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I-295/Route 42 Missing Moves project that will add ramps between the two roadways begins in Camden County Overnight lane closures necessary on I-295 and Route 42

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced the start of a new project to provide the “Missing Moves” between I-295 and Route 42 in Bellmawr, Camden County.

The \$180 million federally-funded project will build new ramps connecting Route 42 northbound to I-295 southbound, and I-295 northbound to Route 42 southbound in order to allow for the direct movement of traffic between the two roadways. These are commonly known as the “missing moves.” The initial work includes a series of lane closures on I-295 and Route over the next week.

I-295 lane closures

Beginning at 8 p.m. tomorrow, Saturday, March 21, until 6 a.m., Sunday, March 22, NJDOT’s contractor, South State Inc., is scheduled to close two lanes of I-295 northbound from Big Timber Creek to Route 42 to restripe the roadway to implement a traffic shift. At least one lane will be maintained overnight. By Sunday morning, all three lanes of traffic will be reopened and shifted to the left.

On Monday, March 23 from 8 p.m. until 6 a.m., Tuesday, March 24, the right lane on I-295 southbound is scheduled to be closed from before the Creek Road overpass to the Almonesson Road overpass to place construction barrier.

On Tuesday, March 24 from 8 p.m. until 6 a.m., Wednesday, March 25, the right lane on I-295 northbound is scheduled to be closed from the Almonesson Road overpass to past the Creek Road overpass to place construction barrier.

Route 42 lane closures

Beginning on Monday, March 30 from 8 p.m. until 6 a.m. the next day, and continuing for several nights, Route 42 northbound is scheduled to have two lanes closed between Route 55 and Creek Road for drainage work.

The majority of the project will be built off of the roadways and will have minimal impact on traffic on Route 42 and I-295. The project is expected to be completed in late 2023.

Variable messaging signs are being utilized to provide advance notification to the motoring public of all traffic pattern changes associated with the work. NJDOT will provide information before any lane closures are scheduled.

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 for construction updates and real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter [@NJDOT_info](https://twitter.com/NJDOT_info) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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