FY 2009 TRANSPORTATION CAPITAL PROGRAM New Jersey Department of Transportation Projects

PROGRAM/PROJECT NAME

ITEM # 164

Project ID Number

Route 7, Hackensack River (Wittpenn) Bridge, Contract 1

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This project will provide for the new river piers and fender system for a new vertical-lift bridge over the Hackensack River. The new bridge will be located approximately 200 feet north of the existing bridge. There will also be interim mechanical, electrical and structural repairs made to the existing Wittpenn Bridge.

The existing movable Wittpenn Bridge currently provides four ten-foot travel lanes (two eastbound and two westbound) with no shoulders. There is no physical separation between opposing traffic on the bridge. The new vertical-lift structure will carry two 12-foot through lanes, a 12-foot auxiliary lane and an 8 to 10-foot right shoulder in each direction as well as a six-foot sidewalk along the eastbound roadway. An eight-foot median consisting of two three-foot left shoulders and a two-foot raised median barrier will 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 project is multi-year funded under the provisions of Section 13 of P.L. 1995, c.108. Total Federal aid needed is anticipated to be \$81.0 million for construction. This project carries federal demonstration funding as follows: FY 2006 SAFETEA-LU/PL 109-59 \$0.8M (ID# NJ 195 available 20% per year). \$180,300,000, and FY06 SAFETEA-LU, NRS-1301, Liberty Corridor, \$10,000,000.

COUNTY: Hudson

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MILEPOSTS: 0.20 - 0.60 STRUCTURE NO.: 0909150

LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT: 32 SPONSOR: NJDOT

CIS PROGRAM CATEGORY: Bridge Assets

МРО	Phase	Fund	Amount
NJTPA	UTI	HPP10	\$9,189,390