



# NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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## **Route 23 northbound closed at Main Street for emergency utility repairs in Wayne, Passaic County Route 46 eastbound ramp to Route 23 northbound/I-80 also closed**

**(Trenton)** – Route 23 northbound and the Route 46 eastbound ramp to Route 23 northbound and I-80 are closed for emergency utility repairs in Wayne, Passaic County.

**Motorists should expect delays during the evening commute and are advised to avoid the area and consider alternate routes.**

This afternoon, Thursday, June 27, four utility poles were knocked down on Route 23 northbound near the Essence Express hotel in Wayne. Route 23 northbound is closed and detoured at Main Street.

In addition, the Route 46 eastbound ramp to Route 23 northbound and I-80 was closed and detoured. PSEG crews are working to replace the four poles. Repairs will continue overnight and are expected to be completed by 7 a.m. tomorrow, Friday, June 28. If work is completed sooner, the roadway and ramps will reopen earlier.

Motorists should expect delays and are advised to avoid the area and consider alternate routes. The following detours are in place:

### **Route 23 northbound detour:**

- Motorists on Route 23 northbound are being directed to turn right onto Main Street/CR 631
- Turn left on Union Boulevard
- Go through the traffic signal at Lackawanna Avenue and take the exit for Route 46 west
- At the traffic signal, turn left onto Union Avenue southbound
- Take the ramp to Route 46 westbound
- Take the ramp to Route 23 northbound

**Route 46 eastbound detour:**

- Motorists on Route 46 eastbound wishing to take the exit to Route 23 northbound/I-80 are being directed to continue on Route 46 eastbound
- Take the Riverview Drive exit
- Stay right to take Riverview Drive northbound
- Turn right at the traffic signal onto Minisink Road
- Turn right to take the ramp to Route 46 westbound
- Take the ramp to Route 23 northbound

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](http://www.511nj.org) for construction updates and real-time travel information. For NJDOT news follow us on X (Twitter) [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) and our [Facebook page](#).

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