

GENERAL PERMIT 1



DRCC #: 19-4231A

DATE: October 31, 2019

PROJECT NAME: NJDOT -- In-kind Repair to Route 29 at Milepost 14.4

Latest Submission Received: October 16, 2019

Applicant:

New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT)
951 Parkway Avenue
Ewing, NJ 08625
Brendan.Brock@dot.nj.gov

Project Location:

Road	Municipality	County	Block(s)	Lot(s)
State Highway Route No. 29 Milepost 14.4	Hopewell Township	Mercer	n/a	n/a

Jurisdictional Determination:

Zone A	Minor	Governmental
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Documents Received: Application and aerial site photograph (1 sheet) received October 16, 2019.

The Delaware and Raritan Canal Commission has reviewed the referenced application for a General Permit authorization pursuant to the requirements of the Regulations for the Review of the Delaware and Raritan Canal State Park at N.J.A.C. 7:45-6.2. The proposed project is authorized by General Permit No. 1, which authorizes projects in Zone A that are necessary to carry out the repair, rehabilitation, maintenance or reconstruction of a structure, road, utility line, or stormwater management measure or basin lawfully existing prior to January 1980 or approved under this Chapter by the Commission.

The project authorized under this general permit shall not be put to any use other than as specified in any approval authorizing its original construction. Projects authorized under

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the general permit shall not visibly change, expand, widen or deepen the feature, and shall not deviate from any plans of any prior project approvals, except for minor deviations due to changes in materials or construction techniques. Any such deviations must be shown as necessary to fulfill the purpose of the proposed project and must be consistent with the Master Plan.

Description of the authorized project: NJDOT proposes to conduct in-kind maintenance repair work on a section of New Jersey State Highway Route No. 29 in Hopewell Township, north of Fiddlers Creek Road, approximately 40 feet northeast of the Delaware and Raritan Canal, immediately adjacent to the Delaware and Raritan Canal State Park and within Commission Review Zone A. NJDOT has stated that the repairs will consist of the in-kind removal and replacement of a 4' x 2' section of damaged asphalt pavement that has washed out and is undermining the shoulder of the highway. NJDOT has indicated that they do not require access to the Delaware and Raritan Canal State Park in order to effectuate the proposed repair.

Permit Conditions: The project allowed by this authorization shall comply with the following conditions. Failure to comply with these conditions shall constitute a violation of the "Delaware and Raritan Canal State Park Law of 1974" (N.J.S.A. 13:13A-1 et seq.).

1. This authorization is valid for five years from the date of this letter unless more stringent standards are adopted by rules prior to this date.
2. The project as described shall be constructed and/or executed in conformity with the application.
3. No change in plans or specifications shall be made except with prior written permission from the Commission.
4. The permittee shall allow the Commission the right to inspect the construction site and shall provide the Commission with written notification 7 days prior to the start of the authorized work.
5. A complete, legible copy of this permit shall be kept at the work site and shall be exhibited upon request of any person.
6. The issuance of this permit shall not be deemed to affect in any way other actions by the Commission on any future application.

Expiration Date: October 31, 2024.

Appeal of Decision: In accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:45- 7.1, any person who is aggrieved by this decision may request a hearing within 30 days of the date of decision.

If you have any questions regarding this authorization, please contact the Commission at (609) 397-2000 and reference the above file number.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Hutchison", with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

John Hutchison
Executive Director

- c. Mike Sellar, Facility Manager, Delaware & Raritan Canal, NJSWA
- Julie Shelley, Property & Permit Administrator, NJWSA
- Patricia Kallesser, Superintendent, Delaware & Raritan Canal State Park
- Jesse West-Rosenthal, Historic Preservation Specialist 2, DEP/SHPO