

ASHE NORTH-CENTRAL NJ SECTION PRESENTS:

Reconstructing the Kew Gardens Interchange

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The Kew Gardens Interchange is the complex intersection of the Grand Central Parkway, the Van Wyck Expressway, the Jackie Robinson Parkway and Union Turnpike, serving nearly 600,000 vehicles daily. The Department is making a number of operational improvements at the interchange to enhance safety and improve traffic flow with four construction contracts worth more than \$700 million.

Phase IV, ongoing, is tying together the improvements already made during the first three phases of construction. The project is installing five new bridges and replacing six existing bridges; widening travel lanes and shoulders; improving on and off ramps to enhance traffic flow; changing lane configurations for safer merging and exiting; improving sight distance; updating signage; and making lighting, drainage and landscaping improvements.

DATE: Wednesday, December 1, 2021 (NOTE – Change from normal meeting date)

LOCATION: Virtual Meeting - REMO Conferencing (allows for virtual networking session before

presentation – see "**NEW REMO USERS**" section below)

TIME: 4:00 PM Social Hour; 5:00 PM Presentation

COST: \$20 ASHE Member (NCNJ, SNJ, NY Metro, East Penn, DelVal or any other ASHE Section)

\$35 Non-Member

\$20 Government Employee

\$0 Student with current Student ID

Registration will be online only. If you wish to register and not use a credit/debit card then select the "Invoice Me" option.

You will receive an email confirmation of your registration with the meeting Remo link once payment is made. You must contact the Section Treasurer Robert Nash by email (RNash@bucharthorn.com) if paying by check in order to receive the Remo link.

All registrations will close promptly at 5:00 PM November 30th

Online Registration link: https://ashencnj.wildapricot.org/events

(once registered, you will receive a follow up email with private link and further instructions)

Contact Information: Robert Nash, Treasurer C/O, Buchart Horn Inc. (856) 797-4338 or RNash@bucharthorn.com

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- The above guide includes a test to check your browser, computer, microphone, and speaker compatibility ahead of time. Chrome, Safari and Firefox are the recommended browsers. REMO isn't yet fully compatible with MS Internet Explorer (IE) or Edge.
- Make sure REMO is not firewalled by your IT Department.
- Further instructions are to be provided in your confirmation email with private link to the virtual session (after you registered to event).

ASHE NCNJ Remaining 2021 – 2022 Program: (at this time all presentations except the golf outing and potential field trip are anticipated to be virtual)

- January 20, 2022- Rehab of Bridge W-43 over the Shark River in the Boroughs of Belmar and Avon-by-the-Sea, Monmouth County- HNTB
- February 10, 2022- GSP Shoulder Widening, MP 30-35, Atlantic County- Gannett Fleming
- March 10, 2022- Halls Mills Road, Monmouth County- T&M Associates
- April 14, 2022- Project of the Year- pending with further detail to come
- May 5, 2022- Golf Outing
- June 9, 2022- Field Trip- Rutgers CAIT- pending

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