RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY

County of Camden, State of New Jersey

#R 140 - 2020

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE GLOUCESTER CITY FREIGHT TRAFFIC TRANSPORTATION STUDY CONDUCTED BY CONSULTING & MUNICIPAL ENGINEERS (CME) ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY

WHEREAS, the City of Gloucester City recognizes that the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission provides sound and integrated land use and transportation planning and coordination of planning at all levels of government in order to:

- Support local planning projects that will lead to more residential, employment or commercial opportunities in areas designated for growth or redevelopment;
- Improve the overall character and quality of life within the region to retain and attract business and residents;
- Enhance and utilize the existing transportation infrastructure capacity to reduce demands on the region's transportation network;
- Reduce congestion and improve the transportation system's efficiency by promoting the use of transit, bike, and pedestrian transportation modes;
- Build capacity in our older suburbs and neighborhoods;
- Reinforce and implement improvements in designated Centers; and;
- · Protect our environment through growth management and land preservation.; and

WHEREAS, the Gloucester City Freight Traffic Transportation Study ("the Plan") is a review process developed by the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission (DVRPC) to assure compliance with municipal, county, and regional agencies and policies that meet the goals of the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission's long-range plan, *Connections 2040*; and

WHEREAS, the Plan may require the preparation and of additional planning documents to ensure implementation as the means by which a municipality assesses the consistency of its existing community vision and planning documents with the Connections 2040 plan; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Gloucester City ("City") have obligated the funds provided to them through the Transportation and Community Development Initiative (TCDI) to plan for the sustainable growth of the City.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council the City of Gloucester City do accept the Plan which may be considered in future planning activities under consideration of the City.

Daniel T. Spencer, Jr., Mayor

Passed by the Mayor and Common Council of Gloucester City, New Jersey this 23rd day of July, 2020.

Vanessa L. Parent, City Clerk