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Ray LaHood  
Secretary of Transportation  
Office of the Secretary of Transportation  
U.S. Department of Transportation  
1200 New Jersey Ave, SE  
Washington, DC 20590

Re: New Jersey Department of Transportation  
National Infrastructure Investment  
"TIGER II" Grants Program Application  
Route 30/130 Collingswood/Pennsauken (Phase B)

Dear Secretary LaHood,

I am writing to express my support of the New Jersey Department of Transportation's application for funding the Route 30/130 Collingswood/Pennsauken (Phase B) project under the National Infrastructure Investment "TIGER II" Grants Program.

This project will improve safety, traffic operations and roadway deficiencies, as well as provide facilities for use by bicyclists and pedestrians, and correct the structural deficiencies and substandard safety features of the Route 30/130 Bridge over the Cooper River. Improvements will also provide for the social demands and economic development for the neighborhoods and industry dependent upon the Route 30/130 corridor.

I am confident that this application meets the aims and requirements of the National Infrastructure Investment "TIGER II" Grants Program, as it will promote the preservation and creation of jobs while providing for long term economic benefits through investments in New Jersey's transportation infrastructure.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chris Christie".

Chris Christie  
Governor