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Wawa Continues to Grow in Central PA Stretching Further West Along the Susquehanna River
Expansion of Existing Markets Part of Wawa's Plans to Serve More Customers with its One-of-a-Kind Offering and Commitment to its Communities

June 23, 2022 – Wawa is excited to announce plans to spread its wings further and expand its footprint in Central Pennsylvania along the Susquehanna River. Wawa is currently in Berks and Lancaster Counties with 17 stores serving those communities for more than two decades. Current plans are for Wawa to double its store count over the next 3 to 5 years with its first store as early as 2024, with the potential for up to 40 additional stores in Central Pennsylvania communities.

“With a commitment to fulfilling lives, we’re thrilled to continue our growth and expansion in our existing markets to provide quality fresh food, beverages and support to the community,” said John Poplawski, Vice President of Real Estate for Wawa. “In addition, Wawa’s continued expansion will mean even more convenience and new jobs in the Central Pennsylvania community.”

About Wawa’s Growth & Expansion

Wawa continues to open stores throughout its current markets and is set to open 54 new stores in 2022. Additionally, Wawa has plans to enter new, adjacent markets in the next few years. Every new Wawa store employs on average up to 40 people from the community. For information on stores currently under construction or upcoming grand openings, please visit www.wawa.com. To submit a site suggestion in Central PA please complete this form here: <https://www.wawa.com/about/real-estate/site-submission>

About Wawa’s Core Purpose

Wawa’s core purpose is Fulfilling Lives, Every Day. It captures Wawa’s special place in the world and recognizes Wawa’s higher calling beyond convenience and satisfaction. It inspires Wawa associates to create meaningful personal connections and make a real difference in the lives of customers, communities and each other, every day.

About Wawa, Inc.

Wawa, Inc., a privately held company, began in 1803 as an iron foundry in New Jersey. Toward the end of the 19th Century, owner George Wood took an interest in dairy farming and the family began a small processing plant in Wawa, PA in 1902. The milk business was a huge success, due to its quality, cleanliness and “certified” process. As home delivery of milk declined in the early 1960s, Grahame Wood, George’s grandson, opened the first Wawa Food Market in 1964 as an outlet for dairy products. Today, Wawa is your all day, every day stop for freshly prepared foods, beverages, coffee, fuel services and surcharge-free ATMs. Wawa stores are located in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, Florida and Washington, D.C. The stores offer a large fresh foodservice selection, including Wawa brands such as custom prepared hoagies, freshly-brewed coffee, hot breakfast sandwiches, specialty beverages and an assortment of soups, sides and snacks. Forbes.com Ranks Wawa as #29 of America’s Largest Private Companies in 2021 and #12 on Forbes 100 Halo List in 2022. For more information, visit us on www.wawa.com or follow us on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram at @wawa.

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