



# NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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## **I-280 eastbound on-ramp from Pleasant Valley Way to be closed this weekend in West Orange I-280 eastbound right lane also closed to repair sinkhole**

**(Trenton)** – The I-280 eastbound on-ramp from Pleasant Valley Way is scheduled to be closed this weekend to repair a sinkhole in West Orange, Essex County. In addition, the right lane on I-280 eastbound is scheduled to be closed overnight just past Exit 7.

Beginning at 9 p.m. tomorrow, Saturday, October 28, until 11 a.m. Sunday, October 29, the on-ramp from Pleasant Valley Way to I-280 eastbound is scheduled to be closed and detoured. In addition, the right lane on I-280 eastbound will be closed overnight at the same times. The Exit 7 ramp to Pleasant Valley Way/Millburn/Verona will remain open during construction. The following detour will be in place:

### **Pleasant Valley Way/CR 636 on-ramp to I-280 eastbound detour:**

- Motorists on Pleasant Valley Way/CR 636 wishing to take the on-ramp to I-280 eastbound will be directed to continue on Pleasant Valley Way/CR 636 northbound, past I-280
- Take the ramp to I-280 westbound
- Take Exit 6A to Laurel Avenue South
- Take the ramp to I-280 eastbound

This is the second of two weekends requiring lane and ramp closures for sinkhole repairs. At least two lanes of traffic will be maintained on I-280 eastbound during construction. Motorists are advised to slow down, use caution, and expect delays or plan an alternate route. NJDOT will provide notice prior to any future closures.

The work is part of a \$15.8 million state-funded maintenance project to repair stormwater facilities at various locations in eight counties throughout North Jersey.

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 X (Twitter) [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) and our [Facebook page](#).

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