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WOODBINE RECEIVED \$242,080 FOR EMERGENCY GENERATORS

Woodbine—Mayor William Pikolycky is pleased to announce that the State of New Jersey Department of Law and Public Safety has informed the Borough of Woodbine that the State of New Jersey has allocated \$242,080 to the Borough through the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program—Energy Allocation Initiative.

The Energy Allocation Initiative is intended to support efforts to encourage enhanced energy resilience for critical assets and facilities in New Jersey. This program will allow communities such as the Borough of Woodbine to pursue technical innovation by harnessing the resources of the State's energy, environmental, and emergency management agencies and the perspective of the U.S. Department of Energy's subject matter experts.

This grant will be used to purchase several generators to be used at municipal facilities.

“Woodbine is located in one of the highest spots in Cape May County. While we do not face the same flooding dangers, it remains important to provide Borough residents with a safe environment during emergency situations. These generators will allow vital operations to continue thus putting us in a stronger position from a standpoint of keeping communications and response going during times of power failure at our municipal facilities due to natural disasters and the like,” added Mayor Pikolycky.