



# **Public Information Center**

I-295 Noise Barrier
Lawrence Township, Mercer County, New Jersey

Date: Tuesday, May 13, 2025 | 6pm - 8pm

The New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT), committed to developing transportation improvements that best balance transportation needs, the environment, community concerns and costs, will hold a **Public Information Center (PIC)** to provide local residents, public officials, and the business community with information on the **I-295 Noise Barrier** project. You are encouraged to actively participate by providing comments at the meeting, by mail, or e-mail.

#### THE MEETING

Please join us for a meeting on **Tuesday, May 13, 2025**, from 6pm to 8pm, learn more about the project and leave comments.

The meeting will be held at:

# Lawrence Township Municipal Building 2207 Lawrenceville Rd, Lawrence Township, NJ 08648

You will have an opportunity to review exhibits of the relevant items, submit questions, and leave feedback. Property owners with rental units are advised that tenants are also invited and encouraged to participate.

### **BACKGROUND**

The project aims to reduce noise levels to residences of the Long Acres neighborhood along a portion of I-295 Southbound. Peak highway traffic noise levels approach or exceed the recommended threshold for residential noise in this area. The neighborhood is bounded by W. Long Drive to the west, Route 206 to the east, and Rider University to the south.

#### THE PROPOSED PROJECT

The Preliminary Preferred Alternative (PPA) for the project is a 2,780-foot-long concrete noise barrier.

## TRAFFIC CONSTRUCTION IMPACTS

Construction will occur in a single stage along the shoulders, median of I-295, and ramp infields. While offpeak hour ramp detours are expected for most ramps, the I-295 Southbound to Route 206 Southbound ramp will be completely closed with a detour to construct the noise barrier. All other lanes and ramps will remain open during peak hours.

### **PROJECT SCHEDULE**

Final Design: Spring 2025 Construction: Summer 2025

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