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TO: Bob Crum, Secretary
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DATE: April 17, 2008

SUBJECT: COG Transportation Committee Recommendation about
2009-2012 Centre County Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

As noted in my February 11 and February 20, 2008 memoranda, the COG Transportation Committee has been reviewing all of the Centre Region projects included in the Centre County Metropolitan Planning Organization's (CCMPO's) Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP), and preparing recommendations to the CCMPO for consideration as the 2009-2012 Centre County TIP is developed.

At its April 16, 2008 meeting, the Transportation Committee approved the following recommendation about the State Route (SR) 2004 Linden Hall Road Cedar Run Box Culvert project in Harris Township (illustrated below), which is proposed for the TIP and LRTP:

- *Communicate to the CCMPO that the design and construction of the State Route (SR) 2004 Linden Hall Road Cedar Run Box Culvert project in Harris Township be advanced with, and in the same manner as, the SR 2006 Rock Hill Road Mackey Run Bridge project, also located in Harris Township. The project development process should consider the historic nature of the SR 2004 structure, community impacts, archaeological concerns, traffic calming, and context sensitive design. Given these elements, consideration should be given to replacing the existing structure with one that retains the existing roadway width.*

On behalf of the COG Transportation Committee, thank you for considering this recommendation as the 2009-2012 Centre County TIP is developed and the LRTP is updated in 2008.

