

ROUTE 427 RESURFACING PROJECT, VENANGO AND CRAWFORD COUNTIES

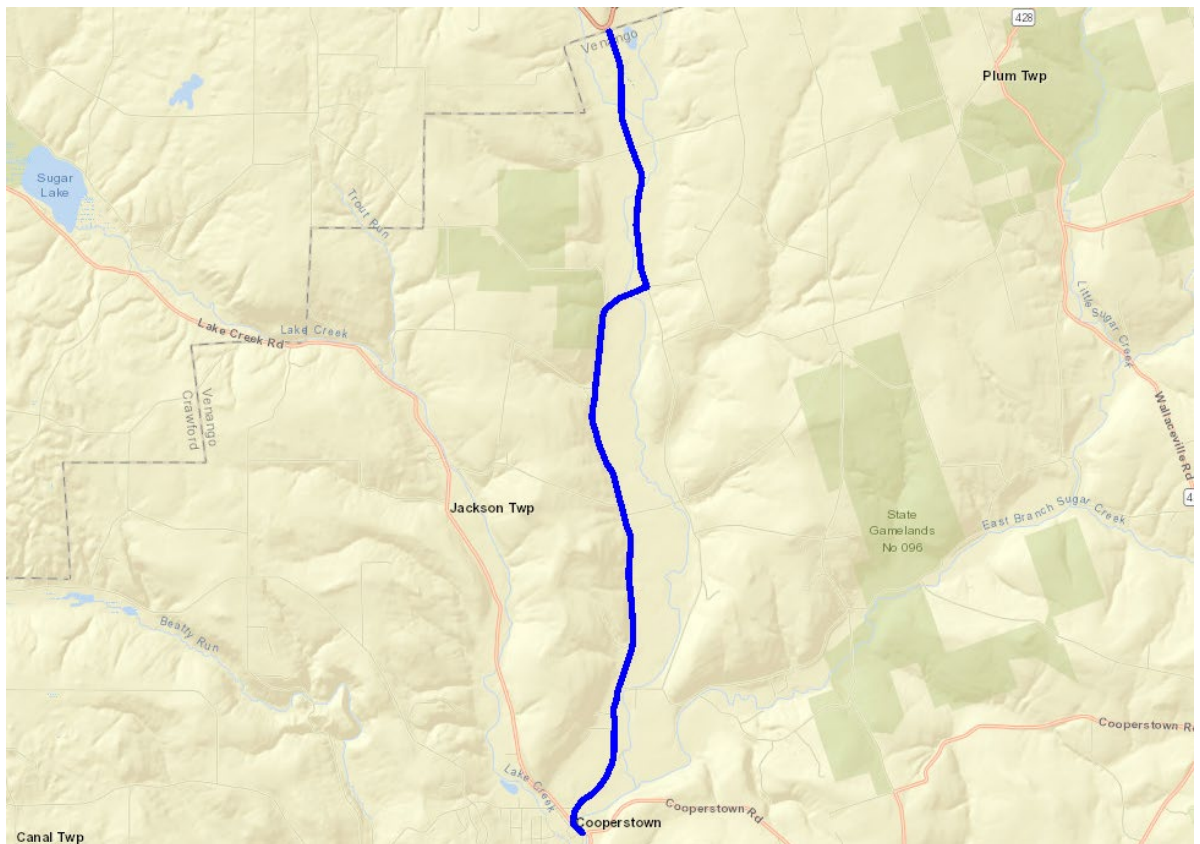
PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The purpose of the project is to improve the riding surface of the roadway. The project pavement has reached the end of its serviceable life cycle.

Route 427 has an average daily traffic volume of approximately 1,400 per day. It was last seal coated in 2013.

PROJECT AREA

The project includes 6 miles of roadway from the intersection with Factory Street in Cooperstown to the intersection with Route 27 in Troy Township.



PROPOSED PLAN

The proposed plan consists of adding two-foot-wide shoulders to the existing roadway and resurfacing the existing pavement. Drainage repairs will be performed, and the guiderail will be replaced along with the project signs. Tree trimming will also be performed within the project limits.

This project will require Right-of-Way acquisitions for the shoulder widening in portions of the project.

View Route 427 Resurfacing Project plans and complete the online comment at www.penndot.pa.gov/District1.

ANTICIPATED CONSTRUCTION

A contract for the project is expected to be award in 2024 with construction in 2025.

TRAFFIC IMPACTS

Traffic control will consist of single lane closures controlled by flagging operations. No detours are anticipated for this project.

CONSTRUCTION FUNDING

The estimated construction cost is \$5 to \$10 million and includes state and federal funds.

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 Matthew Hetrick, PennDOT Project Manager at mhetrick@pa.gov (814) 678-7386, or 255 Elm Street, Oil City, PA 16301. An online comment form for the Route 427 Resurfacing Project is also available at www.penndot.pa.gov/District1.