



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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I-295 northbound overnight lane closures tonight and next week in Bellmawr, Camden County **I-295 southbound Al-Jo's Curve also to be closed Tuesday night**

(Trenton) - New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced overnight lane closures on I-295 northbound tonight and next week. In addition, the I-295 southbound ramp to Route 42 southbound and I-295 southbound, also known as Al-Jo's Curve, will be closed Tuesday night, as the Direct Connect project advances in Bellmawr, Camden County.

Tonight, Friday, March 31

Beginning at 9 p.m. tonight, Friday, March 31 until 5 a.m. tomorrow, Saturday, April 1, the right lane on I-295 northbound at Exit 26 where the highway splits for I-76 toward Philadelphia and I-295 toward Trenton is scheduled to be closed. In addition, the auxiliary lane from Route 42 northbound onto I-295 northbound also will be closed. At least one lane will be maintained overnight. Motorists are advised to slow down, use caution, and expect congestion on I-295 northbound. These closures are necessary to complete the demolition of the east abutment of the Browning Road Bridge.

Tuesday, April 4

Beginning at 10 p.m. Tuesday, April 4 until 5 a.m. Wednesday, April 5, the I-295 southbound ramp to Route 42 southbound and I-295 southbound, known as Al-Jo's Curve, will be closed for inlet repairs. In addition, the right lane on I-295 southbound also will be closed at the same times after Exit 28/Route 168. All motorists traveling on I-295 southbound will be directed to stay left onto Exit 26. The following detour will be in place overnight:

I-295 southbound to Route 42 southbound/I-295 southbound detour:

- Motorists traveling on I-295 southbound to Route 42 southbound will be directed to exit left at Exit 26/I-76 westbound
- Take I-76 westbound to Exit 2/I-676 northbound
- Take I-676 northbound to Exit 1/Collings Avenue
- Turn right onto Collings Avenue
- Turn left onto I-676 southbound which becomes I-76 eastbound
- Take I-76 eastbound to Exit 1A/I-295 southbound

Wednesday, April 5

Beginning at 9 p.m. Wednesday, April 5 until 6 a.m. Thursday, April 6, the I-295 northbound Exit 26 ramp, which becomes the left lane of I-76 westbound, is scheduled to be closed and detoured. In addition, the I-76 eastbound Exit 1A ramp to I-295 southbound is scheduled to be closed and

detoured during the same time. The closures are necessary to replace barriers. The following detours will be in place:

I-76 eastbound Exit 1A ramp to I-295 southbound detour:

- Motorists traveling on I-76 eastbound to I-295 southbound will be directed to take Exit 1B to I-295 northbound, *which is before Exit 1A*
- Take Exit 28/Route 168
- Turn left at the end of the ramp
- Take the ramp to I-295 southbound

I-295 northbound Exit 26 ramp to I-76 westbound detour:

- Motorists traveling on I-295 northbound wishing to take Exit 26 to I-76 westbound will be directed to continue on I-295 northbound
- Take the left Exit 27 ramp to I-76 westbound

The work is part of the Direct Connection and Missing Moves project that will provide a seamless route for I-295 motorists traveling through the interchange of I-295, I-76, and Route 42. To sign up for I-295 Direct Connect project updates go to 295DirectConnect.com or text CONNECT to 1-844-844-3681.

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 real-time travel information, and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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