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Route 22 overnight lane closures this week as guiderail work continues in Hillside, Union County and Newark, Essex County **Work part of resurfacing project nearing completion**

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced overnight lane closures on Route 22 in both directions this week as the Route 22 Broad Street to Route 27/Empire Street paving project nears completion in Hillside, Union County and Newark, Essex County.

Beginning at 9 p.m. tonight, Tuesday, December 27, until 6 a.m. tomorrow, Wednesday, December 28, NJDOT's contractor, Della Pello Paving, Inc., is scheduled to close the right lane on Route 22 eastbound between the Broad Street overpass in Hillside and the bridge over Empire Street in Newark to install guiderail. At least one lane will be maintained in each direction overnight.

On Wednesday, December 28 and Thursday, December 29 from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. the next day, the right lane on Route 22 westbound is scheduled to be closed between the bridge over Empire Street in Newark and the Broad Street overpass in Hillside to install guiderail. At least one lane will be maintained in each direction overnight.

This work is part of a \$2 million federally-funded project to resurface Route 22 in both directions between Broad Street/CR623 to Route 27/Empire Street. In addition, guiderail and drainage structures are being upgraded. This project is expected to be complete in the spring 2023.

Motorists are encouraged to check NJDOT's traffic information website www.511nj.org for construction updates and real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) and our [Facebook page](#).

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