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Route 46 eastbound ramp to I-80 eastbound to be closed and detoured tonight in Parsippany-Troy Hills Closures necessary for pavement preservation

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced that the Route 46 eastbound ramp to I-80 eastbound will be closed tonight for pavement preservation work in Parsippany-Troy Hills, Passaic County. This is a continuation of pavement preservation work that began last week.

Beginning at 11 p.m. tonight, Thursday, June 9, until 4 a.m., Friday, June 10, NJDOT's contractor, Schifano Construction Corp., is scheduled to close and detour the Route 46 eastbound ramp to I-80 eastbound. The closure is necessary for paving and applying high performance thin overlay. Work is scheduled to continue for several weeks. NJDOT will provide more information before any future ramp closures are scheduled. The following detour will be in place:

Route 46 eastbound ramp to I-80 eastbound detour:

- Motorists on Route 46 eastbound wishing to take the ramp to I-80 eastbound will be directed to continue on Route 46 eastbound
- Take the ramp to I-80 eastbound/Hook Mountain Road
- Turn right onto Chapin Road
- Stay right to continue on Chapin Road, which becomes Hook Mountain Road
- Turn right onto New Maple Avenue
- Stay left to take the ramp from New Maple Avenue to I-80 eastbound

The work is part of the \$5.5 million federally-funded I-80, Beverwyck Road/CR 637 to Route 23 pavement preservation project to make repairs at various locations in Morris, Essex, and Passaic counties. 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 Twitter @NewJerseyDOT and our Facebook page.