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MEDIA ADVISORY: MONDAY – PennDOT, PA Turnpike, PSP, Construction Industry to Highlight National Work Zone Awareness Week

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Harrisburg, PA – On Monday, the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT), the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission (PA Turnpike), the Pennsylvania State Police (PSP), and Associated Pennsylvania Constructors (APC) will host a media event to honor roadway workers and urge motorists to slow down and pay attention in work zones as part of National Work Zone Awareness Week (NWZAW).

Commonwealth Avenue will be closed during the event and various construction equipment will be set-up, including the Work Zone Speed Safety Cameras program. The PennDOT and PA Turnpike worker memorials will also be on display in Soldier's Grove through Thursday, April 18.

WHO: Mike Carroll, Secretary, PennDOT Craig Shuey, Chief Operations Officer, PA Turnpike Colonel Christopher Paris, Commissioner, PSP Robert Latham, Executive Vice President, APC

WHEN: Monday, April 15 at 11:00 AM

WHERE: Soldier's Grove, 531-559 Commonwealth Ave, Harrisburg, PA 17120 (Behind the Capitol Building)

RSVP: Media interested in attending should RSVP with the name of reporter/photographer to <u>DOTcomm@pa.gov</u>.