

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY
County of Camden, State of New Jersey
#R 191-2020

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO
NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR
LOCAL FREIGHT IMPACT FUNDS FOR FY21 ON BEHALF OF THE
CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY**

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation (“NJDOT”) announced the grant solicitation period for FY21 Local Freight Impact Fund Program (“Program”) is accepting Grant Applications through November 10, 2020 for funding to improve local roads and bridges with heavy truck traffic; and

WHEREAS, the Local Freight Impact Fund ensures local roads and bridges that carry commercial truck traffic are kept in a state of good repair by providing Cities such as the City of Gloucester City (“City”) grants to make necessary improvements to local infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the Local Freight Impact Fund is a competitive \$30.1 million program, which was created as part of Transportation Trust Fund reauthorization in October 2016 to assist municipalities fund projects that emphasize and enhance the safe movement of large truck traffic, renew aging structures that carry large truck traffic, promote economic development and support new transportation opportunities; and

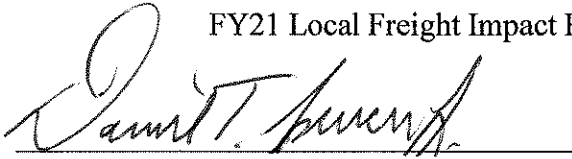
WHEREAS, the Program projects fall into four specific categories which are eligible for funding including Pavement Preservation, Truck Safety and Mobility, Bridge Preservation and New Construction; and

WHEREAS, the grants are administered by the NJDOT, Division of Local Aid and Economic Development wherein NJDOT staff evaluates projects using a variety of criteria including: existing conditions, overall traffic volume, percentage of large truck traffic, crash frequency, connectivity to freight nodes, among other eligibility criteria.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester City, County of Camden and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The provisions of the WHEREAS clauses set forth above are incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof.
2. The City of Gloucester City hereby authorizes and directs its duly appointed engineer in cooperation with City staff to take any and all necessary steps to complete and file an application for the FY21 Local Freight Impact Fund Program in a timely manner.

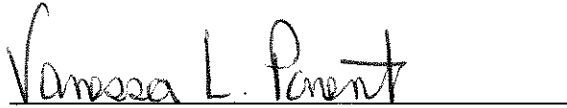
3. The Mayor, City Administrator, City Clerk or their respective designees, shall likewise be authorized to execute all documents required to submit a completed FY21 Local Freight Impact Fund Program Grant Application on behalf of the City.



Daniel T. Spencer, Mayor
City of Gloucester City

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify this is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester this September 24, 2020.



Vanessa L. Parent, Registered City Clerk