



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



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Phone:

June 10, 2016

The Honorable Bruce N. Farmer
First Selectman
Town of Clinton
54 East Main Street
Clinton, Connecticut 06413-0174

Dear First Selectman Farmer:

Subject: Federal Local Bridge Program, Fiscal Year 2017
Commitment to Fund
Carter Hill Road over Menunketesuck River, Bridge No. 04610
Town of Clinton
Federal Funds: \$1,220,312.80

The Department of Transportation (Department) has reviewed the Preliminary Application (enclosed) for the replacement or rehabilitation of the bridge at the subject location. The Department is pleased to inform you that the project qualifies for funding under the Federal Local Bridge Program.

The State of Connecticut (State) hereby commits to fund up to 80 percent of the eligible project costs under the Federal Off-System Bridge Program. This commitment is subject to the program regulations, in particular as follows:

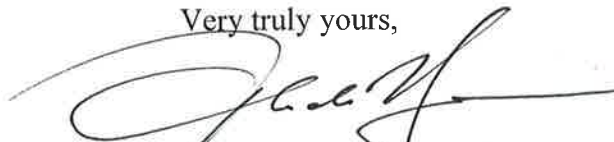
1. The amount is based upon the information in your Preliminary Application and is subject to later adjustments.
2. This Commitment to Fund will lapse if your final cost estimate exceeds your Preliminary Application and sufficient monies are not available.
3. The Commitment to Fund does not constitute a binding agreement, and the State's obligation is contingent upon your execution and delivery of a Project Agreement, and your compliance with its terms.

The next step in the grant process, if this Commitment to Fund is acceptable to you, is to sign below and return a copy of this letter within 30 days. A Department representative will contact you to schedule a concept meeting to review the program's procedural requirements.


In order that the project's costs may be accurately tracked, it is recommended that you set up a separate budget line item for this project and make your auditor aware of the project. Also, the Department now relies heavily on electronic communications, please ensure that we have an up-to-date e-mail address for your designated contact person at all times.

If you have any questions, or need any assistance, please contact Mr. Gustavo M. Melo, Project Engineer for the Federal Local Bridge Program, at (860) 594-2888.

Very truly yours,



Theodore H. Nezames, P.E.
Manager of Bridges
Bureau of Engineering and Construction

Accepted by: 
The Honorable Bruce N. Farmer
First Selectman

Date: 6-17-16

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Peter Neff, Director of Public Works



CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

LOCAL BRIDGE PROGRAM



PRELIMINARY APPLICATION

Preliminary application is hereby made by the Town/City/Borough of Clinton
for possible inclusion in the Local Bridge Program for Fiscal Year 2017 for the following structure:

Bridge Location: Carter Hill Road over Menninketesuck River

Bridge Number: 04610 Structure Length: 23.0 feet Curb-to-Curb Width: 20.0 feet

Sufficiency Rating: 45.80 % Priority Rating: 46.29 %

Evaluation & Rating Performed by: State Forces Others

If Others, Name of Professional Engineer: _____

Connecticut Professional Engineers License Number: _____

Engineering Firm: _____

Engineer's Address: _____

Engineer's E-mail Address: _____

Description of Existing Condition of Structure: *(attach description)*

Description of Project Scope: A *(note Bridge Repair Code as per Figure 5-1 of the FY 2017 Local Bridge Program Manual; attach narrative/preliminary plans & specifications).*

Name of Municipal Official to Contact: Peter Neff

Title: Director of Public Works Telephone: (860) 664-1100 Ext: _____ Fax: (860) 664-0167

Mailing Address: 117 Nod Road, Clinton, CT 06413

E-mail: pneff@clintonct.net

Anticipated Schedule:

(MM/DD/YYYY)

Public Meeting Conducted: 09/15/2016

Design Completion: 05/15/2017

Property Acquisition Completion: 08/15/2017

Utilities Coordination Completion: 10/30/2017

Construction Advertising: 12/01/2017

Supplemental Application Submission: _____
(Not applicable for Federal Local Bridge Program Projects)

Start of Construction: 04/01/2018

Completion of Construction: 10/30/2018

Local Bridge Program – FY 2017 Preliminary Application

Bridge Number 04610, Town/City/Borough of Clinton

Preliminary Cost Figures:

Preliminary Engineering Fees (Include Breakdown of Fees)	\$ <u>207,640.00</u>
Rights-of-Way Cost (If applicable)	\$ <u>20,000.00</u>
Municipally Owned Utility Relocation Cost	\$ <u>0.00</u>
Estimated Construction Costs (Include Detailed Estimate)	\$ <u>1,038,201.00</u>
Construction Engineering (Inspection, Materials Testing)	\$ <u>155,730.00</u>
Contingencies (10% of Construction Costs Only)	\$ <u>103,820.00</u>
Total Estimated Project Cost	\$ <u>1,525,391.00</u>

Financial Aid Data:

NOTE: funding limited to Eligible Bridges as published at www.ct.gov/dot/localbridge or those found to be eligible in accordance with Section 2.3 – Priority Lists of the FY 2017 Local Bridge Program Manual.



Federal Reimbursement:

Total Estimated Project Cost multiplied by 80%:

Federal Aid Request \$ 1,220,312.80



State Local Bridge Project Grant: (Cannot be combined with Federal reimbursement)

Municipal Grant Percentage _____ % of Total Cost (Appendix 2 of FY 2017 Local Bridge Program Manual)

Project Grant Request: \$ _____

Other Source of State or Federal funding received/applied for: \$ _____, State/Federal _____
Funding program: _____

I hereby certify that the above is accurate and true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. I also certify that this form has not been modified in any way from that distributed by the Department of Transportation for FY 2017.

Signature: Bruce N. Farmer Date: 4-7-16

Name: Bruce N. Farmer Title: 1st Selectman
(Must be signed by Chief Elected Official, Town Manager, or other Officer Duty Authorized)

Return **original signed applications** to:

Mr. Francisco T. Fadul, P.E.
Project Engineer for the Local Bridge Program
Connecticut Department of Transportation
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Newington, Connecticut 06131-7546