

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP COUNCIL
JULY WORKSHOP

JULY 2, 2018

PUBLIC PORTION

1. JOHN CANTWELL

DISCUSSION OF THE 2018 TRANSPORTATION
ALTERNATIVES – SET ASIDE GRANTS LAKELAND
ROAD PEDESTRIAN-BICYCLE TRAIL

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DISCUSSION OF DESIGNATING DOWN TOWN
BLACKWOOD AREA AS AN ART DISTRICT

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DISCUSSION OF INTENT TO PURCHASE PROPERTY
LOCATED AT 120 E. CHURCH STREET

4. D. CARLAMERE

DISCUSSION OF PROPERTY LOCATED AT 44 COLES
ROAD

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June 27, 2018

Thomas Cardis, Administrator
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**Re: 2018 Transportation Alternatives - Set Aside Grants
Lakeland Road Pedestrian-Bicycle Trail
M2018-187**

Dear Mr. Cardis:

The New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) recently notified all municipalities of the new, federally funded Transportation Alternatives - Set Aside Grant Applications. The Program is highly competitive and provides funding for non-traditional transportation projects that enhance cultural, aesthetic, and environmental aspects of the transportation system. The Program is a reimbursement funds only program and the township must have the financial capability to advance project costs.

We intend to request funds for the design and construction of a bike way along Lakeland Road. The limits are from Black Horse Pike to the County's Bike Share Program in Lakeland. The proposed trail also intersects the existing Health and Fitness Trail, giving riders safe access to much of the township.

We anticipate our costs to prepare your Program application to be \$2,250.00. This includes attending the Pre-Application Meeting.

We stress the importance of quick action on the part of the municipality, as the applications must be acted upon by Resolution of the governing body. Applications are due on August 23, 2018. The application will be submitted through the NJDOT *System for Administrating Grants Electronically* (SAGE) program. In order to allow enough time for field review, application preparation, solicitation of letters of support, and submission to the NJDOT, *we request an approval at the July 2, 2018, workshop meeting.*

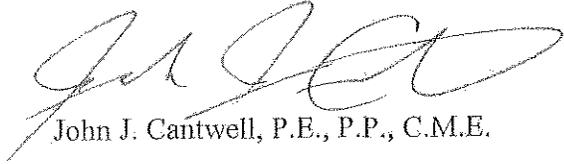
Upon your authorization, we are prepared to begin work immediately in the preparation of your Program application.

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Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely yours,

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