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## CR 555/South Main Road single lane closure tonight as bridge replacement project advances in Vineland Closure necessary to reconstruct one side of the bridge

**(Trenton)** – CR 555/South Main Road is scheduled to have a single lane closure tonight as a bridge replacement project advances in Vineland, Cumberland County.

Beginning at 8 p.m. tonight, Thursday, September 28, until 6 a.m. Friday, September 29, a single lane on the CR 555/South Main Road Bridge over Route 55 will be closed. Alternating traffic will be maintained overnight. The closure is necessary for restriping and to set construction barrier to shift traffic onto the newly constructed northbound side of the bridge. Motorists are advised to slow down, use caution, and expect delays while driving through the work zone.

In addition, the left turn lanes from the Route 55 southbound and northbound Exit 26 ramps onto the CR 555/South Main Road Bridge over Route 55 are scheduled to be closed and detoured from 8 p.m. tonight, September 28 until 6 a.m. Friday, September 29. The following detours will be in place:

## Route 55 northbound Exit 26 ramp to CR 555/South Main Road southbound:

- Motorists wishing to make a left turn from the Route 55 northbound Exit 26 ramp onto CR 555/South Main Road southbound will be directed to turn right onto CR 555/South Main Road northbound
- Turn right onto Lincoln Avenue
- Turn left onto Burns Avenue
- Turn left onto CR 555/South Main Road southbound

## Route 55 southbound Exit 26 to CR 555/South Main Road northbound:

- Motorists wishing to make a left turn from the Route 55 southbound Exit 26 ramp onto CR 555/South Main Road northbound will be directed to turn right onto CR 555/South Main Road southbound, which becomes Wheaton Avenue
- Turn left onto CR 678/Wade Boulevard
- Turn left onto East Broad Street, which becomes East Mays Landing Road
- Turn left onto Sherman Avenue
- Turn left onto Lincoln Avenue, back to CR 555/South Main Road

By 6 a.m. Friday, September 29, CR 555/South Main Road southbound will be closed at the Bridge over Route 55 with one lane maintained in each direction on the newly constructed northbound side of the bridge. The closure will allow for the demolition and reconstruction of the southbound side of the bridge. This traffic pattern is expected to remain in place until summer 2024.

The \$8.1 million federally-funded CR 555/Main Road, Bridge over Route 55 superstructure replacement project will repair the bridge deck. The project is expected to be complete in fall 2024.

Motorists are encouraged to check NJDOT's traffic information website <u>www.511nj.org</u> for real-time travel information, and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter <u>@NewJerseyDOT</u> or on the <u>NJDOT</u> <u>Facebook page</u>.

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