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## Milltown Road/North Main Street lane closures tonight as bridge deck replacement project begins in North Brunswick One lane of traffic will be maintained in each direction

**(Trenton)** – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced daytime lane closures on the Milltown Road/North Main Street Bridge over Route 1 as a bridge deck replacement project begins in North Brunswick, Middlesex County.

Beginning at 9 a.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, September 1, until 3 p.m., and again Wednesday, September 2 during the same hours, NJDOT's contractor, Earle Asphalt Co., is scheduled to close the right lane on Milltown Road/North Main Street in each direction near the Bridge over Route 1. This closure will allow the contractor to clear trees and vegetation. One lane will be maintained in each direction during the closures.

The federally-funded \$8.7 million Milltown Road/North Main Street Bridge over Route 1 project will replace the existing bridge deck, which is in poor condition. It also includes repairs to the bridge abutments and piers, and the installation of new overhead sign structures. The project is being constructed in five stages using Accelerated Bridge Construction (ABC) techniques. The entire project is expected to be complete by fall 2022.

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 real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter <u>@NJDOT info</u> and on our <u>Facebook page</u>.

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