



NJDOT TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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Midland Avenue/CR 67 to be closed for railroad crossing repairs beginning tomorrow in Garfield Detours necessary during construction

(Trenton) – Midland Avenue/CR 67 is scheduled to be closed and detoured beginning tomorrow between President Street and Hartman Avenue for railroad crossing improvements in Garfield, Bergen County.

Beginning at 9 a.m. Thursday, October 19, until 9 a.m. Thursday, October 26, Midland Avenue/CR 67 will be closed in both directions between President Street and Hartman Avenue to remove the existing railroad crossing. The closure is necessary to reconstruct the crossing and approaches. Access will be maintained for local traffic. The following detours will be in place:

Midland Avenue/CR 67 northbound detour:

- Motorists on Midland Avenue/CR 67 northbound will be directed to turn left onto Outwater Lane
- Turn right onto River Drive
- Turn right onto Lanza Avenue, back to Midland Avenue/CR 67

Midland Avenue/CR 67 southbound detour:

- Motorists on Midland Avenue/CR 67 southbound will be directed to turn right onto Lanza Avenue
- Turn left onto River Drive
- Turn left onto Outwater Lane, back to Midland Avenue

In order to provide safer and smoother railroad crossing, the existing crossing will be replaced with new concrete crossings and asphalt approaches. This federally-funded project is included within NJDOT's railroad grade-crossing safety program which repairs, upgrades, or removes approximately 50 crossings each year, statewide.

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 real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter [@NewJerseyDOT](https://twitter.com/NewJerseyDOT) and on the [NJDOT Facebook page](#).

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