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Road Resurfacing – No Impact to the 2012 Budget

Hamilton Road Will Get Resurfaced with Funds from Local Aid Grant and Prior Capital Ordinances

Hillsborough's Township Committee awarded a contract to P&A Construction through the Fair and Open Bid Process Tuesday night for the resurfacing of Hamilton Road. According to the resolution awarding the contract, eight (8) bids ranging from \$472,980 to \$740,327 were received for the project. Additionally, according to the resolution and confirmed by Mayor Carl Suraci, P&A Construction was the lowest responsible and responsive bidder for the project. "P&A Construction submitted the lowest bid and met all of the criteria with respect to the bid requirements", stated Mayor Carl Suraci during his comments regarding the contract award.

Mayor Suraci brought to everyone's attention that "\$200,000 of this project is being funded through the 2011 DOT Local Aid Grant and the remaining \$272,980 is being funded through prior year capital ordinances".

Committeeman Frank DelCore, Liaison to the Engineering Department, stated that "The use of grant funds continually helps the Township offset expenses for projects such as this and therefore passing on the savings to our residents".

"This project will not impact the 2012 Budget Appropriation for Capital, leaving those funds available for future capital projects", stated Mayor Suraci.

"Since 2006, we have received just over \$1.4M in Local Aid Grant Funds for road projects such as this, therefore alleviating those dollars from coming out of capital funds," added Mayor Suraci.

"As always we are thankful for any grant money that comes into the Township," concluded Committeeman DelCore.
