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Mr. Paul W. Kardos
204 Cleveland Lane
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Dear Mr. Kardos:

Thank you for contacting me regarding Type II noise abatement projects. I appreciate having the benefit of your views, as I share them.

As you know, a Type II noise abatement project is a federal-aid project for noise abatement on an existing highway. Additionally, the development and implementation of Type II projects are not mandatory requirements of Federal law or regulation. A program to implement such projects results from a strictly optional decision by a state to provide highway traffic noise abatement along their highways.

Enclosed, please find the response from the New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) when I inquired about Type II projects in New Jersey, which the federal government funds at 80% per project.

Additionally, since regulations governing these projects are determined by state government, I would recommend that you contact your state representatives at the following addresses:

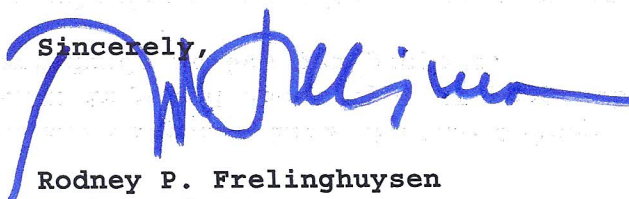
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Again, thank you for contacting me.

Sincerely,



Rodney P. Frelinghuysen
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Enclosure