

Mayor Ruocco Announces Approval of Application for New Community Transportation Van

June 17, 2019

I am pleased to announce that our joint application with Woodcliff Lake for a Section 5310 grant from the Federal Transit Administration (“FTA”) for a new community transportation van has been approved by the State for inclusion in the FTA’s Program of Projects. NJ Transit has informed us that our application is expected to be approved by the FTA in early 2020, and that our new van, which we will share with Woodcliff Lake, will be delivered approximately in June 2021. The van will have an ADA-compliant lift, and will have two accessible securement locations for handicapped riders. It will enhance the mobility of our disabled and senior residents.

This represents the culmination of persistent unilateral and joint efforts over the past several years by the mayors and borough administrators of both Hillsdale and Woodcliff Lake, with the consent of respective Councils, to obtain a Section 5310 grant.