NJDOT
TRAFFIC ADVISORY

I-295 southbound lane closure tonight for emergency bridge repairs in Lawrence, Mercer County
Federal City Road westbound ramp to I-295 southbound also closed tonight

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced the right lane on I-295 southbound is scheduled to be closed tonight for emergency repairs to the Federal City Road Bridge over I-295 in Lawrence, Mercer County. In addition, the ramp from Federal City Road westbound to I-295 southbound is scheduled to be closed and detoured.

Beginning at 8 p.m., tonight, Friday, February 21 until 5 a.m. tomorrow, Saturday, February 22, the right lane on I-295 southbound is scheduled to be closed before the Federal City Road Bridge over I-295 near milepost 71. At least two lanes will be maintained.

In addition, beginning at 9 p.m., tonight, Friday, February 21 until 5 a.m. tomorrow, Saturday, February 22, the ramp from Federal City Road westbound to I-295 southbound is scheduled to be closed and detoured. The closures are necessary for emergency repairs to the bridge, which was struck by a truck carrying construction equipment on Wednesday afternoon. The following detour will be in place:

Federal City Road westbound to I-295 southbound Detour:
- Mortorists on Federal City Road westbound wishing to take the ramp to I-295 southbound will be directed to continue on Federal City Road
- Turn right onto Ewingville Road
- Turn right onto Route 31 northbound
- Take the ramp to I-295 southbound

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 construction updates and real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on X (Twitter) @NewJerseyDOT, on the NJDOT Facebook page, or Instagram @NewJersey.DOT.

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