



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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Route 20 northbound ramp to I-80 eastbound to be closed and detoured tonight in Paterson Closure necessary for parapet work

(Trenton) – The Route 20 northbound ramp to I-80 eastbound is scheduled to be closed and detoured tonight in Paterson, Passaic County.

Beginning at 8 p.m. tonight, Friday, July 19, the Route 20 northbound ramp to I-80 eastbound is scheduled to be closed and detoured. The closure is expected to remain in place for approximately three weeks for parapet work. The following detour will be in place:

Route 20 northbound to I-80 eastbound detour:

- Motorists on Route 20 northbound wishing to take the ramp to I-80 eastbound/New York will be directed to keep left toward to I-80 westbound/Market Street/Paterson/Elmwood Park
- Stay left toward I-80 westbound/Market Street/Paterson
- Stay right to take the ramp to Route 20/Market Street/Paterson
- Continue on Market Street and stay left to enter the roundabout and follow signs for Route 46/Route 20/I-80
- Cross over I-80 and turn left to take the ramp to I-80 and Route 20
- Stay left to take the ramp to I-80 eastbound/Elmwood Park/New York City

The \$48.5 million federally funded Route 20 Paterson Safety, Drainage, and Resurfacing project will make upgrades and repairs along approximately five miles of Route 20 in Clifton and Paterson, Passaic County. In addition to drainage improvements, the project will include repaving, guiderail replacement, lighting and overhead sign installation, and upgrades to traffic signals, curbs and sidewalks. The project is expected to be completed by the fall of 2025.

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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