

PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT HANDOUT

NIEMEYER ROAD BRIDGE PROJECT, WATERFORD TOWNSHIP, ERIE COUNTY

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

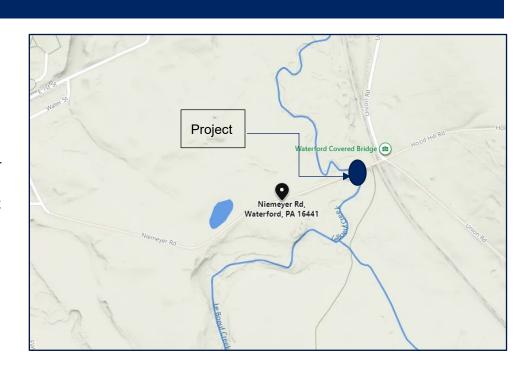
This project is to rehabilitate the bridge that carries Niemeyer Road (Township Road 463) over LeBoeuf Creek in Waterford Township, Erie County.

Work will include the rehabilitation of the existing bridge with new abutments, I-beams and decking. Once complete, the bridge will reopen and have a 15-ton weight limit.

The existing single span, single lane bridge was built in 1875 and has been close to traffic since May 2011. It is owned by Waterford Township.

PROJECT AREA

The bridge is located on Niemeyer Road (Township Road 463) between the intersection with East Street and the intersection with Hood and Union Roads.



ANTICIPATED CONSTRUCTION/STUDY SCHEDULE

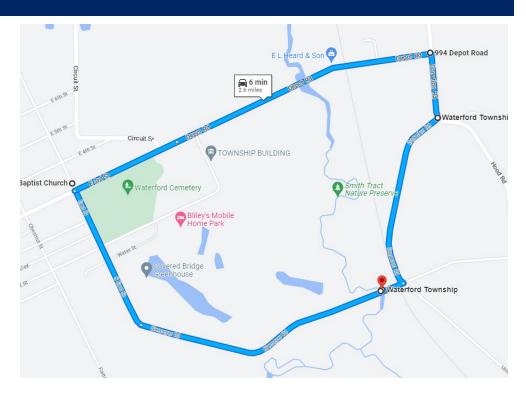
This project is anticipated to be constructed in 2023.



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TRAFFIC IMPACTS

Due to the bridge currently being closed traffic will use detour during the rehabilitation. Traffic will use Depot Road (Route 2006) to Donation Road (Route 1005).



CONSTRUCTION FUNDING

An estimated construction cost for the project is \$2,300,000 and the project will be funded using a combination of federal and state funding. This project is funded at least in part by the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL).

CURRENT PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

The purpose of the public comment period is to introduce the project and receive input regarding any questions or concerns with the project. It is also an opportunity for the public to review and comment on the project's potential effect upon Cultural Resources pursuant to the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation's 36 CFR Part 800 regulations implementing Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act. The project documents can be made available in alternative languages or formats if requested.

Comments and questions can be submitted to Ryan Minor, project manager for consultant HRG, at minor@hrg-inc.com, 724-779-4777, or 255 Elm Street, Oil City, PA 16301. An online comment form for the Niemeyer Road Bridge Project is also available at www.penndot.pa.gov/District1.