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WOODBINE/NJDOT LOCAL BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN PLANNING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM GRANT SCOPING MEETING SET

Woodbine—Mayor William Pikolycky is pleased to announce that the Borough of Woodbine has received notice from the New Jersey Department of Transportation that it has been awarded a Local Bicycle and Pedestrian Planning Assistance Program grant.

The Department, using the services of Michael Baker Jr., Inc. of Princeton (the transportation consultant selected for this study), will do a extensive study of how to improve conditions for pedestrians and bicycles (as well, hopefully, Woodbine's increasing equestrian traffic) throughout the Borough.

Crosswalks, sidewalks, signage improvements are all part of this endeavor, as are safer pedestrian routes for children walking to school. The latter will help in decreasing the congestion caused by parents driving their children to and from school and dropping them off and picking them up all within tight, traffic intense, time frames.

A Scoping Meeting for this Borough of Woodbine Bicycle and Pedestrian Study has been set for June 21 at 10:00 AM at Woodbine Borough Hall, to discuss bicycle and pedestrian issues to be addressed in the Scope of Services for this study. NJDOT representatives, including Regina E. Del Vecchio Bicycle/Pedestrian Project Manager, and representatives from Michael Baker, Inc. will meet with the Mayor and Borough officials.

“As the Department reviewed Woodbine's application into this competitive program, for which there was a waiting list, the merits of Woodbine's submission caused it to be given priority,” noted Mayor Pikolycky.