

RESOLUTION NO. 2017- 514

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY GRANT FUNDING APPLICATION TO THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE REALIGNMENT OF LINCOLN AVENUE AND MAIN ROAD IN THE VICINITY OF NJ ROUTE 55 INTERCHANGE AND FOR THE EXTENSION OF BURNS AVENUE.

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation has grant funding available through the newly created “Local Freight Impact Fund Grant Program”; and

WHEREAS, a realignment of the intersections of Lincoln Avenue (CR 655) and Main Road (CR 555) in the vicinity of the NJ Route 55 Interchange and the extension of Burns Avenue are needed to enhance safety and provide for a more efficient flow of truck traffic and freight to serve a new industrial development and redevelopment project in the vicinity of that location; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland is currently responsible for Burns Avenue and is working with the County government and the County Improvement Authority to accommodate further the freight transportation needs at the industrial park; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Vineland as follows:

1. That the Council authorizes the City Engineer and the Director of Economic Development to work with Cumberland County and the Cumberland County Improvement Authority to assemble the information required for the submission of the grant application and to facilitate its submission.
2. That the Council understands that the County Improvement Authority is responsible for funding the preparation and development of the grant application.
3. That the Council supports the submission of the application and the associated highway improvements.

Adopted:

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President of Council

ATTEST:

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City Clerk