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## Creek Road/CR 753 lane closures tonight as Missing Moves Project advances in Bellmawr, Camden County Closures necessary to implement traffic shift

**(Trenton)** – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced lane closures on Creek Road/CR 753 tonight to implement a traffic shift as the I-295/Route 42 Missing Moves project advances in Bellmawr, Camden County.

Beginning at 8 p.m. tonight, Thursday, October 6, until 6 a.m. tomorrow, Friday, October 7, NJDOT's contractor, South State Inc., is scheduled to close one lane on Creek Road/CR 753 on the Creek Road/CR 753 Bridge over Route 42 in Bellmawr. The lane closure is necessary to implement a traffic shift on Creek Road/CR 753. Alternating traffic will be maintained overnight.

By 6 a.m. Friday, Creek Road/CR 753 will be shifted to the eastbound lanes on the southside of the bridge to establish a work zone in the westbound lanes on the northside of the bridge. Motorists are advised to slow down, expect delays and use caution or plan an alternate route.

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 page">Facebook page</a>.