

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Division of Bridges Rehabilitation of the Brooklyn Bridge

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CB 1 and 3 (Manhattan) and CB 2 (Brooklyn)

The New York City Department of Transportation is performing rehabilitation work on the Brooklyn Bridge ramps and approaches, which are in urgent need of repair. As part of the project, the steel components of the entire span will also be repainted to prevent corrosion. This work started in the spring and will continue until 2014.

To facilitate this work, DOT announces that the **Brooklyn Bridge will be closed to Manhattan-bound traffic** overnight, beginning on Monday, **Aug. 23rd** and will continue until the project is completed in 2014. All Manhattan-bound traffic will be detoured to the Manhattan Bridge or other crossings. All Brooklynbound traffic will be maintained, and there will be no closure of the pedestrian/cycling promenade. All work will occur during off-peak hours, and the bridge will be reopened for traffic in both directions each morning.



Closure Times

Sundays to Fridays: closures will begin at 11 PM and the lanes will reopen at 6 AM.

Saturdays: closure will begin at 12:01 AM and the lanes will reopen at 7 AM.

Sundays: closure will begin at 12:01 AM and lanes will reopen at 9 AM.

A downloadable brochure showing detour routes and closure dates and times is available at: http://nyc.gov/html/dot/downloads/pdf/brooklyn_bridge_brochure.pdf, or by contacting Sabrina Lau at the number below, to receive a copy in the mail. During closure times, a construction embargo will be in place on the Williamsburg and Manhattan Bridges, as well as on those local streets in Brooklyn and Manhattan that are utilized for detoured traffic.

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