



# NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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## **Route 21 ramp to I-280 eastbound to be closed and detoured this weekend in Newark, Essex County Closures necessary for fence installation and other safety improvements**

**(Trenton)** – The Route 21 ramp to I-280 eastbound will be closed tonight, Friday, November 4 from 10 p.m. until 4 a.m. Monday, November 7 in Newark, Essex County.

The closures are necessary for fence installation and other safety improvements. The ramp from Route 21 to I-280 westbound will remain open. Route 21 northbound traffic taking the jughandle to I-280 eastbound will be directed to follow the same detour. The following detour will be in place:

### **Route 21 to I-280 eastbound:**

- Motorists on Route 21 wishing to take the ramp to I-280 eastbound will be directed to stay left to take the ramp to I-280 westbound/The Oranges
- Take Exit 14 to Clifton Avenue
- Turn left onto Clifton Avenue
- Turn left to take the ramp to I-280 eastbound/NJ Turnpike

The work is part of a \$9.7 million state-funded maintenance project to repair steel and aluminum structures at various locations in eight counties throughout North Jersey.

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. For NJDOT news follow us on Twitter [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) and our [Facebook page](#).

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