Route 52, Causeway Replacement, Contract A   *DB#: 244 / UPC#: 961653*

This project will provide for the replacement of 1.2 miles of the interior portion of the existing Rt. 52 Causeway between Elbow Island and Visitor Center Island in both directions. The bridges being replaced in this contract are Elbow Thorofare and Rainbow Thorofare. This portion of the new bridge will be a lower-level structure (i.e. approximately 15 feet to 20 feet above the water). In addition, as part of this project, access ramps will be constructed down onto Rainbow Island in both directions for fishing and recreational access. The southbound bridge toward Ocean City will contain a 10-foot multi-use sidewalk for bicycle as well as pedestrian use and will be separated from traffic with an approved traffic barrier system.

The construction of Contract A is funded under the federal GARVEE program. State Bonds have been issued to provide the necessary cash to award the contract. Repayment of the bonds (plus interest) will be provided from anticipated future federal apportionments over a 12-year period.

This project is mult-year funded. Total construction funding needed is expected to be $192,920,000. The following special federal appropriation has been allocated for this project $993,500 (NJ082).

COUNTY: Cape May

MUNICIPALITY: Ocean City

MILEPOST(S): 0.21 - 1.76

LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT: 1

SPONSOR: NJDOT

STRUCTURE NO.: 0511152   0511151

FINANCIAL PLAN REQUIREMENT: This project is part of a project with a total cost between $100 and $500 million programmed to receive federal financial assistance and an annual financial management plan is required to be prepared.

AIR QUALITY CODE (NON-EXEMPT/EXEMPT): S19 (Exempt)

ASSET MANAGEMENT CATEGORY: Bridge Assets: Bridge Rehab and Replacement

MPO	Phase	Fund	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
SJTPO	CON	NHPP	$14.900	$14.900	$14.900	$8.900						