

BOROUGH OF CLAYTON

COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER, NJ

Resolution 224-2022

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION - BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN PLANNING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, FOR REVITALIZATION IN THE BOROUGH OF CLAYTON.

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation has taken steps to establish and pursue a vision for safe transportation and recreation systems through the adoption of the Complete Streets policy.

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation has committed to the planning, design, construction, maintenance, and operation of the facilities that provide these services; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation has available funding for the Bicycle and Pedestrian Planning Assistance Program (BPPA) which is available to municipalities that demonstrate a strong need for improved accommodations for pedestrian, bicycle, and motorist travel; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Clayton identifies a need for said funding to conduct infrastructure and streetscape improvements that address existing transportation safety concerns in the downtown; and

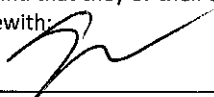
WHEREAS, the Borough of Clayton desires to enhance the economic viability of the downtown by attracting new businesses to the area through infrastructure revitalization.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the Borough of Clayton will apply for a NJDOT Bicycle and Pedestrian Planning Assistance Program Grant to conduct planning activities that will result in infrastructure improvements. The requested amount will not exceed \$100,000; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council, commits in good faith, to make a good effort to implement the recommendations of the planning effort; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council, commits in good faith, to pursue the creation and adoption of a Complete Streets Policy that prioritizes safe transportation and recreation systems.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the persons whose names, titles, and signatures appear below are authorized to sign the application, and that they or their successors in said titles are authorized to sign the agreement, and any other document in connection therewith:



(signature)

Tom Bianco

(print name)

Mayor



(signature)


Christine Newcomb

(print name)

Clerk

CERTIFICATION

I, Christine Newcomb, Clerk of the Borough of Clayton in Gloucester County and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true copy of the original resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of the full membership of the Borough Council at its meeting of October 27, 2022.



Christine Newcomb
Borough Clerk