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**NJDOT funding to improve Wyoming Avenue
in Spotswood
Local Aid grant will relieve property taxes**

(Trenton)— Commissioner Kris Kolluri today announced that the New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) will award \$300,000 in Local Aid to the Borough of Spotswood in Middlesex County to make safety improvements to Wyoming Avenue, one of the town's busiest roadways.

"NJDOT's Local Aid grant to Spotswood will improve safety and traffic flow on Wyoming Avenue without burdening local taxpayers," said Commissioner Kolluri. "The upcoming Wyoming Avenue improvements reflect NJDOT's commitment to Increasing local quality of life while providing direct property tax relief."

The \$300,000 grant will fund drainage improvements, repaving and the installation of curbs throughout Wyoming Avenue in Spotswood.

"Wyoming Avenue is in poor condition and is in need of major improvements," said Senator Buono. "I would like to thank Commissioner Kolluri for helping Spotswood invest in this worthy project which will benefit the entire community."

The New Jersey Department of Transportation Local Aid and Economic Development program advances local projects that enhance safety, renew the aging infrastructure and the State's economy and support new transportation opportunities. NJDOT's Fiscal Year 2007 Capital Program invests heavily in repairs to local roads, with \$413 million in direct local aid to towns and counties for roadway improvements. Local Aid dollars provide significant property tax relief to New Jersey counties and municipalities by funding roadwork that would otherwise be paid for with local property tax dollars.

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