



# NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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## **Route 30 over Beach Thorofare Bridge eastbound lane closures Monday as rehabilitation project advances in Atlantic City Route 30 eastbound traffic to be shifted for the next several months**

**(Trenton)** – The New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) today announced lane closures on Route 30 eastbound on Monday as the Route 30/Absecon Boulevard over Beach Thorofare/Absecon Boulevard Bridge replacement project advances in Atlantic City.

Beginning at 9 a.m. Monday, February 7 until 3:30 p.m., NJDOT's contractor, PKF Mark III, Inc., is scheduled to close a second lane on Route 30 eastbound just past the traffic signal across from the self-storage facility in order to reposition barriers and restripe the roadway to implement a traffic shift. The left lane on Route 30 in both directions was closed in November. At least one lane eastbound will be maintained during the day.

By Monday afternoon, two lanes on Route 30/Absecon Boulevard eastbound will be open and shifted toward the median. The shift will allow for the rehabilitation of the right two lanes of the bridge. The current two-lane configuration on Route 30/Absecon Boulevard westbound will be maintained. There will be no pedestrian access on either side of the bridge during this stage as portions of the deck will be removed. This stage is expected to be completed before summer 2022.

The work is part of a \$19.6 million project that will rehabilitate the bridge to improve its safety and reliability. Structural repairs will be made to the movable bascule span. Mechanical equipment and electrical components will be upgraded to meet current standards and improve performance, while adding redundancy. The project includes extending the sidewalk across the Venice Lagoon to Grammercy Avenue, as well as improvements to barrier and warning gates, railings, and drainage. This project is expected to be completed in summer 2023.

Construction is being done in stages to minimize the disruption to vehicular and marine traffic. Work will be suspended during the peak summer season with all three lanes of traffic open in each direction.

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 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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