



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

For Immediate Release:
December 14, 2022

Contact: Jim Barry
Leanna Nelson
609-963-1975

Route 22 lane closures tonight for guiderail replacement 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 lane and shoulder closures tonight 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, Wednesday, December 14, until 6 a.m. tomorrow, Thursday, December 15, NJDOT's contractor, Della Pello Paving, Inc. is scheduled to close the right lane and shoulder on Route 22 in both directions 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.

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](#).

#