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## Oliver Street lane closure required next week as Route 19/Colfax Avenue project advances in Paterson Left lane will remain closed for approximately two weeks

**(Trenton)** – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced lane closures on Oliver Street as the Route 19 Colfax Avenue/CR 609 to Marshall Street roadway improvement project advances in Paterson, Passaic County.

Beginning at 7 a.m. Monday, August 30, NJDOT's contractor, Della Pello Paving, Inc., is scheduled to close the right lane on Oliver Street southbound approaching the ramps to I-80 and Route 19 at Marshall Street. This closure will allow the contractor to remove the existing guiderail and install concrete barrier curb. The lane is anticipated to remain closed for approximately two weeks. The ramps to I-80 and Route 19 will remain open.

The \$7.9 million federally-funded project will extend the functional life of the roadway and improve ride quality on approximately three miles of Route 19 between Colfax Avenue/CR 609 to Marshall Street/South Broad. It will include resurfacing of all travel lanes, upgrading traffic signals at all intersections within the project limits, construction of a concrete median for added safety, and upgrading the existing guiderails. It also includes the refurbishment of crosswalks and other ADA improvements. The project is anticipated to be complete by late fall 2021.

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 <a href="www.511nj.org">www.511nj.org</a> for construction updates and real-time travel information. For NJDOT news follow us on Twitter <a href="@NewJerseyDOT">@NewJerseyDOT</a> and our <a href="Facebook page">Facebook page</a>.