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Route 19 lane closures next week as a pavement preservation project begins in Passaic County

Project will enhance safety along nearly three miles of roadway

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced daytime lane closures on Route 19 between Colfax Avenue/CR 609 and Marshall Street/Broad Street next week as a pavement preservation project begins in Clifton and Paterson, Passaic County. This work was originally scheduled to begin Monday, October 12.

Beginning at 7 a.m., Monday, October 19, until 4 p.m., and continuing daily Monday through Friday for approximately one month, NJDOT's contractor, Della Pello Inc., is scheduled to close the left lane in each direction of Route 19 between Colfax Avenue/CR 609 in Clifton and Marshall Street/Broad Street in Paterson for the construction of a median barrier, as well as curb work and ADA improvements. One lane will remain open at all times during construction.

The \$7.9 million federally-funded project will extend the functional life of the roadway and improve ride quality on approximately three miles of Route 19 between Colfax Avenue/CR 609 to Marshall Street/South Broad. It will include resurfacing of all travel lanes, upgrading traffic signals at all intersections within the project limits, construction of a 41 inch high concrete median for added safety, and upgrading the existing guiderails. It also includes the refurbishment of crosswalks and other ADA improvements. The project is anticipated to be complete by late fall 2021.

Variable Message Signs will provide advance notification to motorists of the traffic pattern changes associated with the work. 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) and on the [NJDOT Facebook page](https://www.facebook.com/NJDOT).

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