

2020 Road and Bridge

Annual awards program goes on the road

The annual Road and Bridge Safety Improvement Awards, sponsored by PSATS, the Pa. Highway Information Association (PHIA), and PennDOT, are normally presented at the PSATS Annual Educational Conference during the Excellence Awards ceremony. However, due to the cancellation of this year's conference, the Association traveled to the winning townships to present the awards. To view videos of the award presentations, go to www.psats.org, choose the "Programs & Services" tab, and click on "PSATS Award Programs."



Bridge Winner: Whitpain Township, Montgomery County



Representatives of Whitpain Township receive the Road and Bridge Safety Improvement Award for a bridge replacement project that addressed a deteriorating structure and frequent road flooding. From left are Township Engineer James Blanch, P.E.; Township Manager Roman Pronczak, P.E.; Township Supervisor Fred Conner; PHIA Managing Director Jason Wagner; Township Supervisor Jeffrey Campolongo; and PSATS Executive Director David Sanko.

Safety Improvement Awards

Roadway Winner: West Brunswick Township, Schuylkill County



Representatives of West Brunswick Township receive the Road and Bridge Safety Improvement Award for a road improvement project that cut back a bank and widened a sharp curve to improve safety for large vehicles that navigate the road. Neighboring townships also helped with the project. From left are West Brunswick Supervisor Peggy Pritchard and Secretary-Treasurer John Bogish, Tony Kaledas of Wayne Township, South Manheim Township Roadmaster Corby Lewis and Assistant Roadmaster Rick Alspach, West Brunswick Road Crewman Bob Degler and Supervisor and Roadmaster Todd Shappell, Kirk Freed of South Manheim Township, West Brunswick Supervisor and Road Crewman Ned Noecker, Wayne Township Assistant Roadmaster Luke Reber, West Brunswick Road Crewman Tim Dietzler, Wayne Township Supervisor and Roadmaster Ralph Fidler, PHIA Managing Director Jason Wagner, and PSATS Executive Director David Sanko.