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**In-Person Open House and Online Plans Display Planned for
Route 616/George Street Intersection Reconstruction Project**

Online plans display will be available for viewing beginning Monday, June 23

Harrisburg, PA – The Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT) announced today that an in-person open house is planned for Monday, June 30, for a project to reconstruct the intersection of Route 616 and Route 3024 (George Street) in New Salem Borough, York County.

The open house will be held from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the St. Jacobs UCC, 100 E George St., New Salem Borough, PA 17371

As an alternative to attending the open house, a separate public plan display will be available to view online beginning June 23, 2025. A 30-day comment period will begin June 23 when the plan displays become available for viewing.

The purpose of this project is to reduce congestion at the existing intersection due to the signal timing. This project will realign Route 3042 (George Street) through the intersection to increase the efficiency of the signal timing at the intersection.

Realignment of the roadway will allow for a two-phase signal to replace the existing three-phase signal. The project will include new ADA compliant sidewalks and ramps within the intersection.

The project will be constructed in multiple stages with a detour for Route 3042 (George Street).

Construction is expected to begin in spring of 2028 and be completed by the fall of 2028.

Beginning Monday, June 23, information, including plans and interactive comment forms, can be found by visiting the PennDOT District 8 website, [PennDOT District 8](#), clicking Projects Near You listed on the left side of the page, then clicking District 8 Projects, and choosing Route 616 Main Street and George Street Reconstruction Project.

The purpose of the online display and open house is to introduce the project and receive public input regarding any questions or concerns.

Comments will be received through July 23, 2025.

The project documents can be made available in alternative languages or formats if requested. If you need translation/interpretation services or have special needs or have special concerns that require individual attention, contact Peter Roman, Senior Project Manager, at (717) 705-6187 or email at peroman@pa.gov.

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