

FY 2007 TRANSPORTATION CAPITAL PROGRAM

New Jersey Department of Transportation Projects

<i>PROGRAM/PROJECT NAME</i>	<i>Project ID Number</i>
Route 7, Hackensack River Bridge (Wittpen Bridge) (2)	075

This project will replace the existing Wittpenn movable bridge with a new vertical lift bridge over the Hackensack River. There will also be improvements to the interchange of Fish House Road. The existing Wittpenn Bridge currently provides four 10-foot travel lanes (two eastbound and two westbound) with no shoulders. There is no physical separation between the opposing traffic on the bridge. A new vertical lift structure will carry two 12-foot through lanes, a 12-foot auxiliary lane and a eight to ten-foot right shoulder in each direction as well as a six-foot sidewalk along the eastbound roadway. An 8-foot median consisting of two 3-foot left shoulders and a 2-foot raised median barrier would separate opposing traffic flows. The new structure will accommodate pedestrian and bicycle traffic.

This project is funded under the provisions of Section 13 of P.L. 1995, c.108. This is a multi-year funded Federal-aid design project and a multi-year funded Transportation Trust Fund construction project. Total Federal-aid needed for design is anticipated to be \$22,000,000 and total Transportation Trust Fund needed for construction is anticipated to be \$372,000,000.

The following special Federal appropriation was allocated to this project. FY06 SAFETEA-LU, HPP, \$800,000 (available 20% per year).

COUNTY: Hudson

MUNICIPALITY: Kearny Town Jersey City

MILEPOSTS: 0.00 - 0.60

STRUCTURE NO.: 0909150

LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT: 32

SPONSOR: NJDOT

PROGRAM CATEGORY: Bridge Preservation - Bridge Rehab and Replacement

MPO	Phase	Item No.	Fund	Amount
NJTPA	DES	31	BRIDGE	\$5,520,000
NJTPA	DES	142	HPP20	\$480,000