

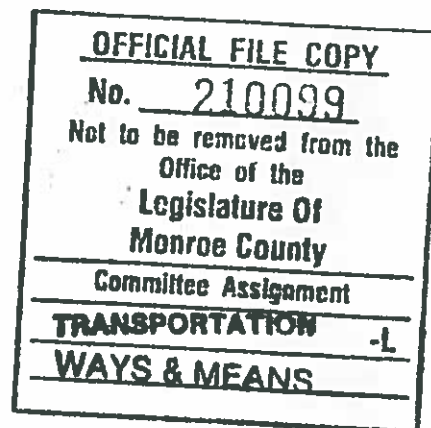


Office of the County Executive

Monroe County, New York

Adam J. Bello
County Executive

March 5, 2021



To The Honorable
Monroe County Legislature
407 County Office Building
Rochester, New York 14614

Subject: Acceptance of a Grant from the Genesee Transportation Council for the Monroe County High Accident Location Program

Honorable Legislators:

I recommend that Your Honorable Body accept a grant from the Genesee Transportation Council in the amount of \$28,800 for the Monroe County High Accident Location Program for the period of April 1, 2021 through March 31, 2022.

The Monroe County High Accident Location Program consists of a detailed analysis of each location identified as a Priority Investigation Location, identifying and evaluating potential countermeasures, and developing specific safety recommendations. Both the County and City road network are included in this program. Locations, if not recently studied for some other purpose, are analyzed to determine if there are any accident patterns, how persistent they are, what may have caused the accidents, and what countermeasures may be appropriate to improve safety at the location. This is an active program for Monroe County to monitor the safety performance of the road network.

The specific legislative actions required are:

1. Authorize the County Executive, or his designee, to accept a \$28,800 grant from, and to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with, the Genesee Transportation Council for the Monroe County High Accident Location Program for the period of April 1, 2021 through March 31, 2022.
2. Authorize the County Executive to appropriate any subsequent years of the grant award in accordance with the grant terms, to reappropriate any unencumbered balances during the grant period according to the grantor requirements, and to make any necessary funding modifications within the grant guidelines to meet contractual commitments.

3. Should funding of this program be modified or terminated for any reason, the County Executive is hereby authorized to terminate or modify the program and, where applicable, to terminate or abolish some or all positions funded under such program. Any termination or abolishment of positions shall be in accordance with New York State Civil Service Law and, when applicable, the terms of any labor agreement affecting such positions.

This action is a Type II Action pursuant to 6 NYCRR § 617.5(c)(24) ("information collection including basic data collection and research, water quality and pollution studies, traffic counts, engineering studies, surveys, subsurface investigations, and soil studies that do not commit the agency to undertake, fund or approve any Type I or Unlisted action") and is not subject to further review under the State Environmental Quality Review Act.

Funding for this grant is included in the 2021 operating budget of the Department of Transportation, road fund 9002, funds center 8004010000, Traffic Studies.

This grant is 100% funded by the Genesee Transportation Council. No additional net County support is required in the current Monroe County budget.

I recommend that this matter be referred to the appropriate committee(s) for favorable action by Your Honorable Body.

Sincerely,

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Monroe County Executive

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