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May 22, 2013

Honorable Vincent Prieto  
Chairman, Assembly Budget Committee  
State House Annex  
P.O. Box 068  
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Dear Chairman Prieto:

It was a pleasure to testify before your committee on May 7, 2013 regarding the FY 2014 budget requirements of the New Jersey Department of Transportation and NJ Transit. I hope that my testimony and responses to questions raised were helpful in understanding the programmatic and financial challenges we will face in the upcoming year.

I am attaching responses to the follow-up questions that were listed in your May 8, 2013 letter. Feel free to contact me if you have any other questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim".

James S. Simpson  
Commissioner

Enclosure

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## Assemblyman Schaer

- ***Please provide information about how repairs to the road surfaces of the Palisades Interstate Parkway (PIP) are funded. What entity is responsible for financing capital improvements on the PIP and what funding process and mechanism is available to that entity to ensure adequate funding for keeping the PIP in a state of good repair? What construction work has the DOT performed or financed for the New Jersey portion of the PIP in the past?***

The Palisades Interstate Parkway (PIP) is under the jurisdiction of the Palisades Interstate Parkway Commission, which manages the PIP, as well as the state parks and historic sites in the Palisades region of New Jersey and New York State. The PIP Commission was formed as a bi-state agency by New Jersey and New York in 1900. In New Jersey they are located in, but not of, the NJ Department of Environmental Protection and receive an annual appropriation of approximately \$2.7 million (Adjusted 2013 Appropriation) from the General Fund.

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 32:14-14, Roads and ways in and to park, the “Palisades Interstate Park Commission shall have power to lay out, construct and maintain roads, pathways and boulevards upon, across and over the portions of Palisades Interstate Park in this State; lay out, construct and maintain roads between and connecting any separated portions of the park, and, for this purpose, may acquire rights of way upon and across any intervening lands; and lay out, construct and maintain roads and ways connecting the roads and ways within the park with other public roads outside of and adjacent thereto.” The Department of Transportation, therefore, has no jurisdictional responsibility for the PIP.

The NJ Department of Transportation has, on several occasions over the past 20 years, undertaken several projects on the PIP, although there was no jurisdictional responsibility to do so. These projects have included roadway resurfacing, improvements to acceleration and deceleration lanes, shoulder construction, guiderail improvements and bridge deck rehabilitation, at a cost of approximately \$23.2 million. These projects used both federal and state funds.

Notwithstanding the work done by the NJ Department of Transportation in the past, the PIP is under the jurisdiction of the Palisades Interstate Park Commission, which is responsible for financing capital improvements on that roadway. Questions regarding funding processes and mechanisms available to the Palisades Interstate Park Commission to ensure adequate funding for keeping the PIP in a state of good repair would best be directed to the Commission.

**Assemblywoman Watson-Coleman**

- *Please provide the committee a summary of the age, racial, and ethnic breakdown of your organization's senior staff in policy and management positions.*

Attached to this letter please find the NJDOT Senior Leadership Gender/Age/Ethnicity Breakdown as well as the Breakdown of Executive, Professional and Administrative Titles/Positions and Summary of Percentage of Minorities in Executive, Professional and Administrative Titles/Positions.

- *Please provide to the committee a summary of contracts awarded to female and minority owned businesses. Please include the contract recipient, monetary size of contract, and percentage of total contract monies provided to female and minority owned businesses.*

Below is a summary of contracts awarded to minority and female owned businesses thus far in fiscal year 2013. Also included is a spreadsheet of firms with a breakdown by race and gender.

<b>Total Contracts Minority &amp; Female</b>		<b>\$63,397,771.00</b>
<b>Total Minority Contracts</b>		<b>\$29,115,062.00</b>
<b>Total Female Contracts</b>		<b>\$34,282,709.00</b>
<b>Total All Contracts</b>		<b>\$410,978,348.00</b>
<b>Total Minority &amp; Female Percentage</b>		<b>15.42%</b>
<b>Minority Contracts Percentage</b>		<b>7.08%</b>
<b>Female Contracts Percentage</b>		<b>8.34%</b>

The Department's annual DBE goal is 15.61%. Currently, the Department's DBE participation attainment is 15.42%.

It should be noted that for all State- Funded NJDOT contract awards, the Division of Civil Rights reviews the contract engineer's estimate to determine Small Business Enterprise (SBE) goals for placement in the contract documents. However, unlike the Federal, race-conscious Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program, the SBE program is race and gender neutral and thus does not identify contractors as minority or female. Since the State-Funded contract awards with SBE goals would not identify race or gender, those contracts are not included in the response numbers.

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**Senior Leadership Gender/Age/Ethnicity Breakdown**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Gender</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>
Commissioner	M	57	White
Deputy Commissioner	M	70	White
Chief of Staff	M	46	White
Inspector General	F	38	White
Executive Director, Transportation Systems Mgmt.	M	54	Asian
Director, Civil Rights & Affirmative Action	F	37	Black
Assistant Commissioner, Administration	F	59	White
Assistant Commissioner, Gov't & Comm. Relations	M	32	White
Assistant Commissioner, Capital Program Mgmt.	M	53	White
Assistant Commissioner, Capital Investment, Plng.	M	48	White
Assistant Commissioner, Operations	M	52	White
Chief Financial Officer	M	55	White

# New Jersey Department of Transportation

Total Positions Filled: 3165

## Breakdown of Executive, Professional and Administrative Titles/Positions

	Males										Females														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10					
<b>Executive</b>	194	24	9	0	0	114	147	1	6	0	40	47	1213	266	63	18	3	468	818	64	51	7	1	209	332
<b>Administrative</b>	153	1	2	0	0	17	20	4	38	1	90	133													

## Summary Percentage of Minorities in Executive, Professional and Administrative Titles/Positions

<b>Executive Male Minority:</b>	17%	<b>Executive Female Minority:</b>	4%
<b>Professional Male Minority:</b>	29%	<b>Professional Female Minority:</b>	10%
<b>Administrative Male Minority:</b>	2%	<b>Administrative Female Minority:</b>	28%

<b>Contract Recipient</b>	<b>Type of Contract</b>	<b>Ethnicity</b>	<b>Award Amount</b>
Advanced Infrastructure	Sub	American Indian Female	\$114,888.00
IH Engineers	Prime	American Indian Male	\$735,030.00
IH Engineers	Prime	American Indian Male	\$263,103.00
SJH Engineering	Prime	American Indian Male	\$235,180.00
Naik Consulting Group	Sub	American Indian Male	\$823,528.00
East Trading West Investments	Sub	American Indian Male	\$40,000.00
Naik Consulting Group	Prime	American Indian Male	\$301,002.00
Prestige Environmental	Sub	American Indian Male	\$8,415.00
S & R Engineers	Sub	American Indian Male	\$254,382.00
M & J Engineering	Sub	American Indian Male	\$245,060.00
Distinct Engineering Solutions	Sub	American Indian Male	\$160,000.00
IH Engineers	Prime	American Indian Male	\$777,208.00
Prestige Environmental	Sub	American Indian Male	\$19,731.00
S & R Engineers	Sub	American Indian Male	\$30,422.00
Advantage Engineering	Sub	American Indian Male	\$25,172.00
Malick & Scherer	Sub	American Indian Male	\$38,031.00
IH Engineers	Sub	American Indian Male	\$529,111.00
S & R Engineers	Prime	American Indian Male	\$1,564,856.00
Malick & Scherer	Sub	American Indian Male	\$125,000.00
SJH Engineering	Sub	American Indian Male	\$389,295.00
IH Engineers	Sub	American Indian Male	\$1,912,595.00
Techniquet, Inc.	Sub	American Indian Male	\$831,591.00
S&R Engineers	Prime	American Indian Male	\$324,908.00
Wang Holding Corp.	Sub	Asian/Pacific Islander Female	\$377,478.00
Ger Mac Group	Sub	Asian/Pacific Islander Female	\$2,300,000.00
Wang Technology	Sub	Asian/Pacific Islander Female	\$353,000.00
Amercom Corp.	Sub	Asian/Pacific Islander Male	\$264,136.00
Amercom Corp.	Sub	Asian/Pacific Islander Male	\$1,069,677.00
CTX Associates	Sub	Asian/Pacific Islander Male	\$43,000.00

<b>Contract Recipient</b>	<b>Type of Contract</b>	<b>Ethnicity</b>	<b>Award Amount</b>
Nagi Construction	Sub	Black Female	\$213,533.00
Brevard Surveying	Sub	Black Male	\$32,000.00
LCB, Inc.	Sub	Black Male	\$85,000.00
S&H Trucking	Sub	Black Male	\$85,000.00
Multifacet	Sub	Black Male	\$961,800.00
WR Burnett	Sub	Black Male	\$200,000.00
MV Contracting	Sub	Hispanic Female	\$155,000.00
MV Contracting	Sub	Hispanic Female	\$339,964.00
MV Contracting	Sub	Hispanic Female	\$1,505,651.00
MV Contracting	Sub	Hispanic Female	\$158,000.00
M Painting	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$20,000.00
M Painting	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$55,000.00
Consolidated Steel & Aluminum Fence	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$50,400.00
Assuncao Brothers	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$310,209.00
Green Construction	Prime	Hispanic Male	\$2,952,218.00
M Painting	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$54,406.00
Green Construction	Prime	Hispanic Male	\$5,977,379.00
M Painting	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$198,200.00
Assuncao Brothers	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$930,641.00
Donerite	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$200,000.00
J. Ocampo	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$200,000.00
A & R Excavating	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$200,000.00
Consolidated Steel & Aluminum Fence	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$32,448.00
Consolidated Steel & Aluminum Fence	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$6,864.00
M Painting	Sub	Hispanic Male	\$35,550.00
Diehl Electric	Prime	White Female	\$5,050,551.00
Berenato & Cioffi	Sub	White Female	\$1,983,221.00
Envision Consultants	Sub	White Female	\$15,185.00
Garden State Highway Services	Sub	White Female	\$306,101.00

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Griffin Sign	Sub	White Female	\$1,227,950.00
Atlantic Concrete Cutting	Sub	White Female	\$138,982.00
Envision Consultants	Sub	White Female	\$83,066.00
LC Equipment	Sub	White Female	\$31,000.00
Protec Documentation Services	Sub	White Female	\$20,000.00
Turf Services	Sub	White Female	\$57,000.00
Stacie Davis	Sub	White Female	\$17,000.00
Area Engineering	Sub	White Female	\$45,000.00
Atlantic Concrete Cutting	Sub	White Female	\$20,000.00
L & R Construction	Sub	White Female	\$105,000.00
Jen Electric	Sub	White Female	\$301,244.00
Lauren T. Enterprises	Sub	White Female	\$28,564.00
Baseline Supply	Sub	White Female	\$408,000.00
East Coast Painting	Sub	White Female	\$150,000.00
Pantaleo Electric	Sub	White Female	\$21,000.00
Callahan Paving Products	Sub	White Female	\$65,700.00
Garden State Highway Services	Sub	White Female	\$41,000.00
Pantaleo Electric	Sub	White Female	\$16,700.00
Garden State Highway Services	Sub	White Female	\$9,790.00
DeSilvio & Co.	Sub	White Female	\$26,250.00
Roberts Engineering	Sub	White Female	\$15,000.00
Baseline Supply	Sub	White Female	\$117,600.00
Garden State Highway Services	Sub	White Female	\$31,020.00
Garden State Highway Services	Sub	White Female	\$4,800.00
LC Equipment	Sub	White Female	\$6,000.00
Diehl Electric	Sub	White Female	\$85,000.00
XII Wheels Contracting	Sub	White Female	\$45,000.00
Breen Trucking	Sub	White Female	\$13,000.00
Jadamec Associates	Sub	White Female	\$5,000.00



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Garden State Highway Services	Sub	White Female	\$2,000.00
Pyramid Steel Services	Sub	White Female	\$11,000.00
Amy S. Greene	Sub	White Female	\$18,799.00
Diehl Electric	Sub	White Female	\$117,301.00
Atlas Flasher & Supply	Sub	White Female	\$10,163.00
Griffin Sign	Sub	White Female	\$261,956.00
Protec Documentation Services	Sub	White Female	\$455,408.00
Griffin Sign	Sub	White Female	\$7,766,640.00
Sanzo Ltd.	Sub	White Female	\$1,884,000.00
Callahan Paving Products	Sub	White Female	\$1,557,100.00
Atlas Concrete	Sub	White Female	\$2,765,010.00
Atlas Flasher & Supply	Sub	White Female	\$382,340.00
Diehl Electric	Sub	White Female	\$473,364.00
North Star Electrical Supply	Sub	White Female	\$222,000.00
DeSilvio & Co.	Sub	White Female	\$1,798,317.00
Atlantic Concrete Cutting	Sub	White Female	\$200,000.00
Baseline Supply	Sub	White Female	\$480,000.00
Griffin Sign	Sub	White Female	\$310,748.00
Atlantic Concrete Cutting	Sub	White Female	\$65,000.00
DeSilvio & Co.	Sub	White Female	\$323,724.00
Atlantic Concrete Cutting	Sub	White Female	\$48,740.00
Callahan Paving Products	Sub	White Female	\$23,334.00
Area Engineering	Sub	White Female	\$5,900.00
Pantaleo Electric	Sub	White Female	\$21,500.00
Garden State Highway Services	Sub	White Female	\$76,837.00
All Points Communications	Sub	White Female	\$12,551.00
Callahan Paving Products	Sub	White Female	\$48,395.00
Griffin Sign	Sub	White Female	\$57,993.00
Amy S. Greene	Sub	White Female	\$14,027.00

<b>Contract Recipient</b>	<b>Type of Contract</b>	<b>Ethnicity</b>	<b>Award Amount</b>
Richard Grubb & Associates	Sub	White Female	\$7,103.00
Delta Line Construction	Sub	White Female	\$119,334.00
Archer Steel	Sub	White Female	\$71,950.00
LC Equipment	Sub	White Female	\$49,810.00
Atlantic Concrete Cutting	Sub	White Female	\$6,800.00
Alliance Landscaping	Sub	White Female	\$83,971.00
50 States Engineering	Sub	White Female	\$1,350,000.00
All Points Communications	Sub	White Female	\$46,010.00
Atlantic Concrete Cutting	Sub	White Female	\$27,546.00
Pyramid Steel Services	Sub	White Female	\$1,691,232.00
LC Equipment	Sub	White Female	\$11,700.00
KMA Consulting Engineers	Sub	White Female	\$487,347.00
KMA Consulting Engineers	Sub	White Female	\$395,041.00
MA Culbertson	Sub	White Female	\$29,994.00
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