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Old Mill Road to be closed as railroad crossing repairs begin in Franklin Lakes, Bergen County 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 week-long closure and detour of Old Mill Road in Franklin Lakes, Bergen County.

Beginning at 7 a.m. Monday, July 12 until 7 a.m. Friday, July 16, Old Mill Road is scheduled to be closed in both directions at the railroad crossing. Construction will remove the existing railroad crossing and replace it with a new concrete crossing, as well as new asphalt approaches for a safer and smoother railroad crossing. Motorists are advised to follow the signed detour using Franklin Avenue and Pulis Avenue.

This federally-funded project is included within NJDOT's railroad grade-crossing safety program, which repairs, upgrades, or removes approximately 50 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 [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) or on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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