## **Connecticut Division**



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> In Reply Refer To: HPR-CT

Mr. Werner Liepolt Residents of the Bridge Street Neighborhood 27 Bridge Street Westport, Connecticut 06880

Dear Mr. Liepolt:

The Federal Highway Administration Connecticut Division (FHWA-CT) has been informed by the Connecticut Department of Transportation (CTDOT) of your interest in becoming a consulting party for the purposes of Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act for State Project Number 158-214, potentially impacting the William F. Cribari Memorial Bridge in Westport, Connecticut.

Per 36 CFR 800.2(c)(5), FHWA-CT accepts your organization's request to participate as a consulting party due to your concern with the proposed undertaking's potential effects on historic properties.

The Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (ACHP) has published A Citizen's Guide to Section 106 Review, which may be a useful guide in understanding your role as a consulting party. It may be downloaded at: http://www.achp.gov/docs/CitizenGuide.pdf

The CTDOT is responsible for administering many Section 106 responsibilities on behalf of FHWA-CT. As such, the CTDOT will remain your primary contact for project-related issues. If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact me at christopher.hansen@dot.gov or 860-494-7577.

Sincerely yours,

Chris Hansen

**Environmental Protection Specialist** 

cc: Electronic copies sent to:

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