



# PULASKI CONTRACT 2 - ROUTE 139 COMMUNITY ADVISORY

May 2017

## RECONSTRUCTION OF ST. PAUL'S AVENUE & SUMMIT AVENUE BRIDGES

Reconstruction of the St. Paul's Avenue and Summit Avenue bridge sections of the Route 139 rehabilitation project began the week of May 8th. Originally, this next phase was slated to begin in July but the work has been accelerated. Motorist and pedestrian detours will be in place until the end of the year. NJ Transit bus stops have been relocated back to Central Avenue. These closures will allow for the demolition of the aging bridge decks and steel beams and a full replacement of the superstructures and reconstruction of the abutment stems. Prior to re-opening, new traffic signals will be constructed at the Summit Avenue and Route 139 upper roadway intersection.

### St. Paul's Avenue Bridge

The reconstruction of the St. Paul's Avenue bridge located between Bevan Street and Route 139 eastbound was closed on **Monday, May 8, 2017**. During this time, St. Paul's Avenue will be closed past Bevan Street and there will be no through traffic from JFK Boulevard on St. Paul's Avenue after Monday evening. Local access will be maintained for residents on St. Paul's Avenue, Huron Avenue and the charter school. Sign up for weekly alerts to keep informed of demolition and other related construction activities.

### Summit Avenue Bridge

Beginning **Friday, May 12, 2017** evening Summit Avenue at Route 139 eastbound will be closed to north and southbound traffic until winter. Traffic will be detoured to Central Avenue. The first phase of demolition is scheduled from Friday, May 12<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>. Sign up for weekly alerts to keep informed of demolition and other related construction activities.

### DETOUR ROUTES (SEE DETOUR MAP ON REVERSE SIDE)

Traveling South on Summit Avenue	Traveling North on Summit Avenue
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Motorists will turn left on Hopkins Avenue, right on Central Avenue and continue south.</li> <li>• Pedestrians will turn left on Route 139, right on Central Avenue, right on Newark Avenue to return to Summit Avenue. Or, turn right on Route 139, left on JFK Boulevard, left on Newark Avenue to return to Summit Avenue.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Motorists will turn right on Newark Avenue, left on Central Avenue and continue north.</li> <li>• Pedestrians will use Newark Avenue, left on Central Avenue, left on Route 139 to return to Summit Avenue. Or, use Newark Avenue, right on JFK Boulevard, right on Route 139 to return to Summit Avenue.</li> </ul>

**Noise Alert**

**Please be aware that heavy demolition work will be ongoing during overnight hours for a limited time. Demolition work will be done expeditiously to minimize the noise impact to the community. Sign up for weekly alerts to keep informed.**

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