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Lalor Street to be closed for railroad crossing repairs this week in Trenton, Mercer County Light Rail stop to be closed this weekend

(Trenton) – Lalor Street is scheduled to be closed between Route 129 and Hancock Street beginning at 7 p.m. Friday, March 31, until 7 a.m. Wednesday, April 5, for railroad crossing repairs in Trenton, Mercer County. Access to local businesses will be maintained. Pedestrian access across both Lalor Street and Route 129 will be maintained with a temporary walkway over the railroad tracks. The following detours will be in place:

Lalor Street westbound to Route 129 detour:

- Motorists wishing to take Lalor Street westbound to Route 129 will be directed to take Route 206 northbound/South Broad Street
- Turn left onto Cass Street back to Route 129

Lalor Street eastbound detour:

- Motorists on Route 29 southbound taking the Lalor Street exit will be directed to turn left onto Lamberton Street
- Take the ramp to Route 29 northbound/Tunnel
- Turn right onto Cass Street
- Turn right onto Route 206 southbound/South Broad Street
- Turn right onto Lalor Street

The railroad crossing repairs on Lalor Street will require the closure of the NJ Transit Light Rail stop. Shuttle buses will be provided. For more information see NJ Transit's service advisory.

In order to provide safer and smoother railroad crossing, the existing crossing will be replaced with new concrete crossings and asphalt approaches. This federally-funded project is included within NJDOT's railroad grade-crossing safety program which repairs, upgrades, or removes approximately 50 crossings each year, statewide.

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.