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Cumberland County's Bridge Road Reopens Ahead of Schedule

Carlisle, PA – Bridge Road in East Pennsboro Township, Cumberland County, opened to vehicle and pedestrian traffic today, Monday, Nov. 17. The bridge had been closed since Oct. 24 for repairs and maintenance. Crews removed debris, made guide rail improvements, cleared vegetation and made structural repairs to the bridge's deck, piers, and beams.

The bridge, which carries approximately 800 vehicles each day across the Conodoguinet Creek, connects Magaro Road with Country Club Road.

Cumberland County owns 28 bridges, including nine shared with York County and 11 that span the Conodoguinet Creek.

The bridge project is part of a \$342,223 maintenance package that includes work on other county bridges. JDI Site Solutions from Adams County served as the contractor, with Herbert, Rowland & Grubic, Inc. acting as the county's bridge engineer.

This maintenance project is part of the county's ongoing Bridge Capital Improvement Program (CIP), a multiyear investment strategy to repair and replace the county's 28 bridges. Proactive repairs help ensure safe public use and prevent the need for load restrictions or permanent closures caused by deferred maintenance.

The CIP is funded primarily through the \$5 vehicle registration fee adopted in 2015, which generates about \$1.1 million annually to address critical bridge needs.

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