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Route 17 northbound lane closures tonight for overhead sign replacement in Hackensack and Lodi, Bergen County I-80 westbound ramp to Route 17 northbound to be closed and detoured

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced lane closures on Route 17 northbound tonight for overhead sign replacement in Hackensack and Lodi, Bergen County.

Beginning at 10 p.m. tonight, Friday, August 19, until 7 a.m., Saturday, August 20, NJDOT's contractor, Sparwick Contracting, Inc., is scheduled to close Route 17 northbound before Summit Avenue to remove and replace the existing overhead sign structure. In addition, the I-80 westbound Exit 64A ramp to Route 17 northbound will be closed and detoured at the same time. The following detours will be in place:

Route 17 northbound detour:

- Motorists on Route 17 northbound will be directed to stay left to take the ramp to Route 46 westbound/Summit Avenue/Hackensack
- Turn right onto Summit Avenue
- Turn left onto Mary Street to take the ramp to Route 17 northbound

I-80 westbound Exit 64A ramp to Route 17 northbound:

- Motorists on I-80 westbound wishing to take the Exit 64A ramp to Route 17 northbound to Route 4/Rochelle Pike/Paramus will be directed to continue on I-80 westbound
- Take Exit 63 to Route 17 to Route 4/Lodi/Fair Lawn
- Turn right onto Riverview Ave
- Turn right onto Essex Street
- Turn right to take the ramp to Route 17 northbound to Route 4/Paramus

The \$9.3 million state-funded project will replace sign structures on various routes in Bergen, Passaic, Morris, Mercer, Camden, Ocean, Union and Essex counties. The project is expected to be completed in fall 2023.

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.