



# NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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## **Mola Boulevard to be closed for railroad crossing repairs next week in Elmwood Park, Bergen County Detours necessary during construction**

**(Trenton)** – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced a railroad crossing rehabilitation project requiring the closure and detour of Mola Boulevard in Elmwood Park, Bergen County.

Beginning at 7 a.m. Monday, August 15, until 7 p.m. Wednesday, August 17, NJDOT's contractor, NYS&W, will close and detour Mola Boulevard between Garvey Place and Rudolph Avenue to permanently remove and pave over the existing railroad crossing. Access will be maintained for local traffic. The following detours will be in place:

### **Mola Boulevard northbound detour:**

- Motorists on Mola Boulevard northbound will be directed to turn left onto Route 46 eastbound
- Take the ramp to CR 507/Garfield/Ridgewood
- Stay right on the ramp
- Turn right onto River Drive
- Turn right onto Market Street back to Mola Boulevard

### **Mola Boulevard southbound detour:**

- Motorists on Mola Boulevard southbound will be directed to turn right onto Market Street
- Turn left onto River Drive
- Take the ramp to Route 46 eastbound
- Take the ramp to Mola Boulevard/Elmwood Park
- Turn left to continue on Mola Boulevard southbound

In order to provide safer and smoother railroad crossing, the existing crossing will be replaced with new concrete crossings and asphalt approaches. This federally-funded project is included within NJDOT's railroad grade-crossing safety program which repairs, upgrades, or removes approximately 50 crossings each year, statewide.

Variable Message Signs will be used to provide advanced notification to motorists. 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](http://www.511nj.org) for real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) and on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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