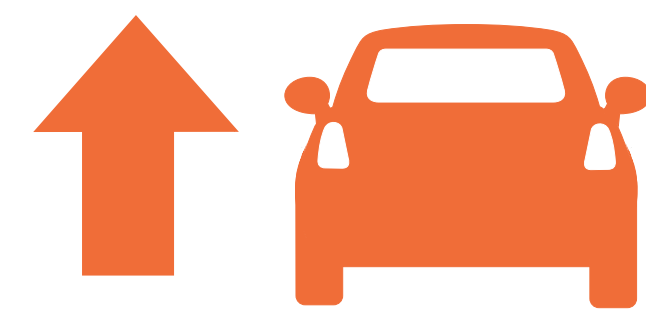

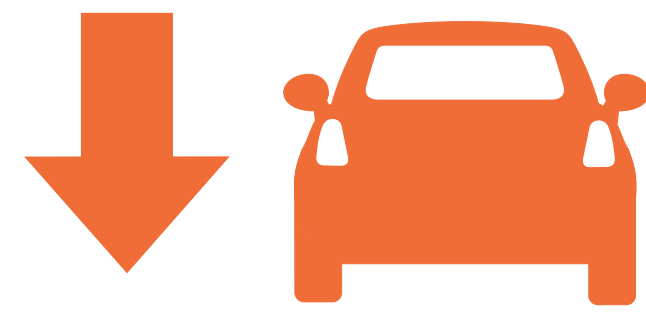


Benefits *of the* PA 61 Connector

The purpose of the CSVT Project is to reduce congestion, improve safety (with particular attention to trucks and through traffic), and ensure sufficient capacity for growth. The PA 61 Connector helps accomplish that purpose by taking traffic off existing roadways and onto CSVT.

PA 61 Connector will ATTRACT 15,000 - 20,000 VEHICLES PER DAY BY 2044 and will have the following effect on area roadways:

-  **Increases use of CSVT**
(up to 15-20% more traffic)
-  **Reduces traffic on US 11/15 from Shamokin Dam to Selinsgrove**
(up to 20-25% less traffic)
-  **Reduces traffic on PA 147 through Northumberland Borough**
(up to 25-30% less traffic)

In addition, the PA 61 Connector will serve as an alternate route when incidents or flooding occur on existing roadways.

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