



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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Route 19 lane closures begin next week as a pavement preservation project advances in Passaic County **Closures necessary for median and curb work**

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced lane closures on Route 19 between Colfax Avenue/CR 609 and Marshall Street/Broad Street beginning next week as a pavement preservation project advances in Clifton and Paterson, Passaic County.

Beginning at 7 a.m., Monday, October 26, NJDOT's contractor, Della Pello Inc., is scheduled to close the left lane in each direction on Route 19 between Colfax Avenue/CR 609 in Clifton and Marshall Street/Broad Street in Paterson for approximately two months for 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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