



# NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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## **Route 1&9 northbound ramp to I-78/I-95/NJ Turnpike to be closed and detoured tonight in Newark Detour necessary for overhead sign structure replacement**

**(Trenton)** – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced the Route 1&9 northbound ramp to I-78/I-95/NJ Turnpike in Newark will be closed and detoured tonight to replace an overhead sign structure.

Beginning at 11 p.m. tonight, Monday, June 21, until 5 a.m. tomorrow, NJDOT's contractor Ferreira Construction, will close the Route 1&9 northbound ramp to I-78/I-95/NJ Turnpike in Newark to remove the existing overhead sign structure and replace it with a new overhead sign structure. Access to both the exit for I-78 west/Clinton and the exit for I-78 east to I-95/NJ Turnpike/Holland Tunnel/ New York City will remain open except for a few 15-minute closures necessary to take down the existing sign structure and to install the new sign structure. The following ramp detour will be in place from 11 p.m. tonight until 5 a.m. tomorrow:

### **Route 1&9 northbound ramp to I-78/I-95/New Jersey Turnpike detour:**

- Motorists on Route 1&9 north wishing to use the exit to I-78/I-95/NJ Turnpike in Newark will be directed to continue to the next exit, following signs for the South Area at Newark Liberty International Airport
- Stay right on the ramp
- Turn right onto Brewster Avenue toward the South Area/Terminals A, B, C
- Stay right and take the Airport Exit/I-78 to Garden State Parkway/NJ Turnpike
- Stay left for I-78 west/Clinton
- Stay right for I-78 east to I-95/NJ Turnpike/Holland Tunnel/ New York City

This work is part of a \$9 million regional contract to replace 15 overhead sign structures in north Jersey. This project is expected to be completed in the summer 2021. 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 Twitter [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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