

NJTPA LOCAL SAFETY PROGRAM

Summit Avenue from Route 139 to Secaucus Road

**Funding awarded:
\$8,142,000**

JERSEY CITY



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The City of Jersey City received a \$8,142,000 grant for this project through the NJTPA's FY 2022 Local Safety Program (LSP). The grant includes funding for preliminary engineering, final design, construction and construction inspection services. The project will improve safety and overall operations at 33 intersections along approximately 1.5 miles of Summit Avenue between Route 139 and Secaucus Road.

Project Description

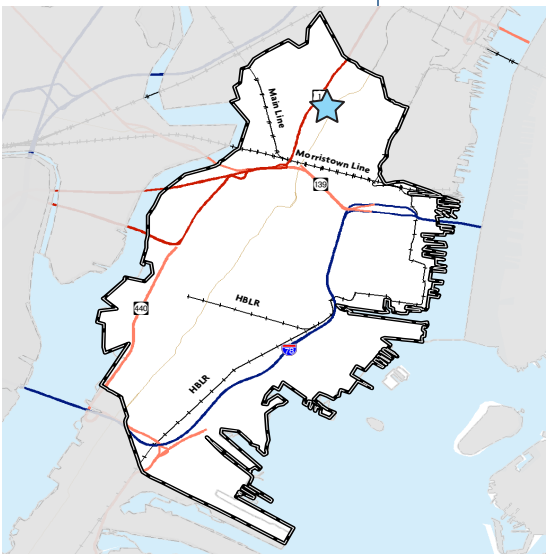
Improvements will include: conversion of Summit Avenue to one-way south-bound, installation of a protected bicycle lane, signal upgrades, pedestrian signal upgrades, high-visibility crosswalks, curb extensions, and lead pedestrian intervals. New traffic signals will be installed at 19 intersections.

About the Project Area

Summit Avenue consists of one travel lane in each direction and on-street parking. The area is mainly residential. Two parks, Jersey City Water Works Reservoir #3 and Pershing Field, are adjacent to the roadway with numerous schools in the vicinity of corridor.

The Local Safety Program

The LSP specializes in cost-effective solutions that can make an immediate impact on their target areas. The LSP is federally funded, utilizing Highway Safety Improvement Program funds. It was established by the NJTPA in conjunction with the Federal Highway Administration and New Jersey Department of Transportation to advance safety initiatives on county and local roads. For more information, visit njtpa.org/LocalSafety.



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