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Route 72 overnight lane closures this week as Plowed Road to Doc Cramer Boulevard pavement preservation project begins Moving operation required to remove pavement markers

(Trenton) – Route 72 is scheduled to have temporary overnight lane closures beginning tonight as the Route 72, Plowed Road to Doc Cramer Boulevard pavement preservation project begins in Burlington and Ocean counties.

Beginning at 8 p.m. tonight, Wednesday, May 29 until 6 a.m. tomorrow, Thursday, May 30 and continuing Thursday, May 30 at the same times, there will be temporary lane closures with a moving operation to remove raised pavement markers (RPMs) and striping between Plowed Road in Woodland, Burlington County and Doc Cramer Boulevard in Stafford, Ocean County. Overnight paving is expected to begin on approximately June 10 and take place Monday through Thursday nights. At least one lane will be maintained in each direction overnight. No work will take place Friday through Sunday.

The work is part of a \$6.2 million pavement preservation project that will utilize Chip Seal and Slurry Seal to preserve 10 miles of the roadway in both directions between Mile Posts 6 to 13 in Woodland, Burlington County and Barnegat, Ocean County and 18.5 to 21.7 in Stafford, Ocean County. The project is expected to be completed by the end of this summer 2024.

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 construction updates and real-time travel information. For NJDOT news follow us on X (Twitter) <a href="https://www.seyboot.com/www.seyboot.c