



News from the Ohio Turnpike

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For Immediate Release:

Ohio Turnpike Invites Public to join Employee families at Open House Events

BEREA (Nov. 12, 2014) – November is the month in which we give thanks. In that spirit, the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission is thanking its Employees for a job well done and hosting their families and friends at Open Houses at each of its eight Maintenance Buildings on **Saturday, Nov. 15**. Citizens from neighboring communities also are invited to join Ohio Turnpike Maintenance Crews and their families to see the heavy equipment up close and to meet the employees who take care of the Turnpike.

Equipment will be on display and available for demonstrations. Light refreshments and beverages and prizes for children will be provided free of charge.

“During the Thanksgiving season it's the perfect time to thank employees and their families for all the late night snow and ice work hours they encounter during winter. We also want to thank our customers and neighboring communities for all their support through the years. We encourage the public to come out and meet the people and see the equipment that will be ensuring their safe travel this winter,” said Robin Carlin, Interim Executive Director of the Ohio Turnpike.



Snowplow equipment will be on display at the Turnpike’s Maintenance Buildings.

NOTE: The Public is not permitted to enter maintenance facility properties from the Turnpike mainline but must instead access the following Turnpike facilities from local roadways.

WESTERN OHIO OPEN HOUSE LOCATIONS:

10:00 a.m. – noon:

Kunkle Maintenance Building, 13643 County Road 17, Pioneer, Ohio, 43554

Elmore Maintenance Building, 20100 West S.R. 105, Elmore, Ohio, 43416

1:00-3:00 p.m.:

Swanton Maintenance Building, 8891 County Road #1, Swanton, Ohio, 43558

Castalia Maintenance Building, 7201 State Route 269, Castalia, Ohio, 44824

EASTERN OHIO OPEN HOUSE LOCATIONS:

10:00 a.m. – noon:

Amherst Maintenance Building, 7800 Oberlin Road, Amherst, Ohio, 44035

Hiram Maintenance Building, 9196 State Route 700, Windham, Ohio, 44288

1:00-3:00 p.m.:

Boston Maintenance Building, 3245 Boston Mills Road, Richfield, Ohio, 44286

Canfield Maintenance Building, 6896 Tippecanoe Road, Canfield, Ohio, 44406

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The Ohio Turnpike is a 241-mile toll road offering one of the safest, best and most convenient routes for motorists to reach east/west destinations along the northern corridor of Ohio. The Ohio Turnpike & Infrastructure Commission provides excellent customer service and amenities to meet travelers' wants and needs, including state-of-the-art service plazas, a variety of restaurant choices, and routine maintenance for a smooth, pleasant trip. For a better travel experience, choose the Ohio Turnpike.