

**FY 2022 TRANSPORTATION CAPITAL PROGRAM  
New Jersey Department of Transportation Projects**

<i>Program/Project Name</i>	<i>Project ID Numbers: 00357D1 / 158000</i>
<b>Route 72, Manahawkin Bay Bridges, Contract 5A - Environmental Mitigation</b>	

This project will include the implementation of Submerged Aquatic Vegetation (SAV) mitigations requirements in the Manahawkin Bay, to comply with environmental permit conditions. The overall goal of this work is to offset losses to SAV, through a combination of adaptive management, and research, to establish and enhance SAV beds within the Barnegat Bay. The research element will include the monitoring of existing SAV beds to measure recovery post Superstorm Sandy, and the adaptive management component will include establishing and/or enhancing up to 10 acres of new or existing beds to facilitate recovery efforts and promote resiliency.

**COUNTY:** Ocean

**MUNICIPALITY:** Stafford Twp, Ship Bottom Boro

**MILEPOSTS:** 26.40 - 28.14

**STRUCTURE NO.:** 1513151

**LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT:**9

**SPONSOR:** NJDOT

**CIS PROGRAM CATEGORY:** Bridge Assets

**CORE MISSION:** Infrastructure Preservation

<b>MPO</b>	<b>Phase</b>	<b>Fund</b>	<b>Item#</b>	<b>Amount</b>
NJTPA	DES	STATE	271	\$455,000