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Basic Information

Pennsylvania [42] Montgomery County [091] Lower Frederick [44912] S.RTE.73/RTE.29 13J05 40-16-30 = 40.275000 075-29-06 = - 75.485000
 467206003020390 Highway agency district 6 Owner Town or Township Highway Agency [03] Maintenance responsibility Town or Township Highway Agency [03]

Route 0 GERLOFF ROAD Toll On free road [3] Features intersected SWAMP CREEK

Design - main Steel [3] Design - approach Other [00] Kilometerpoint 0 km = 0.0 mi
 1 Arch - Thru [12] 0 Other [00] Year built 1888 Year reconstructed 1998
 Skew angle 0 Structure Flared
 Historical significance Bridge is eligible for the NRHP. [2]

Total length 42.1 m = 138.1 ft Length of maximum span 40.8 m = 133.9 ft Deck width, out-to-out 5.3 m = 17.4 ft Bridge roadway width, curb-to-curb 4.6 m = 15.1 ft
 Inventory Route, Total Horizontal Clearance 4.6 m = 15.1 ft Curb or sidewalk width - left 0 m = 0.0 ft Curb or sidewalk width - right 0 m = 0.0 ft

Deck structure type Open Grating [3]
 Type of wearing surface
 Deck protection
 Type of membrane/wearing surface

Weight Limits

Bypass, detour length 0.6 km = 0.4 mi Method to determine inventory rating Load Factor(LF) [1] Inventory rating 37.2 metric ton = 40.9 tons
 Method to determine operating rating Load Factor(LF) [1] Operating rating 61.7 metric ton = 67.9 tons
 Bridge posting Equal to or above legal loads [5] Design Load M 13.5 / H 15 [2]

Functional Details

Average Daily Traffic Average daily truck traffi % Year Future average daily traffic Year

Road classification Lanes on structure Approach roadway width

Type of service on bridge Direction of traffic Bridge median

Parallel structure designation

Type of service under bridge Lanes under structure Navigation control

Navigation vertical clearanc Navigation horizontal clearance

Minimum navigation vertical clearance, vertical lift bridge Minimum vertical clearance over bridge roadway

Minimum lateral underclearance reference feature

Minimum lateral underclearance on right Minimum lateral underclearance on left

Minimum Vertical Underclearance Minimum vertical underclearance reference feature

Appraisal ratings - underclearances

Repair and Replacement Plans

Type of work to be performed

Work done by

Bridge improvement cost Roadway improvement cost

Length of structure improvement Total project cost

Year of improvement cost estimate

Border bridge - state Border bridge - percent responsibility of other state

Border bridge - structure number

Inspection and Sufficiency

Structure status	<input type="text" value="Open, no restriction [A]"/>	Appraisal ratings - structural	<input type="text" value="Better than present minimum criteria [7]"/>
Condition ratings - superstructure	<input type="text" value="Good [7]"/>	Appraisal ratings - roadway alignment	<input type="text" value="Equal to present desirable criteria [8]"/>
Condition ratings - substructure	<input type="text" value="Good [7]"/>	Appraisal ratings - deck geometry	<input type="text" value="Basically intolerable requiring high priority of replacement [2]"/>
Condition ratings - deck	<input type="text" value="Good [7]"/>		
Scour	<input type="text" value="Bridge foundations determined to be stable for the assessed or calculated scour condition. [8]"/>		
Channel and channel protection	<input type="text" value="Bank is beginning to slump. River control devices and embankment protection have widespread minor damage. There is minor stream bed movement evident. Debris is restricting the channel slightly. [6]"/>		
Appraisal ratings - water adequacy	<input type="text" value="Better than present minimum criteria [7]"/>	Status evaluation	<input type="text" value="Functionally obsolete [2]"/>
Pier or abutment protection	<input type="text"/>	Sufficiency rating	<input type="text" value="76"/>
Culverts	<input type="text" value="Not applicable. Used if structure is not a culvert. [N]"/>		
Traffic safety features - railings	<input type="text" value="Inspected feature meets currently acceptable standards. [1]"/>		
Traffic safety features - transitions	<input type="text" value="Inspected feature meets currently acceptable standards. [1]"/>		
Traffic safety features - approach guardrail	<input type="text" value="Inspected feature meets currently acceptable standards. [1]"/>		
Traffic safety features - approach guardrail ends	<input type="text" value="Inspected feature meets currently acceptable standards. [1]"/>		
Inspection date	<input type="text" value="March 2009 [0309]"/>	Designated inspection frequency	<input type="text" value="24"/> Months
Underwater inspection	<input type="text" value="Unknown [N00]"/>	Underwater inspection date	<input type="text"/>
Fracture critical inspection	<input type="text" value="Unknown [N00]"/>	Fracture critical inspection date	<input type="text"/>
Other special inspection	<input type="text" value="Unknown [N00]"/>	Other special inspection date	<input type="text"/>