



PLEASE SEE THE RESCHEDULED DATE
Important Notice
Replacement of the Willis Avenue Bridge
Over the Harlem River

Contract No. BRCR076

Community Board No's 1 Bronx and 11 Manhattan

August 2010

Partial Closure of Willis Avenue Bridge
over the Major Deegan Expressway
Detour onto Bruckner Boulevard
Saturday, August 14, 2010
1:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.

On Saturday, August 14 between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m., the New York City Department of Transportation will **close the portion of the Willis Avenue Bridge over the Major Deegan Expressway and detour motorists onto Bruckner Boulevard**. This closure will allow the construction of a new temporary ramp that will bring traffic onto the *new* Willis Avenue Bridge over the Major Deegan Bridge. When the *new* Willis Avenue Bridge over Major Deegan bridge is in use, demolition and removal of the current bridge over the Major Deegan can commence. The closure and detour are postponed from August 7th.

During these early morning hours a detour will be required. All motorists crossing the Willis Avenue Bridge will detour to the Bruckner Boulevard ramp.

Motorists seeking the northbound Major Deegan will follow the posted detour (*see attached map*)

- Travel south on Bruckner Boulevard, turn left at Saint Ann's Avenue, turn left at East 135th Street, and proceed along East 135th Street for four blocks to the entrance to the northbound Major Deegan, just past the Willis Avenue intersection

Construction signs and Variable Message Boards will alert motorists to the detour.

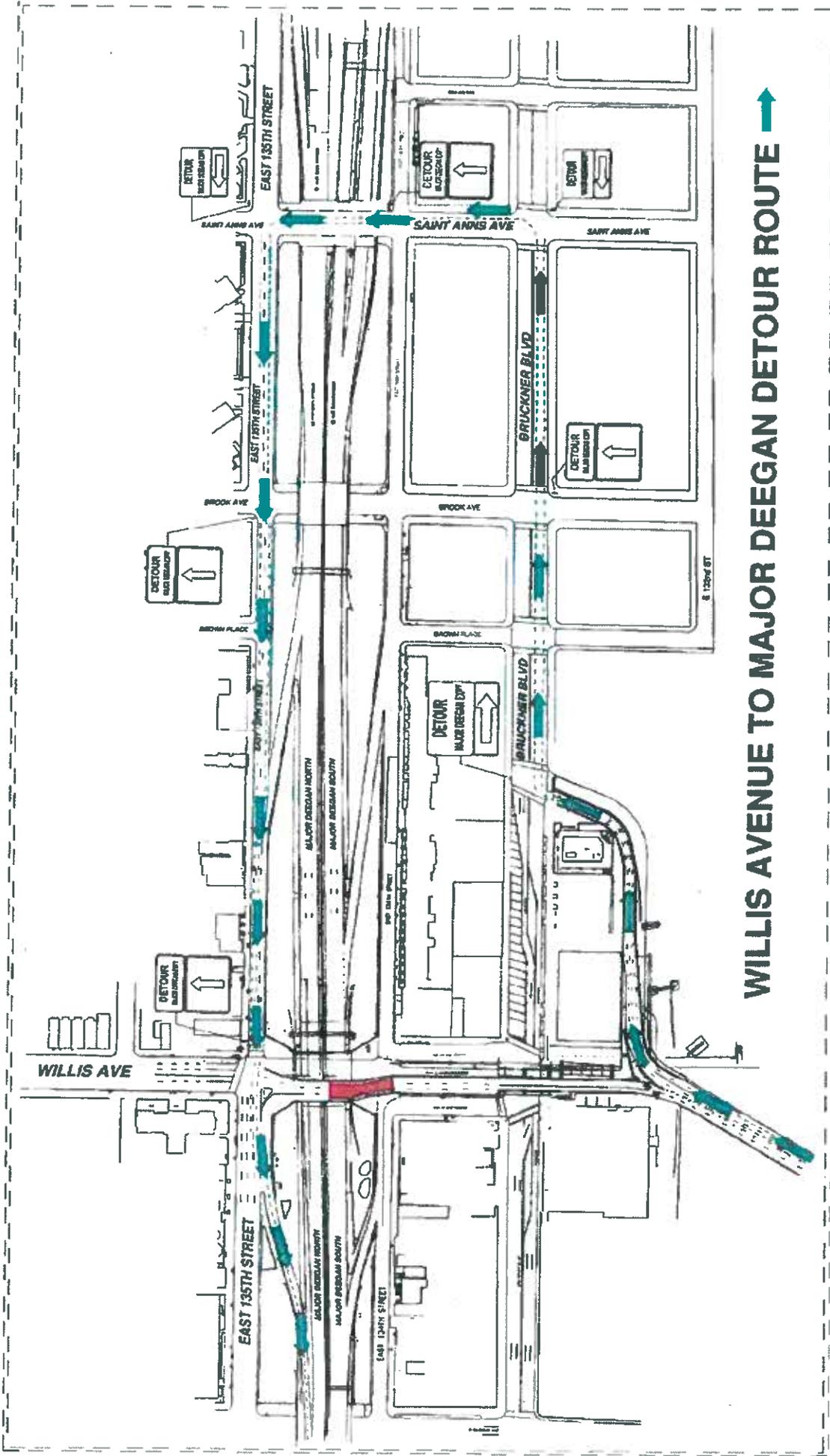
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