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The New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) cordially invites you to attend an informal Pre-Construction Public Information Center regarding the Route 46 over the Musconetcong River Bridge Deck Replacement project in Hackettstown Town, Warren County, Mt. Olive and Washington Townships in Morris County.

The Public Information Center is scheduled to be held on **Monday, June 30, 2014 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.** at the "Trinity House", 212 East Moore Street, Hackettstown, New Jersey. **Please plan to attend at a time that is convenient for you. Property owners of rental units are advised that tenants are invited and encouraged to participate.**

The project involves the replacement of the bridge deck on the Route 46 over the Musconetcong River Structure. Administered under the Department's Deck Replacement Program, the deck and superstructure are to be replaced in-kind with no widening or other significant geometric improvements. The NJDOT Structural Evaluation Unit has identified this structure as being in need of a deck replacement based on its condition rating for the deck. These structures are inspected every two years.

The design proposes that the entire superstructure be replaced with a superstructure (steel superstructure and concrete deck) assembled on site and moved into place during a one week closure of local Route 46 and the bridge. Motorists will utilize Route 182 and East Avenue as a local detour route. Regional truck traffic will be re-directed to other principal roadways.

Department representatives will be in attendance and available for questions from the public. Maps and plans will also be available for the public to view.

If you have any questions or concerns, or if you are physically challenged and require assistance in participating in the meeting, please feel free to contact me at (609) 530-2110.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Debbie Hirt". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "D".

Debbie Hirt
Community Relations Manager
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