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## I-287 northbound Exit 47 ramp closed and detoured this weekend for drainage work in Montville, Morris County Two right lanes on I-287 also closed during construction

**(Trenton)** – I-287 northbound Exit 47 to Route 202 is scheduled to be closed and detoured this weekend for drainage repairs in Montville, Morris County. In addition, the two right lanes I-287 northbound are scheduled to be closed.

Beginning at 10 p.m. tonight, Friday, November 1 until 2 p.m. Sunday, November 3, the I-287 northbound Exit 47 to Route 202/Montville/Lincoln Park and two right lanes on I-287 northbound at mile post 47.1 near the Bridge over Route 202 in Montville are scheduled to be closed. One lane will be maintained on I-287 northbound. The closure is necessary to install a 36-inch concrete drainage pipe to replace a collapsed pipe, install a new inlet, and reconstruct the roadway. If work is finished sooner, the exit and lanes will reopen earlier. Motorists are advised to use caution, slow down, and expect delays or seek an alternate route. The following detour will be in place for I-287 northbound Exit 47:

## I-287 northbound Exit 47 detour:

- Motorists on I-287 northbound wishing to take Exit 47 to Route 202/Montville/Lincoln Park will be directed to continue on I-287 northbound
- Take Exit 52B/Route 23 northbound/Butler
- Take the ramp to I-287 southbound
- Take Exit 47 back to Route 202

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 X (Twitter) <u>@NewJerseyDOT</u>, on the <u>NJDOT Facebook page</u>, or Instagram <u>@NewJersey.DOT</u>.