

# L&NE 611 IS HOME



On September 29, 1948, 611 was delivered to the L&NE. Unbelievably, sixty eight years later, thanks to the efforts of the **Lehigh & New England Railroad Preservation Society** and the **Lehigh Valley Chapter, NRHS/Railroad Historians of the Lehigh Valley**, the unit has been returned to its home in eastern Pennsylvania. Long forgotten, the only surviving diesel locomotive from the Lehigh and New England Railroad's all Alco roster is finally home! One of the most at-risk and yet unpreserved pieces of railroad history is finally safe.

Much hard work has been done to make this historic undertaking happen. Getting the locomotive from its long-time home in Indiana back to Pennsylvania is the first step in restoring this unit to its as-built appearance. Many have rejoiced that they will be able to see a real L&NE locomotive in wearing black and white paint with a fried egg emblem.

It will be a day to rejoice when it is released in its L&NE paint, but that day won't happen without your help! Restoring and painting the locomotive will require investments of time and money. The Lehigh Valley Chapter, NRHS is accepting donations of any kind toward this worthwhile goal. We are a 501(c)3 organization recognized by the IRS. Please consider donating to this important restoration that is preserving the legacy of the much celebrated L&NE!



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**LEHIGH VALLEY CHAPTER, NRHS**

**1266 RIVERVIEW DRIVE**

**WALNUTPORT, PA 18088**

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