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## Route 139 westbound Lower Level to be closed tonight and tomorrow night in Jersey City, Hudson County Closure necessary for bridge deck repairs

**(Trenton)** – Route 139 westbound Lower Level is scheduled to be closed and detoured tonight and tomorrow night in Jersey City, Hudson County.

Beginning at 11 p.m. tonight, Friday, June 9, until 5 a.m. Saturday, June 10, and again from 11 p.m. tomorrow, Saturday, June 10, until 5 a.m. Sunday, June 11, Route 139 westbound Lower Level is scheduled to be closed just past the ramp to New Jersey Turnpike to I-78/I-95. The closure is necessary to make concrete deck repairs to the Route 139 Lower Level Bridge over I-78. The following detour will be in place:

## **Route 139 westbound Lower Level detour:**

- Motorists on Route 139 westbound wishing to take the ramp to Route 1&9/I-280/Pulaski Skyway will be directed to stay right to take the ramp to Kennedy Boulevard/Jersey City
- Continue on Route 139 westbound Upper Level
- Turn left onto JFK Boulevard/CR 501 southbound
- Take the first right to take the ramp to Route 1&9 southbound/Newark
- Stay left to continue straight through Tonnele Circle toward Route 1&9 southbound/Newark
- Continue straight through the traffic light to take the ramp towards Pulaski Skyway/Newark, back to Route 139 westbound/Pulaski Skyway

The work is part of a \$22.6 million state-funded maintenance project to repair concrete structures at various locations in eight counties throughout North Jersey.

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 and on the NJDOT Facebook page.