

## **NY 7 FROM RAYMERTOWN TO TOMHANNOCK RESERVOIR: R187**

**Post 2014 funding:**     \$9.393 M Construction (NHS)  
                                 \$0.131 M Right-of-way (NHS)  
                                 \$0.066 M Inspection (NHS)

### **History:**

- This project was originally programmed as a reconstruction of Route 7 from Raymertown to Pittstown. It was first programmed in the 1997-2002 TIP.
- In 2000 during a NYSDOT program update the limits were adjusted to create two projects. This change is reflected in the 2003-2008 TIP.
- Due to continued funding constraints the project was delayed in 2004 and again in 2007.

### **Status:**

- The high cost of an appropriate repair coupled with low traffic volume (roughly 8000 AADT) do not allow this portion of road to compete well against other NYSDOT Regional pavement needs. For that reason it continues to be delayed until a sufficient NYSDOT Regional letting cap can be identified to accommodate it.
- Other pavement sections that present similar challenges are Route 29 in Saratoga County, Route 23 in Greene County, Route 85 in western Albany County, Route 73 in Essex County, Route 9J in Rensselaer County and many more.
- While NYSDOT would like to keep this project in the post TIP period, it does not compete well with the other projects in the Post period.