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Agenda: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION BY THE COUNTY OF PASSAIC TO THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR 2025 TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES SET-ASIDE PROGRAM FOR IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE WEST LENOX AVENUE PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE IN THE BOROUGH OF POMPTON LAKES

THIS RESOLUTION WAS REQUESTED BY:		
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REVIEWED BY:		
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Matthew P. Jordan, Esq.  APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:	Meeting Date	4/22/2025
	Introduced Date	4/16/2025
	Adopted Date	
	Agenda Item	17.
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Public Works		
COMMITTEE NAME		

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**WHEREAS**, the County of Passaic (hereafter "County") is a body politic and corporate pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:18-1 and vested with all rights contained therein; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A</u>. 40:20-1 the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Passaic (hereafter "Board") is vested with managing the property, finances, and affairs of the County; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Planning and Economic Development is recommending that the County apply for a grant from the New Jersey Department of Transportation for the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program (hereafter "TA Set-Aside") to fund the West Lenox Avenue Pedestrian Bridge Improvements Project (hereafter "Project"); and

**WHEREAS**, the TA Set-Aside Program provides federal funds for community- based "non-traditional" surface transportation projects designed to strengthen the cultural, aesthetic, and environmental aspects relating to surface transportation systems; and

**WHEREAS**, the proposed improvements would include the replacement of the West Lenox Avenue Pedestrian Bridge; and

**WHEREAS**, the request is for a One Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$1,500,000.00) Dollar grant; and

WHEREAS, the TA Set-Aside Program provides design assistance and funding to counties to promote community improvement activities; and

**WHEREAS**, this matter was discussed at the April 9, 2025, meeting of the Public Works Committee, and is being recommended to the Board for approval.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Passaic (hereafter "Board") authorizes a grant application to the New Jersey Department of Transportation 2025 Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program to fund the West Lenox Avenue Pedestrian Bridge Improvements Project in the amount of One Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$1,500,000.00) Dollars; and

**LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the County Engineer is authorized and directed to comply with all of the general requirements for change orders as set forth in <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 5:30-11.3, <u>et seq</u>.

ZMQ April 22, 2025