

For Immediate Release: March 21, 2023 Contact: Jim Barry Leanna Nelson 609-963-1975

Route 440 daytime lane and shoulder closures required as paving project begins in Bayonne, Hudson County Closures necessary for concrete work

(Trenton) – Varying daytime lane and shoulder closures will be required on Route 440 starting tomorrow as a paving project begins in Bayonne, Hudson County.

From 7 a.m. until 3 p.m. tomorrow, Wednesday, March 22, and continuing Mondays through Fridays for approximately two months, varying single lane and shoulder closures may be necessary on Route 440 southbound between Goldsborough Drive and Avenue C. The closures are required for concrete curb, inlet, sidewalk and ADA ramp work. When the southbound side is complete, concrete work will continue on Route 440 northbound. Milling and paving is expected to begin this summer.

The work is part of a \$9 million state-funded maintenance project to make roadway repairs on Route 440 and Route 9 in Hudson and Bergen Counties, and at various locations in Warren and Sussex counties. Work includes milling and paving, improvements to the drainage systems, and installation of new sidewalks, curbs and ADA-compliant ramps. The project is expected to be completed by the end of 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 <u>www.511nj.org</u> for construction updates and real-time travel information. For NJDOT news follow us on Twitter <u>@NewJerseyDOT</u> and our <u>Facebook page.</u>

#