Section 106 Consultation in Transportation Projects: the PA SHPO Perspective
Get Involved: A Party of One is No Fun!
Importance of Local Involvement

- Awareness of local concerns
- Source of additional information on historic properties
- On-the-ground check and balance
- Meaningful mitigation outcomes
EFFECTIVE CONSULTATION
Tips for Reaching Consensus

• Seek to understand and acknowledge project needs – come with ideas!

• Be clear about preservation concerns

• Allow project applicant/agency time & opportunity to present their views

• Identify shared interests
IDENTIFICATION:
CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS BRIDGE
Crawford County
ASSESSMENT OF EFFECTS:
FISHER MILL ROAD BRIDGE
Berks County
ASSESSMENT OF EFFECTS:
FETTERS MILL ROAD BRIDGE
Montgomery County
RESOLUTION OF ADVERSE EFFECTS:
Cold Springs Bridge
Lehigh County
How to Get Involved?

• Be aware of projects in your community – it’s never too early!!

• Make your concerns known to project sponsors and SHPO early on

• Ask to be included in the Section 106 process

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