<b>Massachusetts Avenue and Grammercy Avenue</b>

<b>Rhode Island Avenue and Grammercy Avenue</b>
<b>Vermont Avenue and Grammercy Avenue</b>
<b>New Hampshire Avenue and Grammercy Avenue</b>
<b>New Hampshire and Madison Avenue</b>
<b>Vermont Avenue and Madison Avenue</b>
<b>Rhode Island Avenue and Madison Avenue</b>
<b>Massachusetts Avenue and Madison Avenue</b>
<b>New Jersey Avenue and Baltic Avenue</b>
<b>Delaware Avenue and Baltic Avenue</b>
<b>North Carolina Avenue and Baltic Avenue</b>
<b>Texas Avenue and Baltic Avenue</b>
<b>California Avenue and Fairmount Avenue</b>
<b>Iowa Avenue and Fairmount Avenue</b>
<b>New Hampshire Avenue and Mediterranean Avenue</b>
<b>New Hampshire Avenue and Caspian Avenue</b>
<b>New Hampshire Avenue and Atlantic Avenue</b>
<b>Connecticut Avenue and Melrose Avenue</b>
<b>New Jersey Avenue and Oriental Avenue</b>
<b>Connecticut Avenue and Madison Avenue</b>
<b>Rhode Island Avenue and Atlantic Avenue</b>
<b>Connecticut Avenue and Oriental Avenue</b>
<b>Virginia Avenue and Baltic Avenue</b>
<b>Delaware Avenue and Atlantic Avenue</b>
<b>Virginia Avenue and Mediterranean Avenue</b>

Based upon our review of the submitted documentation, the proposed work involves in-kind replacement of the existing traffic signals, poles, and signal control cabinets. Therefore, I find that there are **no historic properties affected** by the proposed undertaking. Consequently, pursuant to 36 CFR 800.4(d)(1), no further Section 106 consultation is required unless additional resources are discovered during project implementation pursuant to 36 CFR 800.13.

**Additional Comments:**

Please reference the HPO project numbers 20-1028 in any future calls, emails, or written correspondence to help expedite your review and response. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Lindsay Thivierge of my staff at (609) 292-4091 or via email at [lindsay.thivierge@dep.nj.gov](mailto:lindsay.thivierge@dep.nj.gov).

Sincerely,

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