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## **POSTPONED**

## Creek Road Bridge over I-295 to be closed this weekend as Missing Moves project advances in Camden County Traffic will be shifted to newly completed portion of the bridge

**(Trenton)** – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced the postponement of this weekend's closure of Creek Road as part of the I-295/Route 42 Missing Moves project in Bellmawr, Camden County.

The scheduled closure of Creek Road between Booth Drive and Essex Avenue to shift traffic onto the newly constructed westbound side of the Creek Road Bridge over I-295 is being postponed because of the forecast for inclement weather. NJDOT will provide notice once the closure is rescheduled.

The \$180 million federally-funded project will build new ramps connecting Route 42 northbound to I-295 southbound, and I-295 northbound to Route 42 southbound in order to allow for the direct movement of traffic between the two roadways. These are commonly known as the "missing moves." The project will also include the demolition and reconstruction of the Creek Road Bridge over I-295 between Route 42 and Almonesson Road. The majority of the project will be built off of the roadways and will have minimal impact on traffic on Route 42 and I-295. The project is expected to be completed in late 2023.

Variable Message Signs are being utilized to provide advance notification to the motoring public of all traffic pattern changes associated with the work. 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 and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter <a href="@NewJerseyDOT">@NewJerseyDOT</a> and our <a href="Facebook">Facebook</a> page.

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