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## Route 40 and Route 48 Intersection traffic signal activation tonight in Carneys Point, Salem County Traffic may be stopped temporarily for traffic signal timing adjustments

**(Trenton)** – The new traffic signal at the Route 40, Route 48 and Forest Lane Intersection is scheduled to be activated tonight, Wednesday, April 16 in Carneys Point, Salem County. This work was originally scheduled for Monday, April 7 but was postponed due to weather.

From 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. tonight, Wednesday, April 16, traffic at the Route 40, Route 48 and Forest Lane Intersection will be in a stop and go traffic pattern, as the new traffic signal is activated. The stop and go traffic pattern is necessary to adjust the signal timing. Motorists are advised to slow down, use caution and expect delays.

By 11 p.m. Wednesday, April 16, the traffic signal will have a yellow flashing light for traffic on Route 40 and a red flashing light for traffic on Route 48 and Forest Lane. The traffic signal is expected to be fully activated by Monday night, April 21.

In addition, a section of Route 48 and a section of Forest Lane approaching the intersection will be closed to reconfigure the intersection and construct new jughandles. The new road leading to the warehouse development and the new ramp from Route 40 westbound to Route 48 westbound will be opened.

Variable Message Signs will provide advance notification to motorists of 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 <a href="www.511nj.org">www.511nj.org</a> for real-time travel information. For NJDOT news follow us on X (Twitter) <a href="@NewJerseyDOT">@NewJerseyDOT</a>, on the <a href="NJDOT Facebook page">NJDOT Facebook page</a>, or Instagram <a href="@NewJersey.DOT">@NewJersey.DOT</a>