

State of New Jersey
Department of the Treasury
Integrity Oversight Monitoring Reporting Model

Firm Name: **EisnerAmper LLP**
Work Authorization No. 2 Hudson-Bergen Light Rail (HBLR) Repair and Recovery and Locally Prioritized Resilience (NJ-44-X003)

Engagement: **Integrity Oversight Monitoring Contract 14-033B**

For Quarter Ending: **06/30/2021**

Reports required under A-60 will be submitted by Integrity Monitors on the first business day of each calendar quarter to the State Treasurer and will contain detailed information on the projects/contracts/programs funded by the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act.

No.	Recipient Data Elements	Response	Comments
1.	Recipient of funding	New Jersey Transit Corporation	
2.	Federal Funding Agency? (e.g. HUD, FEMA)	Federal Transit Administration	
3.	State Funding (if applicable)	Not applicable	
4.	Award Type	FTA-Public Transportation Emergency Relief Program	
5.	Award Amount	Total Project: \$44,904,852	
6.	Contract/Program Person/Title	Jignasa Desai-McCleary, Chief, Procurement & Support Services	
7.	Brief Description, Purpose and Rationale of Project/Program	The Hudson-Bergen Light Rail Repair and Recovery and Locally Prioritized Resilience is comprised of the following scope of work: - Sandy DMG. 05 HBLR 4 Track & Row: Repair/replacement of damaged track components (rail resurfacing, lubricators, heaters, drainage swales, inlets, culverts and ballast washout and related activities. - Sandy DMG. 05 HBLR 4 Vehicle Base Facility: Replacement of damaged yard switch machines, installation of storage container for critical parts, auxiliary power repairs, and switch heater repairs, purchase of Wheel Truing Machine and installation of VBF, and the purchase of off site wheel truing services. - Sandy DMG. 05 HBLR 4 Signals and Communications: Replacement of mainline switches, impedance bond boxes, repairs at grade crossings, replacement of communication components, installation of Mill Creek CIH and testing and replacement of signal cable. - Sandy DMG. 05 HBLR 4 Traction Power/Station Dist. Power: Testing and replacement of Auxiliary Power Cable, repair Traction Power Cables and associated costs for design, project administration, construction, the purchase of necessary equipment and materials, and other related costs.	
8.	Contract/Program Location	HBLR Line - Jersey City/Hudson County	
9.	Amount Expended to Date	\$49,458,705.36	Note: Expenditure figures in the report are presented for the entire HBLR project, whereas previously they were limited to the contracts within IOM's scope.
10.	Amount Provided to other State or Local Entities	None	
11.	Completion Status of Contract or Program	In progress	
12.	Expected Contract End Date/Time Period	12/31/2023	
13.	If FEMA funded, brief description of the status of the project worksheet and its support.	Not applicable	
14.	Quarterly Activities/Project Description (include number of visits to meet with recipient and sub recipient, including who you met with, and any site visits warranted to where work was completed)	Conducted a site visit on 4/14/2021 regarding traction power cable pulls at YB1-NMY to YB1-DC4. Held a call on 4/21/2021 with TFC regarding auxiliary power and traction power cable salvage and storage process. Held a call on 5/4/2021 with NJT PM regarding the salvage process. Held a call on 5/13/2021 with NJT OBD and TFC regarding DBE compliance forms. Participated in conference call on 5/25/2021 with Light Rail Operations, CP and IAD regarding cable salvage process. Conducted a site visit on 6/11/2021 regarding SMTY CIH steel delivery and power traction cable replacement.	

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15.	Brief Description to confirm appropriate data/information has been provided by recipient and what activities have been taken to review in relation to the project/contract/program.	Received NPC status logs from NJT Procurement (March 2021, April 2021, May 2021). Received procurement documents for various NPCs. Received checked copies of receipted invoice during the month of October 2020, December 2020, January 2021 and February 2021. Received various DBE subcontractor documentation.	
16.	Description of quarterly auditing activities that have been conducted to ensure procurement compliance with terms and conditions of the contracts and agreements.	Monitoring of procurement files and invoices for a selection of NPCs, held various conference calls and meetings to discuss monitoring activities, and conducted site visits to observe construction progress.	
17.	Have payment requisitions in connection with the contract/program been reviewed? Please describe	Payment requisitions were provided and are being tested by EisnerAmper for a selection of invoices.	
18.	Description of quarterly activity to prevent and detect waste, fraud and abuse.	Continued testing of procurement files and invoices, holding conference calls and meetings related to construction monitoring and the salvage process.	
19.	Provide details of any integrity issues/findings	None noted; ongoing testing.	
20.	Provide details of any work quality or safety/environmental/historical preservation issue(s).	On March 9, 2020, Governor Phil Murphy declared a State of Emergency and a Public Health Emergency, effective immediately, to ramp up New Jersey's efforts to contain the spread of COVID-19. This order was extended on April 7, May 6, June 4, July 2, August 1, August 27, September 25, October 24, November 22 and December 21, 2020. This order was further extended in 2021 on January 19, February 17, March 17, April 15 and May 14, 2021. On June 4, 2021, Governor Murphy signed Executive Order No. 244, ending the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency. Based on our communications and monitoring, this does not appear to have affected the project during this quarter.	
21.	Provide details on any other items of note that have occurred in the past quarter	The IOM identified and continues to monitor the process undertaken by TFC in connection with the disposal of the auxiliary and traction power cable pulled to date from the HBLR system.	
22.	Provide details of any actions taken to remediate waste, fraud and abuse noted in past quarters	Not applicable	
23.	Attach a list of hours and expenses incurred to perform your quarterly integrity monitoring review	See attached hours summary.	
24.	Add any item, issue or comment not covered in previous sections but deemed pertinent to monitoring program.	None noted	

Name of Integrity Monitor:

EisnerAmper LLP

Name of Report Preparer:

Elliott Lee

Signature:

Date: September 30, 2021

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Attachment for Question #23

Professional	Hours
David A. Cace	0.85
Elliott Lee	23.85
Timothy Van Noy	1.30
Nancy Pham	50.20
Craig Mann	57.80
Marisol Gonzalez	58.48
Ken Brzozowski*	2.50
Quinn Allen*	71.75
Stephanie Blue*	5.40
	272.13

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