

Jurisdictional Determination

DRCC #: 17-5022 **DATE:** May 16, 2017

PROJECT NAME: NJDOT Route 179 Repair Latest Submission Received: April 27, 2017

Applicant:

Zakrollah Asadpour NJ Department of Transportation 1035 Parkway Ave Ewing, NJ 08625

Project Location:

Road	Municipality	County	Block(s)	Lot(s)
Route 179: Route 29 to Route	Lambertville	Hunterdon	n/a	n/a
31/202	East Amwell			
	West Amwell			

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Documents Received: Letter (1 page) from Zack Asadpour, dated April 27, 2017; DRCC Application received April 27, 2017; Site Plans (96 sheets) dated April 2017, prepared by NJDOT.

Existing: The project site is Route 179 from Route 29 in Lambertville, through West Amwell Township, to Route 31/202 in East Amwell Township. The project, from MP 0.238 to MP 7.34, is located in Commission Review Zone B.

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Proposed project: The applicant proposes the following work on Route 179 in Lambertville, West Amwell Township, and East Amwell Township.

- 1. Mainline pavement will be milled 3" and replaced in-kind with a 3" HMA surface course.
- 2. Select shoulder areas will be milled 2" and replaced in-kind with 2" of HMA surface course.
- 3. Sidewalk will be replaced, with associated curbing, at select intersections in East Amwell to meet ADA curb ramp requirements.
- 4. Select dead/diseased trees and limbs adjacent to the roadway and within right-of-way will be removed.
- 5. Substandard guide rails will be upgraded to current standards.
- 6. Ten trees as noted on plans will be removed.
- 7. Roadside swale will be restored from Station 236+40 to 252+07 by placement of soil aggregate 1-7 within eroded areas and placement of riprap stone slope protection adjacent to beam guide rail.
- 8. Small areas of landscape retaining wall, stone mulching, and sidewalk in East Amwell portion of project.

These improvements will result in less than one-quarter acre of new impervious and a disturbance of 0.32 acres.

Findings: This project is within Commission Review Zone B but proposes the addition of less than 1/4 acre of cumulative new impervious area since January 1980 or the disturbance of less than one acre and therefore is not classified as "major". It therefore does not require approval by the Commission. Please see N.J.A.C. 7:45-1.3 for the definition of "major project".

Decision: Exempt

Expiration Date: May 16, 2022

This jurisdictional determination shall lapse if:

- 1. Construction is not complete within five years from the date of the exemption letter; or
- 2. Any municipal permit or approval applicable to the project expires, lapses, or is revoked.

Sincerely,

Marlene Dooley
Executive Director