## 1745 North Avenue, Commercial Twp, NJ

#### **HUD Noise Screening Analysis**

The project does not involve new stationary noise sources and the effect of a single-family residence on mobile source noise generation is negligible. The project would generate noise temporarily during construction, but no significant construction noise impacts are anticipated because of the scale and type of construction involved.

The following sections assess the existing noise exposure of the project site for comparison to the HUD criterion for outdoor noise at residential buildings. The analysis is consistent with 24 CFR Part 51 and the HUD Noise Guidebook.

## Airports

There are no major commercial airports in the vicinity of the project site. The nearest airport is the Millville Municipal Airport, which is approximately 8 miles from the site. Based on the distance and limited operations typical of municipal airports, further airport noise analysis is not warranted.



#### Railroads

There is an inactive railroad to the west of the project site. The nearest potentially active freight rail line (Conrail) is located over three miles to the northwest. Therefore, rail operations would not contribute to total sound levels at the site and no railroad noise analysis is necessary.



## **Roadway Traffic**

NJDOT traffic counts for a location on North Avenue south of the project site were available. The traffic data and assumptions are summarized in Table 1.

#### Table 1: Traffic Data

Roadway	Effective Distance (feet)	AADT	Functional Class	Percent Auto	Percent Med Truck	Percent Heavy Truck	
North Avenue	55	1,649	Rural Minor Arterial	96.3	2.87	0.83	

Sources:

AADT from <u>http://www.state.nj.us/transportation/refdata/roadway/traffic\_counts/TMS2Go/reports/8-6-121%20on%2006-29-2010\_09\_20\_2010.pdf</u>

Vehicle classification based on average by functional class for count region 4, see <a href="http://www.state.nj.us/transportation/refdata/roadway/pdf/TravelActivityVehTypeByRegion.pdf">http://www.state.nj.us/transportation/refdata/roadway/pdf/TravelActivityVehTypeByRegion.pdf</a>



The figure below shows the input and output from HUD's "Site DNL Calculator" for the traffic noise analysis for the proposed residence. The traffic noise was predicted to result in a DNL of 59.6 dBA, which within the "acceptable" range per the HUD noise criteria.

Road #1			
Vehicle Type	Cars 🗹	Medium Trucks 🗹	Heavy Trucks 🗹
Effective Distance	55	55	55
Distance to Stop Sign			
Average Speed	45	45	45
Average Daily Trips (ADT)	1588	47	14
Night Fraction of ADT	15	15	15
Road Gradient (%)			0
Vehicle DNL	57.878	42.5905	54.166
Calculate Road #1 DNL	59.5593	Reset	

# Mitigation

As discussed above, the noise screening analysis shows the 65 DNL criterion for acceptable noise would not be exceeded at the project site. Therefore, no significant impacts would occur and no mitigation is required.

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Site Names: 8-6-121, , North Avenue-0.53, 06000649 , COMMERCIAL TWP.

County: CUMBERLAND

Funct. Rural Minor Arterial

Location: Bet Yock Wock Road and Taylor Avenue

Seasonal Factor Type: Daily Factor Type: Axle Factor Type: Growth Factor Type: 3 Rural Other Roadways3 Rural Other Roadways63 Rural Other Roadways

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Volume							1,137	537	600	1,900	873	1,027	707	313	394					
AM Peak Vol										137	65	72	126	63	70					
AM Peak Fct										0.84	0.81	0.82	0.90	0.72	0.83					
AM Peak Hr										10:00	10:00	10:00	7:30	7:45	9:15					
PM Peak Vol							140	73	78	157	73	93								
PM Peak Fct							0.80	0.83	0.78	0.84	0.83	0.73								
PM Peak Hr							15:30	18:15	16:15	15:15	12:30	15:15								
Seasonal Fct							0.925	0.925	0.925	0.925	0.925	0.925	0.916	0.916	0.916					
Daily Fct							1.001	1.001	1.001	0.990	0.990	0.990	0.962	0.962	0.962					
Axle Fct							0.483	0.483	0.483	0.483	0.483	0.483	0.482	0.482	0.482					
Pulse Fct							2.000	2.000	2.000	2.000	2.000	2.000	2.000	2.000	2.000					

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