

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-154

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MAGNOLIA
AUTHORIZING AND SUPPORTING THE SUBMISSION OF THE SAFE ROUTES TO
SCHOOL PROJECT GRANT APPLICATION**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Magnolia is applying for funding to promote safe and efficient pedestrian/biking travel along the school route for Magnolia Elementary School within the Borough of Magnolia; and

WHEREAS, the Borough will apply for a FY 2022 Safe Roads to School grant application;

WHEREAS, the Borough of Magnolia has determined the intersections of Lincoln Avenue / both East and West Atlantic Avenues, Evesham Road and East Atlantic Avenues and Lincoln Avenue and Warwick Road will be our focus which will provide a safer passageway for students and pedestrians walking or riding bikes to and from the Magnolia Elementary School.

The improvements at the intersection of Lincoln Avenue / both East and West Atlantic Avenues will provide a safer passageway for students commuting to and from the Magnolia Elementary School wishing to cross this very busy intersection which has heavy traffic from nearby White Horse Pike and Evesham Road. With the addition of traffic control device, as well as, stop sign beacons, and flashing pedestrian crossing warning signs, the safety of both passenger vehicles and students will be greatly improved. This intersection in particular has a high incident rate in its current state, the traffic control device will help to reduce incidents by bringing attention to the specific stop conditions at this intersection.

The improvements at the intersection of Evesham Road and East Atlantic Avenues will consist of roadway delineators and install cross walk striping to provide separation between the vehicular traffic and students crossing East Atlantic Avenue while commuting to and from the Magnolia Elementary School.

The improvements at the intersection of Lincoln Avenue and Warwick Road will consist of cross walk striping at the intersection of Lincoln Avenue and Warwick Road, the installation of two (2) double sided pedestrian crossing sign with warning beacon with push button operation at the Warwick Road cross walk, one of each side of Warwick Road.

WHEREAS, if funded, the Borough of Magnolia will ensure that the infrastructure project proposed in the FY 2022 Safe Roads to School application will be implemented;

WHEREAS, maintenance of the infrastructure project, once constructed, will be assumed by the Borough of Magnolia;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough of Magnolia, it hereby supports the submission of a grant application for the Safe Routes to School Program within the State of New Jersey Department of Transportation and authorizes the Mayor, Administrator and the Municipal Clerk to execute any and all documents necessary and related to the submission of said grant application or grant agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the appropriate officials of the Borough of Magnolia place their signatures and appropriate seals on this 19TH day of September, 2021.

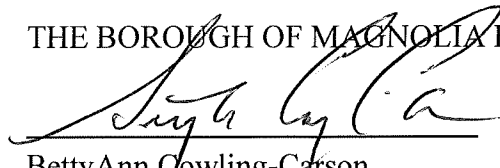
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Daneen Fuss, RMC, CMR

Borough Clerk

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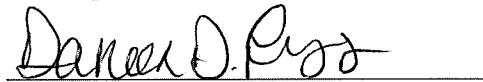


BettyAnn Cowling-Carson

Mayor

Certification:

I, DANEEN FUSS, Borough clerk of Borough of Magnolia, do hereby certify the foregoing to be true and correct copy of the application for the Safe Roads to Schools projects adopted by resolution of the Borough of Magnolia, at a meeting of said Borough on the 19TH day of September, and that grant application for Safe Roads to Schools was adopted by resolution which passed by a majority vote of the Borough Council of the Borough of Magnolia.



Daneen Fuss

Borough Clerk