The Burlington County Bridge Commission (BCBC) offers Grant Writing Assistance, Local Planning Assistance, and Economic Development Assistance/Advocacy Services.

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To date, the BCBC has helped local communities secure more than $25 Million in grant funds from federal, state, and private funders.
For example, funds have been secured from:

- NJDOT
- NJDCA
- NJDEP
- NJDOS
- Federal Homeland Security
- FEMA
- HUD
- EPA
Recent funding includes:

- In 2019, Riverside was awarded more than $2 million in Green Acres funds for upgrades to Whomsley Field.

- Palmyra was awarded over $400,000 from the NJDOT TAP program for streetscaping and the reconstruction of Temple Boulevard.

- Burlington City was awarded over $700,000 in NJ Historic Trust funds for renovations to the historic Allen School.
Through its Dept. of Economic Development and Regional Planning, BCBC assists communities in preparing municipal planning documents, such as:

- Master Plans & Reexamination Reports
- Land Use Elements
- Housing Elements and Fair Share Plans
- Redevelopment Studies
- and more
In 2019, Master Plan Reexamination Reports were prepared for:

- Southampton
- Cinnaminson
- Palmyra

Additional Elements were prepared for:

- Hainesport
- North Hanover

Redevelopment Studies were prepared for:

- Burlington City
- Palmyra
- Southampton
- and more
BCBC also assisted communities such as Beverly City, Edgewater Park, and Riverside in drafting/updating their zoning ordinances.
Recently, BCBC also developed Burlington County’s first Restaurant Week, which was very successful and included more than 40 participating restaurants.

Other economic development services include business location/relocation, business advocacy, Small Business Loan Programs.
To discuss potential **planning projects**, municipalities should contact Tom Stanuikynas, Regional Planning Manager of the Dept. of Econ. Dev. & Regional Planning at 609-265-5055 or by email at tstanuikynas@bcbridges.org.

For **grant projects**, contact Dave Gerkens of CGP&H, at 609-642-4901 or by email at dave@cgph.net.
To access these shared services, municipalities simply need to complete a Request for Assistance form and that be found at: