



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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East Main Street to be closed and detoured for ten days as railroad-crossing repairs begin in Manasquan Necessary safety work will require detours

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced the start of a railroad crossing rehabilitation project that will require a ten-day closure and detour of East Main Street in Manasquan, Monmouth County.

Beginning at 9 a.m., tomorrow, Thursday, April 29, until 3 p.m., Thursday, May 6, East Main Street will be closed and detoured in both directions at the railroad crossing between Colby Avenue and Wyckoff Avenue to remove the existing crossing and replace it with a new concrete crossing, as well as new asphalt approaches. Local access will be maintained for residents and businesses. The following detours will be in place:

East Main Street eastbound detour:

- Motorists traveling eastbound on East Main Street will be directed to turn left on Taylor Avenue
- Turn right onto Stockton Lake Boulevard
- Turn right onto Wyckoff Avenue back to East Main Street

East Main Street westbound detour:

- Motorists traveling westbound on East Main Street will be directed to turn right onto Wyckoff Avenue
- Turn left onto Stockton Lake Boulevard
- Turn left onto Taylor Avenue back to East Main Street

The traffic detours will be coordinated with the local police. If work is completed early, the roadway will be reopened sooner.

In order to provide safer and smoother railroad crossing, the existing crossing will be replaced with new concrete crossings and new asphalt approaches. This federally-funded project is included within NJDOT's railroad grade-crossing safety program which repairs, upgrades, or removes approximately 30 crossings each year, statewide.

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 real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter [@NJDOT_info](https://twitter.com/NJDOT_info) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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