



**TOWNSHIP OF CHELTENHAM
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION NO. 25-21

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
CHELTENHAM TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY,
PENNSYLVANIA AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT
APPLICATION FOR THE 2021 ROUND OF THE COUNTY
TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM TO REPLACE THE WEST GLENSIDE
AVENUE BRIDGE OVER SHADY NOOK**

WHEREAS, Montgomery County has established the County Transportation Program as a competitive funding program to assist municipalities with improving transportation infrastructure throughout the County; and

WHEREAS, Montgomery County is accepting grant applications to fund transportation projects that meet the eligibility requirements for County Fee for Local Use funds, including construction and repair of public roads and bridges, acquisition and maintenance of traffic signs and signals, lane and crosswalk painting and marking, and curb ramps; and

WHEREAS, recent investigation of a bridge on West Glenside Avenue over Shady Nook by the Township Engineer has determined that its condition is severely deteriorated and will require significant repair or replacement to extend or maintain its useful life; and

WHEREAS, the sidewalk of the bridge has been closed because the Township Engineer's inspection has determined that beams supporting the sidewalk do not have enough carrying capacity to safely support pedestrians; and

WHEREAS, options have been presented to repair and replace the bridge; and

WHEREAS, it is believed that replacement of the bridge will provide the most cost effective use of taxpayer dollars, providing a long-term solution to protecting the safety and welfare of vehicles and pedestrians who rely on this bridge; and

WHEREAS, Cheltenham Township wishes to obtain \$333,000 from the 2021 County Transportation Program to match the local funding commitment for the Replacement of the West Glenside Avenue Bridge over Shady Nook; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of Cheltenham Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, desires to file a Montgomery County Transportation

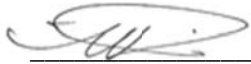
Grant application to secure funds in an amount up to \$333,000 for the purpose of replacing a bridge on West Glenside Avenue over Shady Nook.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of Cheltenham Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania is committed to completing this project and agrees to provide the required match for this project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of Cheltenham Township, Montgomery County does hereby authorize the Township Manager/Secretary and his/her designee to execute all documents, contracts, and agreements between Cheltenham Township and Montgomery County to facilitate and assist in obtaining and administering the requested grant.

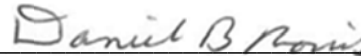
I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Resolution was adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Cheltenham Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania at its public meeting held via Zoom web conference this **21st** day of **July, 2021**.

ATTEST:



Robert A. Zienkowski
Township Manager and Secretary

**TOWNSHIP OF CHELTENHAM
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

By: 
Daniel B. Norris, President