



## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Mayor and Council

**Borough of Hightstown** 

FROM: Dawson Bloom, PE

**Project Manager** 

DATE: April 13, 2013

RE: Hightstown Borough Hall Progress Update #7

Our File No.: H1543

#### **Borough Hall Reconstruction**

On April 10, 2013, A letter from Mr. Rafetto was sent to the Lexington insurance Company regarding the Borough's interpretation of its insurance policy coverages. We have requested an immediate response and a meeting to discuss the matter further.

The Borough Administrator and I continue to reach out to FEMA, however we have been unable to receive a response at this point. We will continue to call and email.

#### **Interim Police Facility**

Award of the bids will be held off until the funding from the Borough Hall Bond Ordinance is available.

As discussed at the March 28 Special Meeting, I will coordinate with the Police Director regarding the relocation of the police antennae equipment and generator.

## **Interim Administrative Offices**

Mobilease Modular agrees to hold their bid price for the Modular Administrative and Storage facilities for an additional 60 days.

The final draft of the Borough's Rider to the Lease for 100A and 102 Mercer Street has been provided to the Landlord for review and should be ready for execution following adoption of the Lease Ordinance.

#### **Schedule of Immediate Tasks**

**Borough Hall Bond Ordinance** 

Introduction March 18, 2013

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading April 1, 2013

Funds Available April 26, 2013

## Lease for Block 30 Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7

Introduction Completed

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading To coincide with availability of Borough Hall Bond

**Ordinance Funds** 

#### **Sitework and Modulars**

Receive bids March 22, 2013

Recommend award March 29, 2013

2nd Reading Interim Lease April 1, 2013

2nd Reading Borough Hall Ordinance April 1, 2013

Ordinances Clear Waiting April 25, 2013

Award Contracts for Site and Modulars April 25, 2013

Sitework

Submit 14-day notice to DEP before April 25, 2013

NTP Sitework May 9, 2013 45 days to complete Sitework June 22, 2013

Police Modular

NTP Modular May 9, 2013

Fabrication & Delivery/Setup September 29, 2013
IT/Communications October 14, 2013
Move-In October 21, 2013

# **Storefronts**

Negotiate Lease	March 29, 2013
Lease Ordinance	April 1, 2013
1 <sup>st</sup> Reading	April 1, 2013
2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading	April 15, 2013
Execute Lease	April 22,2013
Complete Renovations	May 17, 2013
Move - in	May 24, 2013*

<sup>\*</sup> The anticipated move in date has been revised from June 24 to May 24. This is because the costs for the lease are not being paid for by the Borough Hall Bond Ordinance.

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## Enclosure

cc:

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