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April 23, 2015

Re:

South Broad Street

Park Avenue to Public Road

Dear Neighbors,

As some of you may know, the Borough has tried for many years to secure grant funding to improve the area along South Broad Street between Park Avenue and Public Road, which has seen better days for far too long.

While it has taken us much longer than we had hoped, I am now very pleased to report that we finally did it — the Borough of Palmyra was just awarded \$196,000 from the New Jersey Department of Transportation to make significant improvements in your neighborhood that include new curbing, driveway aprons, sidewalks, drainage improvements, parking, and a total reconstruction of South Broad Street from Park Avenue to Public Road.

You should also know that while we were awarded \$196,000, the actual total cost for all improvements is estimated at \$396,000, but that Borough Council has agreed to fund the entire balance of the project!

I would also be remiss if I didn't mention that Palmyra resident and our own State Assemblyman Troy Singleton was very instrumental in winning this award for Palmyra. Much thanks and our deep appreciation for Assemblyman Singleton's efforts!

Please see a copy of the award letter attached and please look forward to these improvements beginning in late fall of this year.

As always, please feel free to contact me if you ever need any assistance, on my cell at (609) 440-5094 or via email at a kscheffler@boroughofpalmyra.com, and I look forward to hearing from you.

Very truly yours,

Karen A. Scheffler

Mayor, Borough of Palmyra

Cc:

Assemblyman Troy Singleton Members of Borough Council Barbara Sheipe, Borough Clerk John Gural, Borough Administrator



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April 10, 2015

The Honorable Karen Scheffler Mayor, Palmyra Borough 20 West Broad Street Palmyra, NJ 08065

Dear Mayor Scheffler:

I am pleased to inform you that your community has been selected to receive funding from the New Jersey Department of Transportation's (NJDOT) Fiscal Year 2015 Municipal Aid Program for South Broad Street Improvements in the amount of \$196,000.00.

NJDOT's Municipal Aid Program is a very competitive program. This year the Department received 630 applications requesting more than \$253 million. There is \$78.75 million available in funds from the Transportation Trust Fund (TTF).

NJDOT is committed to providing statewide assistance for local governments for improvements to and preservation of the local transportation network. The completion of your project will help achieve this goal and pursue a transportation strategy that provides mobility through managing the local roadway system.

Should you have any questions regarding your grant, please contact the NJDOT Local Aid District Office in your area.

District 1 - Mt. Arlington – 973-601-6700

District 3 - Trenton - 609-530-5271

District 2 - Newark - 973-877-1500

District 4 - Cherry Hill - 856-486-6618

JAMIE FOX

Commissioner

Again, thank you for your support of this program and good luck with your project.

Sincerely,

Jamie Fox

Commissioner

c: Municipal Clerk Municipal Engineer