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Route 72 lane and shoulder closures this week as Old South Broadway to Marsha Drive pavement project advances **Closures necessary for curb, median and sidewalk work**

(Trenton) – New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced lane and shoulder closures on Route 72 this week as the Route 72, Old South Broadway to Marsha Drive project advances in Stafford, Ocean County.

From 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. tomorrow, Tuesday, June 27 the left lane on Route 72 eastbound near the Mill Creek Road intersection is scheduled to be closed. On Wednesday, June 28 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., the left lane on Route 72 eastbound and westbound is scheduled to be closed. The closures are necessary for median crosswalk work near Mill Creek Road.

In addition, the right shoulder on Route 72 in both directions is scheduled to be closed from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesday, June 27 and Wednesday, June 28 near the Stafford Square shopping center and Jennings Road for curb and sidewalk work.

The work is part of a \$2.4 million pavement preservation project that will resurface approximately 3 miles of Route 72 in both directions from the Stafford Square shopping center to just west of Marsha Drive in Stafford, Ocean County using an Ultra-Thin High Performance overlay. Work is scheduled to take place Mondays through Thursdays, with paving taking place overnight beginning in July. The project is expected to be complete by the end this summer 2023.

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 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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