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The Honorable Kim L Ward
Senator
Pennsylvania Senate
1075 South Main Street, Suite 116
Westmoreland Crossroads Plaza
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**RE: Public Officials Briefing
Pennsylvania Turnpike Total Reconstruction and Widening
Milepost 57 to 67**

Dear Senator Ward,

The Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission has scheduled an Open House Plans Display In November to update the public on the total reconstruction project on the Pennsylvania Turnpike between Milepost 57-67 (Monroeville/Pittsburgh) to Irwin interchanges.

The project will widen the existing Turnpike roadway from two lanes in each direction to three lanes in each direction with 12-foot shoulders. The project will also construct new stormwater facilities and provide wetland and stream mitigation. Two bridges that cross Over the Turnpike (Trafford and Harrison Roads) will be replaced to accommodate the widening. There will be detours on state and local roads during construction.

The Open House Plans Display is scheduled for Thursday, November 12, 2015, at the Harrison City Fire Hall, 1010 Mill St, Harrison City, PA 15636 between 6:00-8:00pm. At this open house residents will be able to view project plans, locations of bridge replacements and associated detours, information on the noise analysis and mitigation plus review maps showing impacts to property owners. Project team members will be on hand to answer questions about the project and to provide information about the right-of-way acquisition process.

Feel free to visit the project website for frequently updated project information.
<http://www.patpconstruction.com/mp57to67/>

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