

## Reading Drive Trailhead

In April Township Public Works crews were busy constructing and paving the trailhead parking lot which is expected to be re-opened to the public in mid-May. The 2.2 acre property, located off of Reading Drive at the intersection with Bingen Road, was acquired by the Township in 2012 with the assistance of a state grant and open space funding. It is adjacent to the Saucon Rail Trail and

midway between the Hellertown Borough and Upper Saucon Township trailheads on the current 5-mile Phase I portion of this trail. The Reading Drive Trailhead will



provide parking spaces, toilet facilities and a picnic area for trail users. The Saucon Rail Trail Oversight Commission is currently conducting a fund raising campaign for a water fountain to be located at the trailhead, and it is hoped that an information kiosk similar to the ones located at the Hellertown and Upper Saucon trailheads can be added to the site in the future through the efforts of a Boy Scout project.