

## KATHY HOCHUL Governor

## MARIE THERESE DOMINGUEZ Commissioner

April 26, 2022

LISA RAMUNDO Commissioner of Public Works COUNTY OF ALBANY 449 NEW SALEM RD VOORHEESVILLE NY 12186

Dear Ms. Ramundo:

The 2022-23 State Budget provides funding to support the repair, rehabilitation, and modernization of local roads and bridges. The Budget includes \$538.1 million in Consolidated Local Street and Highway Improvement Program (CHIPS) funding, \$150 million in PAVE-NY funding, and \$100 million in Extreme Winter Recovery (EWR) funding. Also included are reappropriations of rollover funds remaining from previous State fiscal year CHIPS, PAVE-NY, and EWR appropriations. Please provide a copy of this letter to the chief financial officer for your municipality.

The first of four quarterly SFY 2022-23 CHIPS, PAVE-NY, and EWR reimbursements are scheduled to be made on June 30, 2022. Requests for the June payments must be for expenditures made on or after December 31, 2020 through May 20, 2022. Refer to the Program Guidelines on the CHIPS website (<a href="www.dot.ny.gov/programs/chips">www.dot.ny.gov/programs/chips</a>) regarding eligible project activities and program requirements. The County of Albany has the following funding amounts available for the June payments.

Program	Total Balance	22-23 Apportionment Balance	Cumulative Rollover Balance
CHIPS	\$3,189,000.13	\$2,789,826.15	\$399,173.98
PAVE NY	\$2,243,063.62	\$810,378.40	\$1,432,685.22
EWR <sup>-</sup>	\$1,080,650.33	\$422,997.17	\$657,653.16

Each program payment submission should include a Documentation Checklist (found on the CHIPS website), summary reports of Checklist information, ADA compliant curb ramp photos (if applicable), and proof of payment. Failure to submit the required supporting documentation for each program payment submission may delay the processing of your reimbursement requests.

The instructions for applying under the June 30, 2022 CHIPS, PAVE-NY and EWR reimbursements are included on the back of this letter and on the CHIPS website, under Forms and Instructions. The New York State Department of Transportation (NYSDOT) Regional Office must receive all program payment submission items no later than **May 26, 2022.** Please sign the certification on each page of the reimbursement request forms and keep a copy of the completed forms for your files. Your NYSDOT municipal code for entry on the forms is 110000.

Municipalities may mail or e-mail their CHIPS, PAVE-NY and EWR reimbursement request forms and supporting required documentation to their NYSDOT Region. Guidance for e-mail submissions may be obtained on the CHIPS website. Contact information:

Joe Thompson NYSDOT Regional CHIPS Representative 50 Wolf Road, Suite 1S50 Albany, NY 12232 dot.sm.r01.CHIPS@dot.ny.gov

If you have any questions, please contact Joe Thompson at 518-457-6916.

Respectfully yours,

Dawn Arnold

Acting Director, Local Programs Bureau