



# Important Notice – Revised Dates E. 78<sup>th</sup> Street Pedestrian Bridge

HBMC029R

## *FDR Drive Closures*

*For Installation of Replacement Bridge Span*

## *One and Two Lane Closures*

*11:00 p.m. Saturday, October 22 to 2:00 a.m. Sunday, October 23, 2011*

*Followed by*

## *Full Roadway Closure*

*Sunday, October 23, 2011, 2:00 a.m. to 7:00 a.m.*

**Revised  
Dates for  
Closure**

On Saturday October 22, beginning at 9:00 p.m., construction crews will mobilize to install the replacement pedestrian bridge over the FDR at E. 78<sup>th</sup> Street. At 11:00 p.m. and continuing overnight until 7:00 a.m. on Sunday October 23, the New York City Department of Transportation will implement **lane and road closures** of the Northbound and Southbound FDR to complete the installation of the bridge. The FDR will be completely re-opened to traffic at 7:00 a.m. on Sunday morning, October 23, 2011. During the closure period, Construction Signs, Variable Message Boards and Traffic Control Agents will guide motorists along the detour routes shown on the following page and as described below:

### One & Two Lane Closures on the FDR Drive

11:00 p.m. Sat. October 22, to 2:00 a.m.  
Sun. October 23, 2011

Closures will begin approximately one-half mile before the work area in the vicinity of E. 78<sup>th</sup> Street on both the northbound and southbound lanes. The southbound entrance to the FDR Drive at E. 79<sup>th</sup> Street will also close at 11:00 p.m.

### Full Closure FDR Drive

2:00 a.m. until 7:00 a.m.  
Sun, October 23, 2011

Downtown traffic on the Southbound FDR Drive will be directed along 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue from **116<sup>th</sup> Street to E. 74<sup>th</sup> Street**, right onto **York Avenue to E. 73<sup>st</sup> Street**, and back onto the southbound FDR Drive at E. 73<sup>st</sup> Street, as shown on the map on the following page.

Uptown traffic on the Northbound Drive will be directed along 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue from **E. 61<sup>st</sup> Street to E. 96<sup>th</sup> Street** as shown on the attached page.



**Old Bridge Span Removed on July 31**

It is expected that all work on the bridge and adjacent ramps will be completed by early November, 2011.

Community Liaison Deborah Howes is available to provide information about the project at **347-834-7455** or via email at: [E78thStreetPedestrianBridge@gmail.com](mailto:E78thStreetPedestrianBridge@gmail.com).

For all NYC non-emergency services, including inquiries regarding NYCDOT Construction projects, dial 311. Be prepared to give the following information so your call can be directed properly: your name and the borough; the project number – HBMC029R, and a

return phone number.

**Detour Routes for North and Southbound Traffic; and Exit and Entrances during the Full Closure of the FDR Drive.**

