

FY 2006 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. Total design cost is \$22,000,000; total right-of-way cost is anticipated to be \$18,000,000.

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	Item No.	Phase	Fund	Amount
NJTPA	44	DES	BRIDGE	\$10,000,000