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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Local Aid and Economic Development
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Jon S. Corzine
Governor

July 14, 2009

Eugene F. Buczynski, P.E.
CMX Engineering
20 Waterview Blvd 3rd Floor
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054

Re: Turkey Brook Park Bike/Pedestrian Path
Mount Olive Township, Morris County
Federal Project No. FS-A00S(961) ARRA TE Funds
State Job No. 6826308

Dear Mr. Buczynski:

A total sum in the amount of \$180,150.00 is authorized for the construction of the above referenced project on July 7, 2009.

You may, therefore, proceed with the Advertising/Award according to the Federal Aid procedures as outlined in the Federal Aid Handbook with the following stipulations:

The enclosed Federal Aid attachments must be included in the bid documents that were submitted to this office dated February 26, 2009. The Federal Aid Handbook can be found at:
http://www.state.nj.us/transportation/business/localaid/documents/FAHANDBOOK07_005.pdf.

The Federal Aid attachments identified on Page SS-1 should be replaced with the attached documents which have been updated and also consider additional requirements of ARRA funded projects. It is important that Section 101.01 of the attached Supplementary Specifications for Federal Aid Projects be incorporated into the Bid documents. Also, the plans and specifications need to incorporate the ARRA Federal Sign Guidance and Details. Also, please provide the above Federal Project No. on the Plan Key Sheet.

The DBE goal for this project is 0% and there are no specific training hour requirements.

State wage rates may be obtained from the New Jersey Department of Labor by accessing this website at <http://www.nj.gov/labor/isse/ispubcon.html>. The State wage rates in effect at the time of award will be made a part of this contract, pursuant to Chapter 150, Laws of 1963 (NJSA 34:11-56.25, et seq.).

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The sponsor is required to advertise the project within 60 days of this letter and provide the scheduled advertisement and bid dates along with copies of all advertisements. (Advertisement is required to take place once a week for three consecutive weeks in a minimum of two legal newspapers, one of which is a regional newspaper).

Upon Award of Contract, please submit certified copies of the bid summary, resolution of award, and submit and/or verify all items in the attached "Checklist for the Award of Federal Aid Construction".

This office will be sending you a Federal Aid Agreement in the near future for signature by the Presiding Officer.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (973) 770-5199.

Sincerely,

Originally signed
Joseph Birchenough

Joseph A. Birchenough, P.E.
Manager
Bureau of Local Aid – District 1

Bc: Mount Olive Township Clerk