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I-95 Lane Closures and Others in or Near Darien This Week

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Lanes will close on Interstate 95 in Darien on Tuesday and Wednesday, and in Greenwich on Monday — and for about three weeks on South State Street in Stamford, according to announcements from the Connecticut Department of Transportation.

Interstate 95 This Week for Bridge Inspection

Expect lane closures at these spots:

- In Greenwich from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday, left lanes are expected to be closed between Exits 4 and 5 on both sides of the highway.
- In Darien on both Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. expect alternating left and right lane closures between Exits 9 and 10 on both sides of the highway.

Other Traffic Restrictions

These other projects in the area, but not on Interstate 95, will also restrict traffic:

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- In Norwalk from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 10 single lane closures on West Avenue between I-95 Exit 15 on/off ramps.
- In Greenwich from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Friday, Nov. 11 alternating one way traffic on Ferris Drive at Rockmere.

South State Street in Stamford, Nov. 9 to Dec. 7

Only one lane of traffic will be open on South State Street in the area <u>between Guernsey Avenue</u> and <u>Atlantic Street</u>, the department announced. The area is just east of the South State Street entrance to Stamford Railroad Station.

The traffic restriction is expected to start on about Wednesday, Nov. 9 and continue for about a month, to Dec. 7, according to a CTDOT announcement.

Here's the full text of the announcement:

To accommodate drainage and sewer construction activities, South State Street in Stamford will be reduced to one eastbound lane beginning on or about November 9, through December 7, 2016. Motorist should seek alternate routes around the construction area.

The lane reduction will be used to minimize the duration of traffic impacts and to expedite the associated work installing a new sanitary sewer line and underground utility conduit bank concurrently between Guernsey Ave. and Atlantic Street. The work is anticipated to take about three weeks to complete depending on the amount of rock encountered.

About the project:

The project consists of improvements to Interstate 95 Exit 8 along with Atlantic Street and South State Street in Stamford. The project will improve the lane configuration along South State Street and provide a more efficient traffic flow exiting I-95 as well as improve the drainage in the area. This work will involve temporary off-ramp lane reductions for the completion of the new Exit 8 flyover bridge and retaining walls along the I-95 corridor between Atlantic Street and Canal Street.

DOT Project No. 0135-0326 was awarded to Yonkers Contracting Co., Inc. of, CT on January 15, 2016 for \$33,881,217.09 with an official start date of February 8, 2016 and is anticipated to be complete in June 2018.

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