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PA Turnpike to Host Feb. 21 Open House at Souderton Area High School Forum will provide construction update on Northeastern Extension widening project.

The Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission (PTC) will hold an open house on Wednesday, Feb. 21 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the cafeteria at Souderton Area High School, 625 Lower Road, Souderton, PA, regarding the total reconstruction and widening project on the Northeastern Extension (Interstate 476) between mileposts A31-A38 in Lower Salford, Franconia and Salford townships in Montgomery County.

The two-hour open house will provide property owners living adjacent to the six-lane widening project between the Lansdale, Exit 31, and Quakertown, Exit 44, interchanges an opportunity to view informational displays and to meet with Turnpike officials and other project team members involved with the \$225 million project.

Additional project details will be available at the meeting, which the public is encouraged to attend. Residents may contact Kathleen Walter at the Pennsylvania Turnpike at 610-313-6383 for more information.

The overall project includes the full-depth reconstruction of seven miles of the Northeastern Extension - from the Lansdale Interchange, Montgomery County, to the Quakertown Interchange, Bucks County.

The new six-lane highway will also feature full, 12-foot shoulders to the left and right of the travel lanes.

This project is expected to be completed by the end of 2020, with the opening of north and southbound traffic to three lanes in each direction. Miscellaneous roadway work may continue through 2021.

For more detailed project updates, click here.