

**TOWNSHIP OF FREDON
RESOLUTION 2020-30**

**RESOLUTION PROPOSING THAT FREDON TOWNSHIP SERVES AS LEAD
AGENCY FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF THE PUDER ROAD BRIDGE**

WHEREAS, the Puder Road Bridge in Fredon Township was closed in April 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Fredon recognizes that emergency response to the residents of Puder Road is seriously impacted by the closure of the Puder Road Bridge; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Fredon recognizes that services and deliveries to the residents of Puder Road are compromised; and

WHEREAS, the Puder Road Bridge closure affects the winter maintenance of Puder Road requiring double the man hours and increases the risk of damage to vehicles and property; and

WHEREAS, the closure of the Puder Road Bridge has forced detours onto Township roads that are not designed to handle the increased traffic volume; and

WHEREAS, the increased traffic volume on surrounding roads has negatively affected the roadway conditions; and


WHEREAS, the Township of Fredon desires to manage, fund and be reimbursed by County of Sussex for acting as local lead to advance the repair and replacement of the Puder Road Bridge in order to realize mutual cost and time savings through a joint agreement for public services; and

WHEREAS, reimbursement from the County of Sussex shall be provided yearly for monies expended; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Fredon, County of Sussex, State of New Jersey that the exploration of a shared service agreement with the County of Sussex for the restoration of the Puder Road Bridge be hereby investigated.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a Resolution passed by the Fredon Township Committee at a Regular Meeting of that body held on February 27, 2020.



Debra Prommel
Acting Municipal Clerk