



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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Route 18 northbound lane closures this week as sign structure replacement project begins in Monmouth County **Lane closures required to install construction barrier**

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced overnight lane closures on Route 18 this week as a sign structure replacement project begins in Marlboro, Monmouth County.

Beginning at 8 p.m. tonight, Monday, October 5, until 6 a.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, October 6, NJDOT's contractor, J.F. Creamer & Son, is scheduled to close the right lane and shoulder on Route 18 northbound near the Route 79 interchange. This closure will allow the contractor to install construction barrier in the shoulder, creating a work zone for sign structure replacement. One lane of traffic will be maintained overnight.

Beginning at 8 p.m. Tuesday, October 6, until 6 a.m. Wednesday, October 7, the left lane and shoulder on Route 18 southbound near the Route 79 interchange is scheduled to be closed. This closure will allow the contractor to install construction barrier, creating a work zone for sign structure replacement. One lane of traffic will be maintained overnight.

The \$9.2 million state-funded project will replace overhead sign structures in various locations on Route 18, Route 29, Route 33, Route 202, and I-295. Work is beginning on Route 18 and will move to other locations as the project advances.

Variable Message Signs are being used to provide advance notification of all traffic pattern changes associated with the sign structure replacement project. 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 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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