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CSVT Update for Upcoming Week

Montoursville, PA – Work is progressing on the Northern Section of the Central Susquehanna Valley Transportation (CSVT) project in Northumberland, Union and Snyder counties as follows:

River Bridge:

On Saturday, July 21, the CSVT bridge contractor will begin changing traffic patterns for the new river bridge construction along Route 147 between Ridge Road and Lahr's Road in Point Township. Southbound traffic will be shifted to the center lane and concrete barrier will be set in the existing southbound lane so Pier 14 for the river bridge can be constructed. Traffic will be reduced to a single lane under flagging while the traffic shift is being implemented.

Construction of Piers 2 through 8 are complete. Construction continues on Piers 1, 9, 12, and 13.

Erection of Span 8 girders is continuing next week. Spans 5 through 7 are complete.

The causeway tentatively is expected to be transitioned to the north side of the river in late July or early August.

Winfield Interchange:

Route 15 northbound remains reduced to a single lane so the contractor can complete reconstruction of existing Route 15. Traffic has been shifted to the center lane of the highway. County Line Road east of Route 15 is closed. A detour is in place using Grangers Road and Line Road.

Wide loads over 14 feet are prohibited in the northbound direction. The single lane condition is expected to remain in place for most of the construction season. The southbound passing lane is closed for the northbound reconstruction work.

Northumberland County:

The contractor will be setting beams on the new Route 147 southbound bridge spanning Chillisquaque Creek. Traffic on Hidden Paradise Road and Ridge Road will be controlled by flaggers. Delays of up to 15 minutes are expected throughout the week.

Route 147 traffic is using a temporary crossover to the new northbound bridge over Chillisquaque Creek.

For more information on the CSVT project, please visit www.csvt.com.

Motorists can check conditions on more than 40,000 roadway miles by visiting www.511PA.com. 511PA, which is free and available 24 hours a day, provides traffic delay warnings, weather forecasts, traffic speed information and access to more than 860 traffic cameras.

511PA is also available through a smartphone application for iPhone and Android devices, by calling 5-1-1, or by following regional Twitter alerts accessible on the 511PA website.

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