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Route 206 pavement project begins next week in Springfield and Mansfield, Burlington County Daytime shoulder closures required in preparation for milling and paving

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced the start of a pavement preservation project requiring lane and shoulder closures on Route 206 in Springfield and Mansfield, Burlington County.

Beginning at 9 a.m. Monday, August 23 until 3 p.m., and continuing daily, Monday through Friday for the next few weeks, NJDOT's contractor, Earle Asphalt Company, will close portions of the shoulder to repair drainage inlets, along Route 206 northbound between CR 669/Juliustown Road in Springfield and New York Avenue in Mansfield. Upon completion of the northbound lanes, work will continue on Route 206 southbound. Daytime right lane closures in each direction also may be required in areas with limited width shoulders. Access to driveways will be maintained during this work.

In addition to the daytime closure on Monday, August 23, an overnight lane closure will be required beginning at 8 p.m. until 6 a.m. the next day. As the project progresses, additional overnight closures and the use of an alternating traffic pattern where single-lane sections of the road exist, will be required for raised pavement marker removal, rumble strip installation, and milling and paving work.

The \$2.1 million state-funded Route 206 pavement preservation project will extend the pavement life of four miles of roadway, improve safety and enhance ride quality for motorists while reducing future maintenance costs. The project is expected to be complete by winter 2022.

The precise nature and 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 [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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