

ADAMS STREET / VIRGINIA AVENUE ROADWAY RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

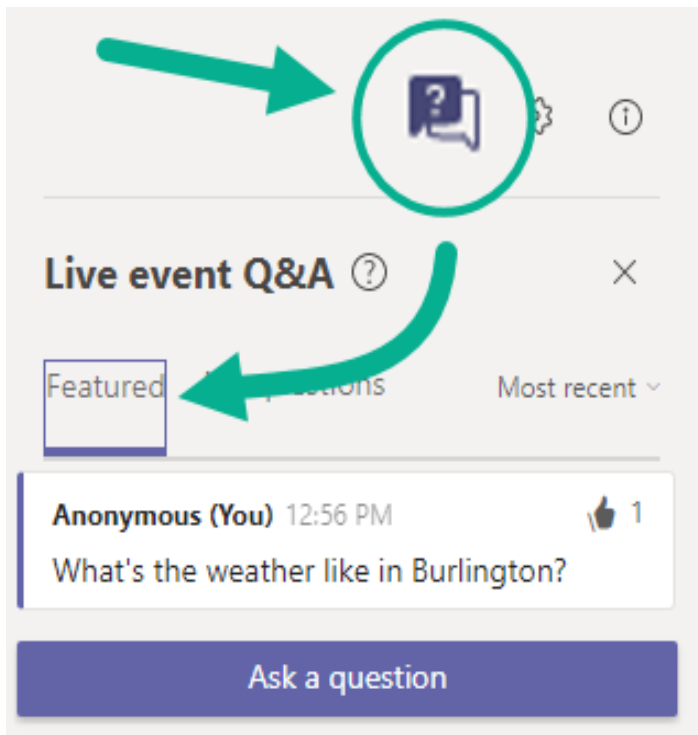


**SR 68-B45
ROCHESTER BOROUGH & ROCHESTER TOWNSHIP
BEAVER COUNTY**

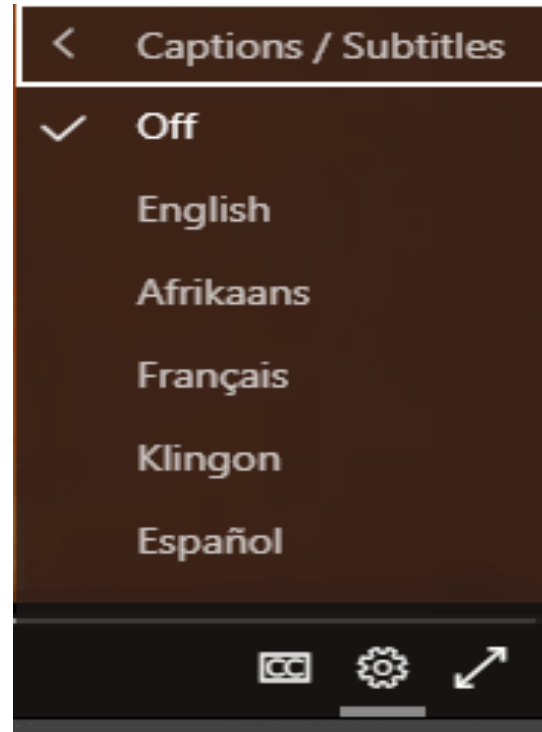
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MICROSOFT TEAMS LIVE NAVIGATION



Q&A Questions will be answered at the end of the presentation



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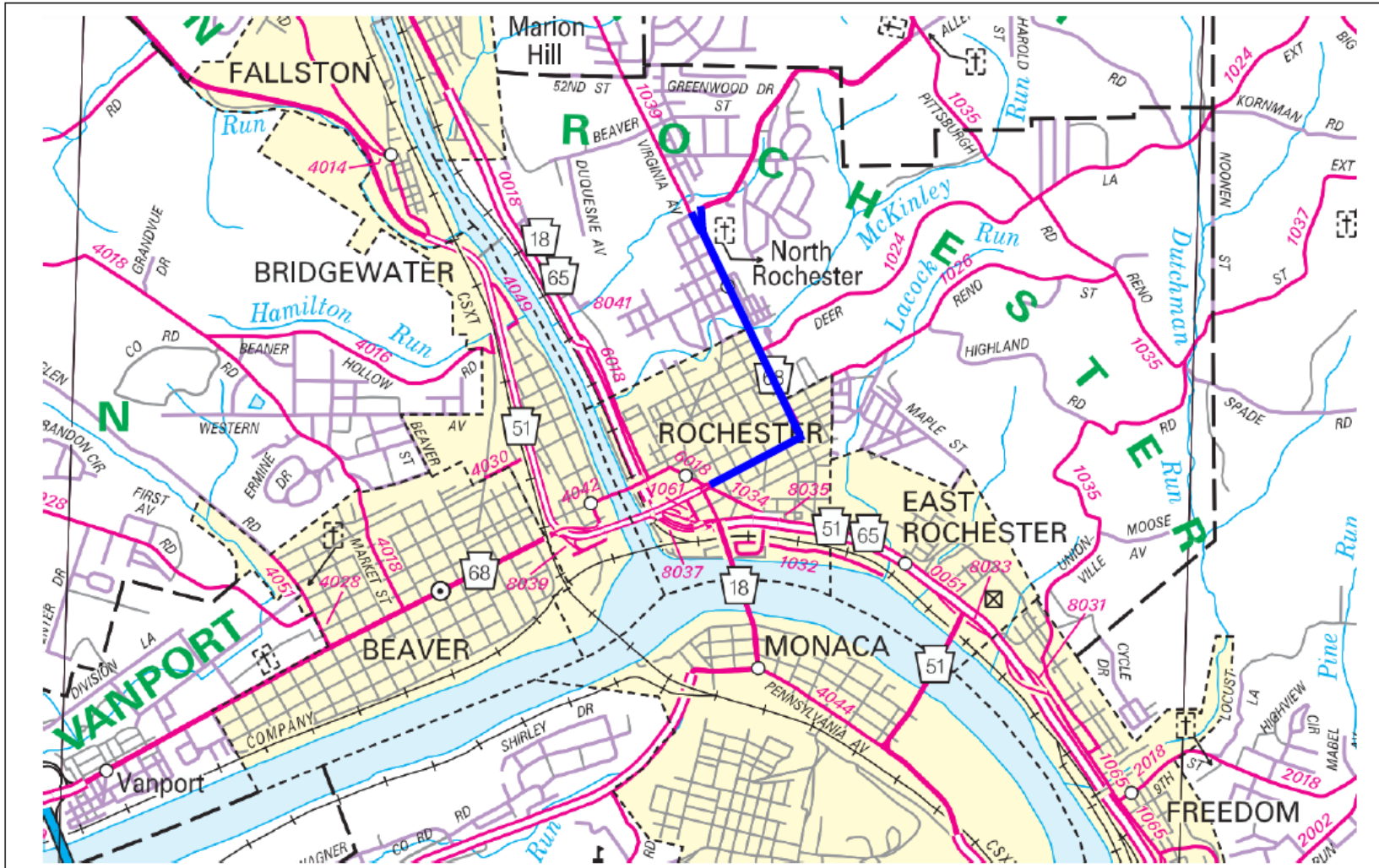


PROJECT TEAM

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PROJECT LOCATION



Begin Work:

SR 68 (Adams Street) at
Rochester Roundabout

End Work:

SR 68 (Virginia Avenue) at
Sunflower Road

Total Length:

1.3 miles



PURPOSE AND NEED



Project Purpose:

- To improve and extend the useful life of the existing pavement.

Project Need:

- The roadway surface is in poor condition throughout the corridor. Failing brick base is present under a portion of the asphalt roadway. Utility replacements and underground water below the pavement surface have further contributed to base failures within the project limits.



PROPOSED PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS



Construction Activities:

- Full width roadway reconstruction (8" asphalt / 6" subbase)
- Concrete curb replacement
- Drainage improvements and adjustments
- Guide rail updates
- Minor traffic signal work
- No ADA curb ramp updates anticipated (ramps constructed in 2012)
- Signing, pavement marking, delineation updates

Cost and Schedule:

- Estimated Construction Cost - *\$7.5 Million*
- Anticipated Construction Duration - *Spring 2025 – Summer 2026*

Estimated Construction Cost and Duration will be updated during Final Design.

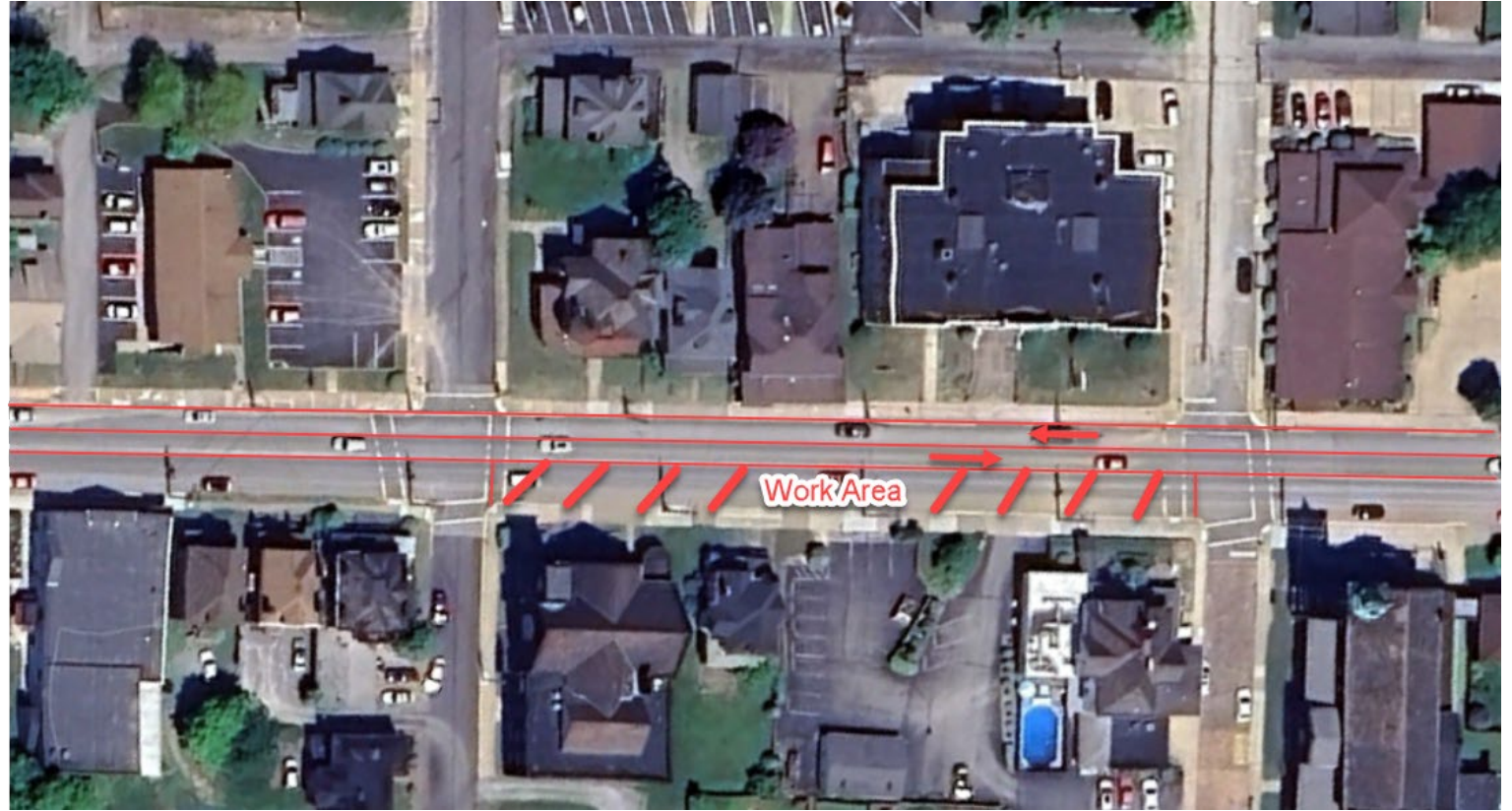


TRAFFIC CONTROL SUMMARY

- “Block-to-block” approach for reconstruction
- Adams Street
 - 2-11’ lanes (one in each direction of travel) will be maintained for a majority of construction
 - 1-11’ lane with alternating traffic may be necessary for some operations
 - Parking lanes will be utilized as needed for traffic shifts
- Virginia Avenue
 - 1-11’ lane will be maintained with alternating traffic during work hours
- Detours
 - Closure of SR 68 from Rochester roundabout to Vermont Avenue (2-3 weekends)
 - Closure of SR 68 from Pennsylvania Avenue to Jefferson Street (2-3 weekends)



TEMPORARY PARKING RESTRICTIONS



- No on-street parking will be permitted within the block of SR 68 where work is occurring.
- Parking will still be accessible on one side of the street in the block adjacent to the work zone when traffic is shifted.



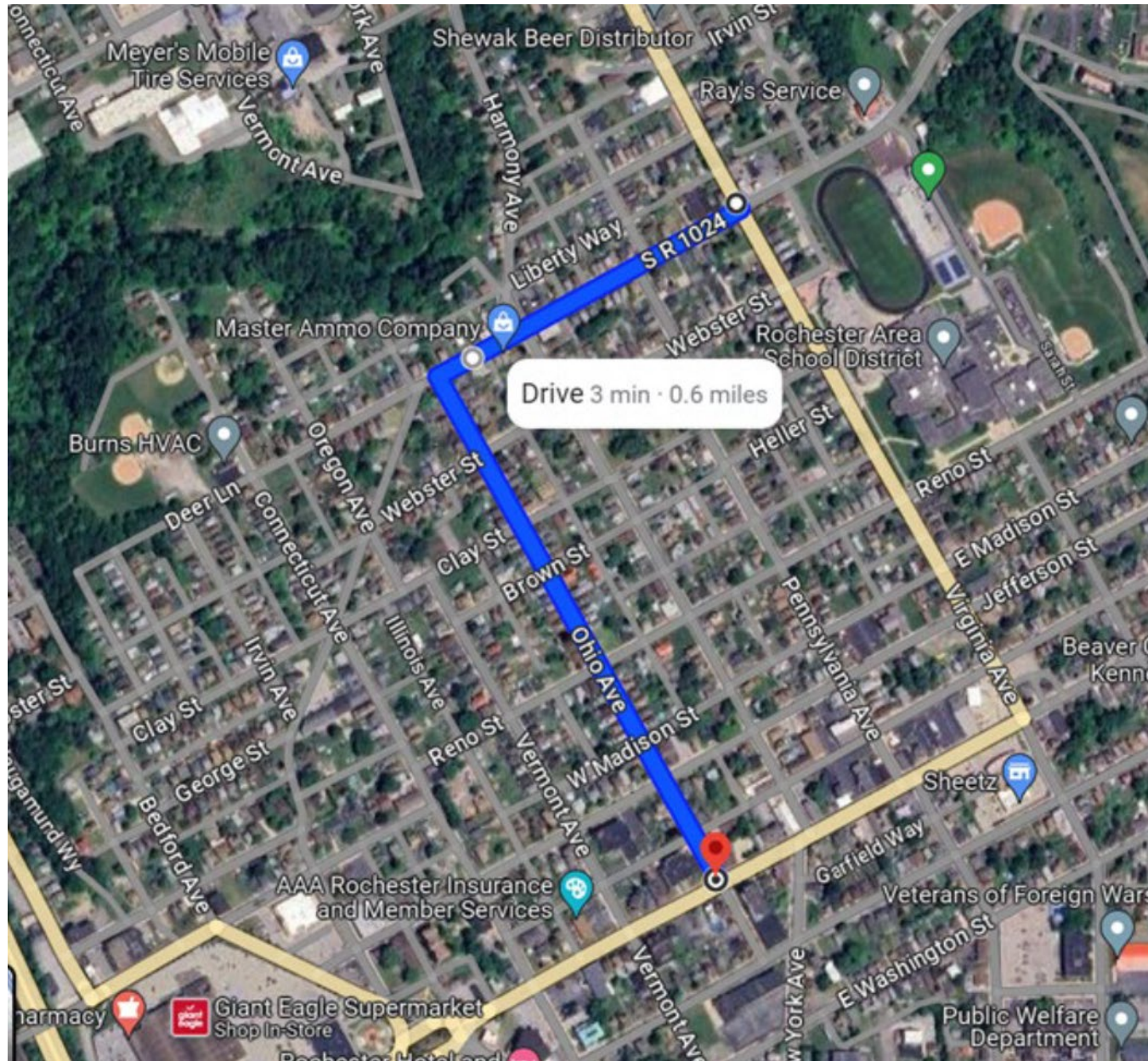
DETOUR ROUTE – ROUNDABOUT TO VERMONT AVENUE



- Traffic will utilize Rochester Borough roads Rhode Island Avenue, Harmony Avenue, and Deer Lane for the 2-3 weekend detour.
- Any damage to detour route will be repaired before the end of construction.



DETOUR ROUTE – ADAMS ST/VIRGINIA AVE INTERSECTION



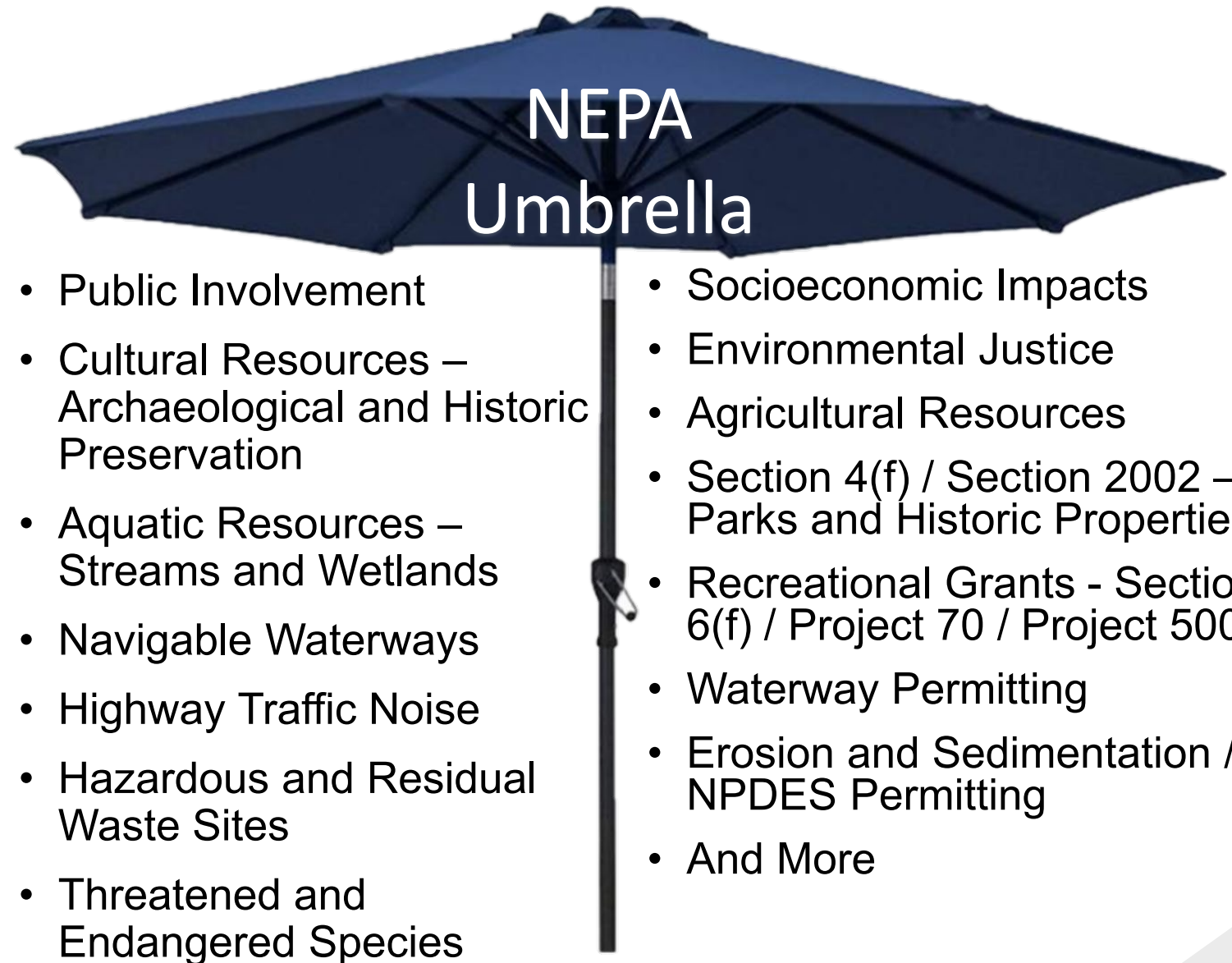
- Traffic will utilize Rochester Borough roads Ohio Avenue and Deer Lane for the 2-3 weekend detour.
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NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

Public outreach begins with PennDOT Connects and extends into the **NEPA** (National Environmental Policy Act) process:

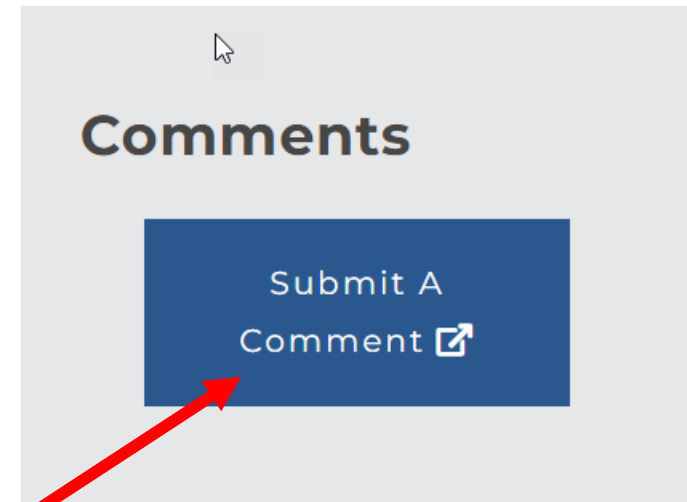
- PennDOT Connects is a project planning and development approach that engages local and planning partners by collaborating with stakeholders before project scopes are developed.
- NEPA requires agencies to integrate environmental values into their decision-making processes by considering the environmental impacts of their proposed actions and reasonable alternatives to those actions
- NEPA also includes public involvement activities and gathering feedback from the public
- This PowerPoint presentation is part of District 11-0's coordination with the public to obtain feedback on the project and to meet NEPA requirements.



SR 68-B45 PROJECT SURVEY

PLEASE COMPLETE THE PROJECT SURVEY

- The project survey can be found on the project website.
- Click the tile under Comment labeled “Submit A Comment” on the right side of the screen.



Click Here



QUESTIONS

Thank You For Your Attention!

Any Questions?



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