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## I-76 temporary traffic stoppages tonight for utility work in Gloucester City, Camden County Overhead wires to be removed

**(Trenton)** – I-76 is scheduled to have several temporary stoppages of traffic in both directions tonight for utility work in Gloucester City, Camden County.

Beginning at 10 p.m. tonight, Wednesday, August 14 until 5 a.m. tomorrow, Thursday, August 15, I-76 over Nicholson Road in Gloucester City is scheduled to have a series of temporary 15-minute closures in both directions. The closures are necessary to allow PSEG to remove three overhead wires, which have been relocated underground. Construction is expected to begin in the westbound lanes and move to the eastbound lanes, as work progresses. New Jersey State Police will be on site to assist with traffic control. Motorists are advised to slow down, use caution, and expect delays or plan an alternate route.

The \$1.9 million federally funded project relocated utilities near the I-76 Bridge over Nicholson Road in Gloucester City, Camden County. The removal of the wires completes this project. This utility relocation work is in preparation for the larger I-76/I-676 Bridges and Pavement project that will replace the bridge deck and superstructure of the I-76 Bridge over Nicholson Road, as well as rehabilitate and pave the I-76/I-676 northbound and the I-676 southbound bridges over the Main Branch of Newton Creek.

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. For NJDOT news follow us on X (Twitter) <a href="mailto:@NewJerseyDOT">@NewJerseyDOT</a> and our <a href="mailto:Facebook page">Facebook page</a>.

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