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PRESS RELEASE

Completion of the Replacement of the Pleasant Valley Road Bridge over the Podunk River

For your information, we are happy to announce the substantial completion of the replacement of the Pleasant Valley Road Bridge over the Podunk River. The bridge will be open to motorists on Friday, December 1st, 2023, around 10:00 a.m.

This project began in June 2023, and work included removing the existing old bridge and abutments, and constructing new abutments, wingwalls, concrete bridge beams, a new deck and parapet walls, repaving the road over the new bridge and new guiderails. This project was done by O&G Industries, Inc.

The original bridge was constructed in 1929 and was last reconstructed in 1998. The intention is for this new bridge to last another 40-80 years. We thank you for your patience while this bridge was replaced.

There will be an opening ceremony at the new bridge on Friday, December 1, 2023, at 9:00 a.m.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Doolittle, P.E.
Town Engineer/Assistant Director of Public Works

Cc: Vincent Stetson, Director of Public Works