



# NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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## **Route 57 temporary stoppages in both directions tonight as culvert replacement project advances in Lopatcong, Warren County Alternating traffic will be maintained during construction**

**(Trenton)** – Route 57 is scheduled to have temporary traffic stoppages tonight as a culvert replacement project advances in Lopatcong, Warren County.

Beginning at 8 p.m. tonight, Friday, June 28 until 6 a.m. tomorrow, Saturday, June 29, temporary stoppages are scheduled on Route 57 between Red School Lane and Strykers Road. The stoppages are necessary to move construction barrier and establish a new traffic pattern. Beginning Saturday morning, alternating traffic will be maintained in the eastbound lane with a temporary traffic signal. This traffic pattern is expected to be in place for approximately three months to replace the culvert.

The \$8.1 million federally funded project will replace the existing culvert on Route 57 over Lopatcong Creek. The project also includes guiderail replacement and paving. Work is expected to be complete in fall 2024.

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 and for NJDOT news follow us on X (Twitter) [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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