



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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Route 109 sewer work requires truck detour starting Friday, February 23 in Lower Township, Cape May County Access will be maintained for local traffic

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced that an emergency sewer project on Route 109 will require a detour for commercial vehicles beginning on Friday, February 23, in Lower Township, Cape May County. Access is expected to be maintained for local traffic and residents during construction.

Beginning at 8 a.m. Friday, February 23, delivery trucks and other commercial vehicles on Route 109, which becomes Lafayette Street/CR 633, will be detoured in both directions between the Garden State Parkway Interchange in Lower Township and West Perry Road in Cape May, Cape May County. The detour is necessary for emergency work on sewage facilities throughout the project limits, which will begin at *8 a.m. Monday, February 26*. Local traffic will be able to access Route 109 northbound and southbound during construction. The following truck detours will be in place until spring 2024:

Route 109 southbound Truck detour:

- Trucks on the Garden State Parkway southbound wishing to continue on Route 109 southbound will be directed to take Exit 0 to Route 109 northbound
- Continue on Route 109 northbound
- Stay right to take the jughandle to Route 9 southbound
- Continue straight through the traffic light onto Route 9 southbound/Lincoln Boulevard, which becomes Sandman Boulevard
- Turn left onto Seashore Road/Route 162/CR 626 southbound
- Continue on Seashore Road/Route 162/CR 626 southbound, which becomes Broadway
- Turn left onto West Perry Street, which becomes Jackson Street, back to Lafayette Street/CR 633

Route 9 southbound Truck detour:

- Trucks on Route 9 southbound wishing to continue on Route 109 southbound will be directed to turn right at the Sandman Boulevard traffic signal to continue on Route 9 southbound/Sandman Boulevard
- Turn left onto Seashore Road/Route 162/CR 626 southbound
- Continue on Seashore Road/Route 162/CR 626 southbound, which becomes Broadway
- Turn left onto West Perry Street, which becomes Jackson Street, back to Lafayette Street/CR 633

Route 9 northbound Truck detour:

- Trucks on Route 9 northbound/Sandman Boulevard wishing to continue on Route 109 southbound will be directed to turn right onto Seashore Road/Route 162/CR 626 southbound
- Continue on Seashore Road/Route 162/CR 626 southbound, which becomes Broadway
- Turn left onto West Perry Street, which becomes Jackson Street, back to Lafayette Street/CR 633

Lafayette Street/CR 633 northbound Truck detour:

- Trucks on Lafayette Street/CR 633 will be directed to Jackson Street, which becomes West Perry Avenue
- Turn right onto Broadway/CR 626 northbound, which becomes Seashore Road/Route 162
- Continue on Seashore Road/Route 162 northbound
- Turn right onto Route 9 northbound/Sandman Boulevard, which becomes Lincoln Boulevard
- Stay right to merge onto Route 109 southbound, back to the Garden State Parkway Interchange

This work is part of a Cape May County sewer project that will repair and replace sewage facilities as needed along Route 109 in Lower Township. Emergency construction is expected to take place 24 hours a day for seven days a week until all work is completed. Motorists are advised to slow down, use caution, and expect delays when driving through the work zone, or plan an alternate route.

Variable messaging signs are being utilized to provide advance notification to the motoring public of all traffic pattern changes associated with the work. 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](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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