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Route 46 lane closure begins tomorrow as roadway rehabilitation project advances in Passaic County I-80 westbound ramp to Route 20 northbound temporary closure Saturday

(Trenton) – Ramp and lane closures are scheduled for tomorrow as the Route 20 Paterson Safety, Drainage, and Resurfacing project advances in Clifton and Paterson, Passaic County.

Beginning at 9 a.m. tomorrow, Friday, December 1, the left lane on Route 46 westbound/Crooks Avenue, before the Route 20 overpass, is scheduled to be closed. The closure is necessary for barrier curb and guiderail replacement and will be in place for approximately one month. One lane of traffic will be maintained.

In addition, from 7:30 a.m. until 8 a.m. Saturday, December 2, the I-80 westbound ramp to Route 20 northbound is scheduled to be closed for parapet modification and guiderail replacement. Motorists are advised to follow the posted detour.

The \$48.5 million federally funded Route 20 Paterson Safety, Drainage, and Resurfacing project will make upgrades and repairs along approximately five miles of Route 20 in Clifton and Paterson, Passaic County. In addition to drainage improvements, the project will include repaving, guiderail replacement, lighting and overhead sign installation, and upgrades to traffic signals, curbs and sidewalks. The project is expected to be completed by the fall 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 <u>www.511nj.org</u> for construction updates and real-time travel information. For NJDOT news follow us on X (Twitter) <u>@NewJerseyDOT</u> and our <u>Facebook page</u>.

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