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John T. Kennedy, P.E., Resource & Delivery Engineer
Engineering District 8-0
pennsylvania

FAMOUS ASCOT WEARERS

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- CHANGES IN DESIGN UNIT SINCE ASHE 2016……
  - Christopher Drda, P.E. named Asst. District Executive for Design (9/16)
  - Richard Reisinger, P.E., named Design Services Engineer (02/17)
  - John Kennedy, P.E., named Resource & Delivery Engineer (03/17)
  - Anthony (Tony) Berger, P.E., named Acting Portfolio Manager (03/17)
- POTENTIAL CHANGES TO RETIREMENT SYSTEM ……
  - Gov's 2017-2018 Budget include request to allow early retirement window
  - 14 our of 19 most senior managers across entire District could be eligible
  - In Design, 6 out of 11 senior managers could be eligible
- THIS MORNING'S AGENDA……
  - Michael Keiser, P.E. District Executive
  - Christopher Drda, P.E.
  - Anthony (Tony) Berger, P.E.
  - Brandon Dean & Christopher McKee
  - Mark Malhenzie & Gregory (Greg) Penny

TURNING OVER A NEW LEAF

- **NAMED RESOURCE & DELIVERY ENGR**
  - NEW POSITION CREATED IN LATE 2016
  - VARIETY OF DUTIES &RESPONSIBILITIES
    - PENNDOT CONNECTS
    - MULTIMODAL PROGRAM MANAGER
    - UPDATING INTERSTATE MNGMNT PLANS
    - GREEN LIGHT GO PROGRAM
- **MY 13TH (AND LAST??) ASHE PRESENTATION**

MICHAEL KEISER, P.E.

- BSPE from Penn State
- Started with 8-0 in 1986
  - Civil Engineer in Design (1987)
  - Consultant Liaison Engr(1989)
  - Plans Engineer (1997)
  - Highway Design Engr (1999)
  - ADE for Design in 5-0 (2008)
  - DE in 8-0 (2010)

CHRISTOPHER DRDA, P.E.

- BSCE from Penn State
- Started career at Conn. DOT (1986)
- Joined PennDOT in 1-0 (1987)
  - Promoted to BOD (1994)
  - Promoted to BOCM (1996)
  - Named CAD Chief (2003)
  - Design Services Engr in 8-0 (2010)
  - ADE for Design (2016)
- Two time award winner of Secretary's Award for Excellence
  (one of two known alive to ever to achieve this, who was the other ????)

GREGORY PENNY

- BA from
- Masters 0)
- Started c
- PA Lotter
- Deputy P 2)
- Special A 87)
- CRC for D
- "Hardest 3-0",
  Frank Cozzoli,
- District's very own Ari Fleischer (W's press sec)

ANTHONY BERGER, P.E.

- BSCE from Univ. of Pittsburgh
- Joined PennDOT District 9-0 (1998)
  - District Maintenance Unit (1999)
  - Highway Design Unit (2001)
  - Planning/Programming Mngr (2002)
  - Bedford County Asst. Mngr (2004)
  - Joined District 8-0 (2014)
  - Planning & Programming Mngr
  - Acting Portfolio Manager (2017)

MARK MALHENZIE

- BSCE Penn State
- Joined PennDOT 8-0 in 1992
  - CE in Highway Design (1993)
  - Project Manager in 2001
  - Senior PM in 2003
- Recent recipient of Secretary's Award for Excellence

BRANDON DEAN

- BSCE from Univ. of Maryland
- Started career at Indian Head Naval Base (2005)
- Joined J. Michael Brill Engineering (2006)
- Came to District 8-0 (2011)
  - Bridge, APRAS Unit (2011)
  - Civil Engineer Highway Design (2014)
  - Highway Design Project Mngr (2014)

CHRISTOPHER MCKEE

- BSCE from Penn Tech
- Joined PennDOT in 8-0 (2009)
- Design unit since 2010
  - Civil Engineer Highway Design Unit (2010)
  - Highway Design Project Manager (2013)

THANK YOU

?? QUESTIONS ??