# **Upper Dublin Township Municipal Authority Business Improvement Plan and Report for 2019 to the Board of Commissioners of Upper Dublin Township**

#### Mission

The purpose of the Authority (UDTMA) is to obtain and finance working capital, acquire, hold, construct, improve, maintain and operate, own or lease, either in the capacity of lessor or lessee, projects within the service area of the Authority, of the following kind and character:

- (a) Transportation for all defined modes, marketing, transit service and safety improvement utilizing all resources necessary to construct and maintain roadway improvements, bridges, traffic regulation devices, bicycle/pedestrian trails and amenities including but not limited to landscaping/trees, special signage, and street/area lighting.
- (b) Storm water and flood control planning, management and implementation.
- (c) General economic development and marketing for the Fort Washington Office Center Park.

#### Attendance

There were 12 Authority meetings held in 2018 on the first Friday of every month with the exception of the May meeting, which was held on May 18 due to scheduling conflicts. The January meeting was primarily a re-organization meeting with the appointments of Offices, Directors, Engineer, Solicitor and Open Records Officer. Attendance at the meetings by members was high for the year with Mr. Pesavento missing one meeting, Mr. Diehl missing one meeting, Mr. Feldman missing two meetings, Mr. Markman missing two meetings and Mr. Danaher missing four meetings. Attendance by the Executive Director, Finance Director, Solicitor's Office and Engineer was nearly 100% with Mr. Leonard missing one meeting and Mr. Bleemer missing two meetings.

#### **Financial Matters**

In February 2018, the Authority issued \$6,000,000 of guaranteed revenue notes to fund certain capital improvement construction projects identified as priority one projects in the attached "Exhibit A". To date, design, engineering, mapping, agency coordination and bid preparation have been performed for the funded projects. To finance the annual debt service on the notes and the Authority's operating expenses, annual assessments will be levied on all properties within the Authority service area based upon the assessed value of each property, as determined by the assessment of record in the county assessment office on the date such assessments are levied.

### **Budget**

Funding from the annual assessment also supports the Authority's operating costs. The Directors approved the Authority's 2018 operating budget. For 2019, both the Authority Directors and the Board of Commissioners will approve an operating and capital budget. All revenues and expenditures are subject to an independent CPA audit with a report to be filed with the Township and the State and available to both the Commissioners and the public.

#### **Transparency**

All meetings of the Municipal Authority were open to the public and live broadcast as well as repeat broadcast on the Township's governmental cable channel. There were no Right to Know Requests related to the Municipal Authority during 2018, but the Authority is committed to not only complying with the Right to Know Law and the Sunshine Law, but communicating with property owners and business and employees within the office park through multiple means through 2019.

## **Municipal Authority Priority List and 2019 Projects**

The Board of Commissioners and any interested parties are advised that the Authority works and focuses routinely on the attached priority list, currently dated October 28, 2018. This color-coded spreadsheet shows both the priorities, funding sources and current status of project designed to meet the mission statement at the beginning of this report. The Authority welcomes public participation in both their meetings and by comments to them in written format.

# Exhibit A

Municipal Authority Priority List and 2019 Projects



# Fort Washington Office Park Project Priority List Upper Dublin Municipal Authority

TOWNSHIP FUNDED CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS WITHIN THE MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY BOUNDARY													
			Grant Funding	Additional	Developer	Township	Construction	Construction					
	HIGHLIGHTED FIELD INDICATES FINAL PROJECT COST TO BE UPDATED	PROJECT COST	Awarded	PennDOT	Contribution	Obligation	Start	End					
CONSTRUCTED	Description	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	Date	Date	Status / Comments				
AND/OR	PINE RUN & RAPP RUN FLOOD RETARDING STRUCTURES	\$14.819	11.569			3.250	2013	2015					
COMMITTED	VIRGINIA DRIVE PINE RUN BRIDGES RECONSTRUCTION	\$6.234	3.212	1.218		1.804	06/2016	07/2017	MUNICIPAL RETRO-REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM				
TOWNSHIP	VIRGINIA DRIVE RAPP RUN CULVERT RECONSTRUCTION	\$1.638	0.400			1.238	03/2017	07/2017	PA DCED GRANTS				
PROJECTS	VIRGINIA DRIVE ROAD DIET & TRAIL	\$1.491	1.000			0.491	09/2017	06/2018*	TAP MPMS 104282 - *Punchlist Not Complete				
	DRESHER TRIANGLE CONCEPT DESIGN	\$0.062			0.062	0.000	N/A	N/A					
		\$24.244	\$16.181	\$1.218	\$0.062	\$6.783							

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	CAPITA	L IMPROVEMEN	ITS WITHIN TH	IE MUNICIPA	L AUTHORITY	BOUNDARY						
		OPINION OF	2015-2016 Grant	2017 Grant	2018 Grant	Developer	Municipal	Committed				
HIGHLIGHT	ED FIELDS INDICATE GRANT APPLICATION POTENTIAL	PROBABLE COST	Awarded	Awarded	Awarded	Contribution	Auth Obligation	Project				
	Description	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	(X = Yes)	Status / Comments			
	FORT WASHINGTON CROSS COUNTY TRAIL & ROAD DIET	\$6.250	3.541			0.3	2.410	Х	PENNDOT MTF, PA DCED, PA DCNR, MONTCO			
	PA TURNPIKE ZIP RAMP FROM PA 309 INTERCHANGE	\$2.600	2.038			0.4	0.162	Х	GRANT AWARDED			
	COMPLETE BODENSTEIN CHANNEL REVITALIZATION	\$0.750					0.750	Х				
	CROSS COUNTY TRAIL - FINAL SEGMENT	\$1.015	0.750				0.265	Х	PENNDOT TAP PROGRAM - MPMS 107179			
	COMPLETE DELAWARE & VIRGINIA DRIVE ROAD DIET & TRAIL MIDDLE SECTION	\$4.600		1.200	0.400		3.000	Х	GRANTS AWARDED - COORD. ONGOING			
PRIORITY 1	COMPLETION OF VIRGINIA DRIVE INTERCHANGE PRELIM ENG PH I	\$0.300					0.300					
PROJECTS	COMPLETION OF VIRGINIA DRIVE INTERCHANGE LAND ACQUISITION	\$1.500					1.500					
(0 TO 3 YEARS)	DRESHER TRIANGLE EARLY ACTION IMPROVEMENTS	\$0.500					0.500					
	GATEWAY ENTRANCE ENHANCEMENTS INCLUDING LANDSCAPING & SIGNAGE	\$0.250					0.250					
	EVALUATE VIRGINIA DRIVE & CAMPHILL ROAD INTERSECTION	\$0.075					0.075					
	DELAWARE DRIVE BRIDGE SUPERSTRUCTURE REPLACEMENT & REPAIRS	\$1.250			1.000		0.250		MUNICIPAL RETRO-REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM			
	CONSTRUCT ADDITIONAL LOCAL TRAIL CONNECTIONS TO CROSS COUNTY TRAIL	\$0.250			0.015		0.235		PA WalkWorks			
	PRIOIRTY 1 PROJECTS OPINION OF PROBABLE COST TOTALS	\$19.340	\$6.329	\$1.200	\$1.415	\$0.700	\$9.697					
	COMPLETION OF VIRGINIA DRIVE INTERCHANGE PRELIM. ENG PH II	\$1.300					1.300		I			
	DRESHER TRIANGLE ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS - STAGE II	\$4.000	TO BE SUBMITT	ED FOR DVRPC TRA	NS. IMPROVEMEN	Γ PROGRAM (TIP)	4.000		7			
	CONSTRUCT ADDITIONAL LOCAL TRAIL CONNECTIONS TO CROSS COUNTY TRAIL	\$0.250					0.250		1			
	CONSTRUCT A LINEAR PARK ALONG CROSS COUNTY TRAIL	\$4.300					4.300		1			
	CONSTRUCT PINETOWN ROAD BOULEVARD WITH LANDSCAPED MEDIAN	\$1.800					1.800		OPINION OF PROBABLE COSTS REQUIRE FURTHER			
PRIORITY 2	PERFORM WARRANT ANALYSIS FOR PINETOWN & HIGHLAND	\$0.025					0.025		ANALYSIS AND ARE ONLY FOR DISCUSSION			
PROJECTS	COMPLETE RAPP RUN CREEK REVITALIZATION	\$0.750					0.750		PURPOSES AND NOT FOR ASSESSMENT			
(3 TO 6 YEARS)	COMPLETE PINE RUN CREEK REVITALIZATION - STAGE I	\$0.500					0.500		PURPOSES. GRANT POTENTIAL HAS NOT BEEN			
	COMMERCE DRIVE REMAINING ROADWAY RECONSTRUCTION	\$1.250					1.250		ANALYZED.			
	VIRGINIA DRIVE REMAINING ROADWAY RECONSTRUCTION	\$3.650					3.650		1			
	DELAWARE DRIVE ROADWAY RECONSTRUCTION*	\$0.500					0.500		1			
	NEW JERSEY, NEW YORK & MARYLAND ROADWAY RECONSTRUCTIONS	\$2.750					2.750		1			
	PRIOIRTY 2 PROJECTS OPINION OF PROBABLE COST TOTALS	\$21.075	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$21.075					
	DRESHER TRIANGLE ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS - STAGE III	\$4.000	TO BE SUBMITT	ED FOR DVRPC TRA	NS. IMPROVEMEN	F PROGRAM (TIP)	4.000		I			
	CONSTRUCT LANDSCAPED MEDIANS ON COMMERCE, DELAWARE & VIRGINIA	\$0.150					0.150		1			
	INSTALL PEDESTRIAN LIGHTING ALONG CROSS COUNTY TRAIL & PINETOWN	\$1.000					1.000		OPINION OF PROBABLE COSTS REQUIRE FURTHER			
PRIORITY 3	RE-GRADE HIGHLAND AVENUE APPROACH TO CAMPHILL ROAD	\$0.350					0.350		ANALYSIS AND ARE ONLY FOR DISCUSSION			
PROJECTS	CONSTRUCT ADDITIONAL LOCAL TRAIL CONNECTIONS TO CROSS COUNTY TRAIL	\$0.250					0.250		PURPOSES AND NOT FOR ASSESSMENT			
(OVER 6 YEARS)	COMPLETE PINE RUN CREEK REVITALIZATION - STAGE II	\$0.750					0.750		PURPOSES. GRANT POTENTIAL HAS NOT BEEN			
	CAMPHILL ROADWAY RECONSTRUCTION & BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION*	\$3.250					3.250		ANALYZED.			
	INSTALL LANDSCAPING ENHANCEMENTS TO OPEN VISTAS	\$0.750					0.750		]			
	PRIOIRTY 3 PROJECTS OPINION OF PROBABLE COST TOTALS	\$10.500	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$0.000	\$10.500		]			

\* NOTE - TOTAL COST SHOWN, HOWEVER, DELAWARE DR & CAMPHILL RD RECONSTRUCTION TO WIDEN AND/OR PROVIDE PEDESTRIAN/TRAIL AMENITIES WOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR ASSESSMENT. REPLACEMENT OF THE STRUCTURES IN-KIND IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF TOWNSHIP

	NON-CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS													
	DESCRIPTION	2019 BUDGET	DESCRIPTION COMMENTS											
OPERATIONS AND SERVICES	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR & FINANCE DIRECTOR	0.022	ENHANCED LEVEL OF SERVICES (ROADS, LIGHTING, TRAILS & TRASH, ETC.)											
	MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY SOLICITOR SERVICES	0.025	OPERATE SHUTTLE SERVICE TO/FROM SEPTA REGIONAL RAIL STATION											
	MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY ENGINEER SERVICES	0.075	DEVELOP LOGO AND POTENTIAL RE-BRANDING CAMPAIGN											
	MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY ACCOUNTANT SERVICES - AUDIT	0.006	ESTABLISH FLOWERS, TREES, SHRUBS SPECIES LIST  THESE ITEMS ARE INTENDED TO BE AT THE DISCRETION OF THE AUTHORTY AND WOULD BE											
	OTHER CONSULTATNT SERVICES & APPRAISALS	0.053	ESTABLISH DESIGN STANDARDS FOR PRIVATE PROPERTY SIGNAGE  ASSIGNED COSTS AS SO DIRECTED.											
	ASSUME MAINTENANCE REPSONSIBILITY OF PINE RUN AND RAPP RUN FLOOD RETARDING STRUCTURES	0.040	MARKETING INTIATIVES (SPACE AVAILABILITY, ECONOMIC DEV, ETC.)											
	MISCELLANEOUS ADMIN (SUPPLIES, FEES, RECORDING OF MINUTES, ETC.)	0.004	INSTALL WAYFARER AND/OR TRANSIT SIGNAGE AT SEPTA/SHUTTLE STOPS											
	ANNUAL COST TOTAL	0.225	PERFORM SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL SERVICES ON SIDEWALKS AND TRAILS											

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CONSTRUCTED AND/OR COMMITTED TOWNSHIP PROJECTS		OPINION OF	Other Funding	Township	Est. De	sign	In Des	sign	Est. Co	nstruction	In Constru	ıction								
	Description	PROBABLE COST	Awarded	Obligation		2018				2019				2020						
		(Millions)	(Millions)	(Millions)	3/18	6/18	9/18	12/18	3/19	6/19	9/19	12/19	3/20	6/20	9/20	12/20				
	PINE RUN & RAPP RUN FLOOD RETARDING STRUCTURES	\$14.819	11.569	3.250		CONSTRU	CTED													
	VIRGINIA DRIVE PINE RUN BRIDGES RECONSTRUCTION	\$6.234	4.430	1.804		CONSTRUC	CTED													
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		OPINION OF	Other Funding	Authority	Est. De	sign	In Des	sign	Est. Co	nstruction	In Constru	ıction								
	Description	PROBABLE COST	Awarded	Obligation		2018				2019				2020				2021		
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	FORT WASHINGTON CROSS COUNTY TRAIL & ROAD DIET - PHASE 1	\$3.250	2.953	0.297																
	PA TURNPIKE ZIP RAMP FROM PA 309 INTERCHANGE - PHASE 2	\$2.600	2.438	0.162											]					
	FORT WASHINGTON CROSS COUNTY TRAIL & ROAD DIET - PHASE 3A	\$3.000	0.888	2.113																
	COMPLETE BODENSTEIN CHANNEL REVITALIZATION - PHASE 3B	\$0.750		0.750																
	CROSS COUNTY TRAIL - FINAL SEGMENT	\$1.015	0.750	0.265																
PRIORITY 1 PROJECTS	COMPLETE DELAWARE & VIRGINIA DRIVE ROAD DIET & TRAIL MIDDLE SECTION WITH CONSIDERATION OF A	\$4.600	1.600	3.000																
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