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Route 4 westbound lane closure required Sunday for utility work in Englewood, Bergen County Route 4 eastbound overnight closures next week

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced lane closures on Route 4 over three successive weekends for utility work in Englewood, Bergen County, as part of the Jones Road over Route 4 bridge replacement project. In addition, Route 4 eastbound will have overnight lane closures next week.

The first of three closures will require the closures of the right lane and shoulder on Route 4 westbound this weekend. Utility work on Route 4 eastbound will require lane closures over upcoming weekends. NJDOT will provide notice prior to any future closures.

Sunday, December 4

Beginning at 7 a.m. Sunday, December 4, until 6 p.m., the right lane and shoulder on Route 4 westbound will be closed between Myrtle Avenue/Kenwood Street and the Jones Road Bridge over Route 4 for utility work. Route 4 in both directions is expected to be closed for approximately 10 minutes before noon to allow PSE&G to install a utility pole and run guy wire across Route 4.

Monday, December 5 through Thursday, December 8

Beginning at 11 p.m. Monday, December 5, until 4:30 a.m. Tuesday, December 6, and continuing nightly Tuesday through Thursday at the same times, two lanes on Route 4 eastbound will be closed underneath the Jones Road Bridge. The lane closures are necessary to remove concrete from underneath the bridge.

At least one lane of traffic will be maintained on Route 4 during construction. Motorists are advised to slow down, use caution, and expect delays or plan an alternate route.

The \$20.7 million federally-funded project will replace the Jones Road Bridge over Route 4 in Englewood Bergen County. The new bridge will be approximately three feet higher to improve under-clearance issues on Route 4. Work is expected to be complete in the summer of 2025.

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 @NewJerseyDOT and on the NJDOT Facebook page.