Route 4 westbound lane and ramp closures next week in Paramus Utility pole work requires daytime closure Monday through Friday

(Trenton) - New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced the right lane on Route 4 westbound and the Route 4 ramps to and from Paramus Road are scheduled to be closed and detoured in Paramus next week, beginning on Monday, October 21.

From 9 a.m. until 3 p.m., daily Monday, October 21 through Friday, October 25, PSE&G is scheduled to close the right lane on Route 4 westbound, the ramp from Paramus Road northbound to Route 4 westbound and the ramp from Route 4 westbound to Paramus Road southbound to permanently transfer wires from temporary poles to new poles. The following signed detours will be in place:

**Paramus Road northbound ramp to Route 4 westbound detour:**
- Motorists on Paramus Road northbound wishing to take Route 4 westbound will be directed to take the ramp to Route 4 eastbound
- Take Route 4 eastbound and stay right when the roadway splits
- Take the second Exit for Ikea Drive/U-turn
- At the light, use the left 2 lanes to turn onto the ramp for Route 4 west

**Route 4 westbound ramp to Paramus Road southbound detour:**
- Motorists on Route 4 westbound wishing to take the ramp to Paramus Road southbound will be directed to continue on Route 4 westbound
- Stay right to take Route 208 north/Oakland
- Take the exit for Plaza Road /Fair Lawn
- At the traffic signal at the end of the ramp turn right onto Plaza Road
- Go under the overpass and take the ramp onto Route 208 southbound
- Stay right and take the Exit for Saddle River Road south/To Garden State Parkway
- Stay right to get on Saddle River Road south
- At the traffic turn left onto Red Mill Road
- Turn right onto Paramus Road southbound

The utility work is part of a $5 million project that replaced the deck on the Paramus Road Bridge over Route 4 earlier this year. The precise timing of the work is subject to change due to weather or other factors. Motorists are encouraged to check NJDOT’s traffic information website [www.511nj.org](http://www.511nj.org) for real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter [@NJDOT_info](http://twitter.com/NJDOT_info) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](http://www.facebook.com/NJDOThome).
Please note, the NJDOT Communications Office has a new phone number – 609-963-1975.