



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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Route 18 overnight closures and detours this week as roadway rehabilitation project advances in East Brunswick **Closures necessary for traffic signal installation**

(Trenton) – Route 18 is scheduled to have overnight closures and detours starting tonight as a roadway rehabilitation project advances in East Brunswick, Middlesex County.

Beginning at 11 p.m. tonight, Monday, April 15, until 4:30 a.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, April 16 and again on Tuesday night, April 16 at the same times, Route 18 northbound is scheduled to be closed and detoured between Racetrack Road and Milltown Road. Route 18 southbound will be closed in the same area beginning at 11 p.m. each night until 6 a.m. the following morning.

In addition, beginning at 11 p.m., Wednesday, April 17, until 4:30 a.m. Thursday, April 18 and again on Thursday night, April 18 at the same times, Route 18 northbound is scheduled to be closed and detoured between Rues Lane and Racetrack Road. Route 18 southbound will be closed in the same area beginning at 11 p.m. each night until 6 a.m. the following morning.

The closures are necessary to install traffic signals at Arthur Street, Racetrack Road, Cindy Way, and Rues Lane. Motorists are advised to follow the posted detours.

This work is part of the \$86.1 million federally funded Route 18, East Brunswick, Drainage and Pavement Rehabilitation project that will make repairs on approximately four and a half miles of Route 18 in East Brunswick, Middlesex County. Work includes milling and paving, improvements to the drainage systems and storm water basins, utility relocation, installation of new sidewalks and ADA-compliant curb ramps and upgrading guiderail. Improvements will also be made to various intersections throughout the project limits. The project is expected to be completed in fall 2026.

Motorists are encouraged to check NJDOT's traffic information website www.511nj.org for construction updates and real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on X (Twitter) [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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