

Milepost 308 (Styer Road) to 312 (SR 100)

# WELCOME TO THE OPEN HOUSE PLANS DISPLAY SEPTEMBER 24, 2015

# PROJECT INFORMATION

The Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission (PTC) and its design/environmental consultants welcome you to tonight's Open House Plans Display for the total reconstruction and widening project on the Turnpike main line (I-76) between milepost 308 (Styer Rd.) and 312 (SR 100).

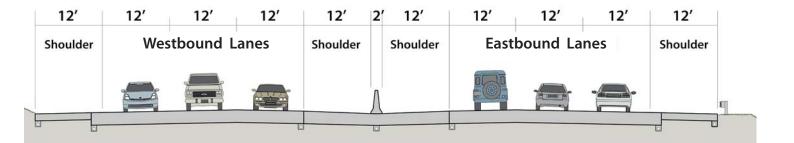
The PTC will invest 150 million toll dollars in this section of I-76 in Upper Uwchlan Township near Downingtown, which is traveled by 50,000 vehicles per day. When completed, the existing four-lane roadway with a 10-foot right shoulder and limited left lane shoulder will be reconstructed to accommodate six 12-foot travel lanes (three lanes in each direction) with 12-foot left and right shoulders. The project will also include the reconstruction of two overhead bridges and three mainline bridges, including the structure over State Route 100. Maintaining the environmental aspects of the area is also included in this project.

The PTC's mission is to provide a safe, reliable, and efficient toll-road system. The Turnpike was opened to motorists in 1940, and several full-depth reconstruction projects are currently underway to replace this aging highway. The milepost 308 to 312 reconstruction and widening project is part of a series of three similar projects between milepost 298 and 312.

The PTC is committed to plan, design, and reconstruct the Pennsylvania Turnpike to address current safety needs, modern design standards, customer impacts, and future traffic volumes, all in a manner which extends the time between necessary highway maintenance. These efforts will result in a smoother and safer road with fewer traffic delays and disruptions.



Typical Total Reconstruction Section 122' out-to-out





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# TONIGHT'S MEETING

The purpose of this meeting is to present the preliminary engineering plans for the project, illustrate the bridges to be replaced, discuss detours, identify environmental and property impacts, display proposed sound barrier and stormwater management locations, and provide an anticipated construction schedule. Project team members will be available throughout the meeting to answer questions, and discuss the project details and right-of-way acquisition process.

# MATERIALS ON DISPLAY

Preliminary engineering plans and other supplemental data are available at various stations for your review. Project team representatives are present at each station. Below is the information you will find at tonight's meeting:

# PROJECT DESCRIPTION, TYPICAL SECTIONS AND PRELIMINARY CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

Visit this station to learn about the planned construction schedule and to view renderings of the existing and proposed roadway sections. Please note that at this early stage, the time frames shown on the project schedule are approximate and will be refined as the project advances.

Construction Contract	2015	2016	2017		2019		2021		
Milford Road Bridge	SEE REVISED SCHEDULE ON PROJECT WEBSITE								
Park Road Bridge									
Mainline MP 308 to 312	ww	w.patp	constru	iction.c	om/mp	298to3	12		

# ROADWAY PLANS

Plans for the entire project area are available at this station. Maps include the six-lane design, bridge replacements, property lines, required right-of-way, environmental features, stormwater management locations, labeled landmarks, retaining walls, and proposed sound barriers where criteria are met.

# **BRIDGE REPLACEMENTS**

As a part of this project, the following overhead bridges in Upper Uwchlan Township, Chester County, will be replaced to accommodate the widening:

- Milford Road Bridge (T-428)
- Park Road Bridge (T-523)

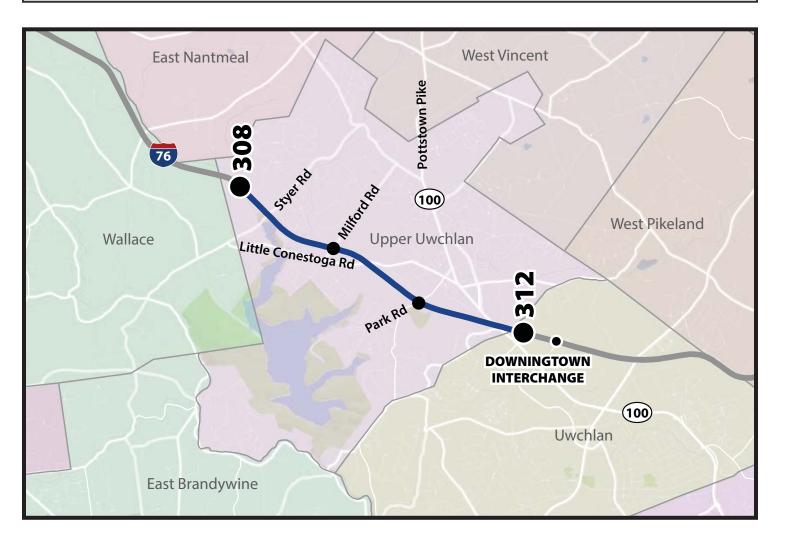
In addition, the following Turnpike bridges will be reconstructed:

- Bridge over Styer Road (T-457)
- Bridge over Little Conestoga Road (SR 4016)
- Bridge over Pottstown Pike (SR 100)

Plans of each of the overhead bridge replacements requiring a detour and their typical sections are available for review.

# **PROJECT AREA**

The project area begins just west of Styer Road (MP 308) and continues east to the State Route 100 (MP 312). These four miles of the Pennsylvania Turnpike will be completely reconstructed and widened from two to three lanes in each direction with widened shoulders on both sides. The project corridor traverses Upper Uwchlan Township in Chester County.



#### TRAFFIC NOISE ANALYSIS

This station provides aerial views of the project area showing noise monitoring locations and the proposed noise barrier locations. The noise impact analysis study describes the methodology and presents the findings of the traffic noise study conducted for the fulldepth reconstruction and widening project and was conducted in compliance with Federal Highway Administration regulations and the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation criteria. The study is available for review at this station and noise mitigation experts are on hand to answer your questions.

#### **RIGHT-OF-WAY**

The PTC is committed to making the process of any right-of-way acquisitions as simple as possible for all property owners who may be affected. If your property is shown as being impacted on the roadway plans, please visit the right-of-way station for information on the property acquisition process, including how compensation amounts are determined and the typical timeframe for purchase of a total or partial property acquisition.

# PUBLIC OUTREACH AND COMMENT AREA

We want your feedback! Please complete a comment form this evening and drop it in the comment box. This station also provides the various ways you can stay informed of project updates and contact the Project Team.

# Please visit the project website periodically for updates and information: www.patconstruction.com/mp298to312

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING TONIGHT'S MEETING AND FOR YOUR INTEREST IN THIS PROJECT! IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT ANY OF THE FOLLOWING TEAM MEMBERS.

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