



Board of County Commissioners

Public Works Committee

**RESOLUTION PROHIBITING NORMAL TRAFFIC ALONG PERKINTOWN ROAD,
COUNTY ROAD #644 IN OLDMANS TOWNSHIP FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A
NEW BRIDGE OVER NJ INTERSTATE ROUTE #295**

WHEREAS, a request was received from New Jersey Department of Transportation and R.E. Pierson for the Temporary Road Closure of Perkintown Road, County Road #644 for the NJDOT Contract No. 007153160 Bridge Replacement and Raising of The Perkintown Road Bridge over NJ Route #295 in Oldman's Township. This road closure will start at the intersection of Perkintown Road, County Road #644 and Clara Drive, a Township Road, then proceed South for One (1) mile to the intersection of Straughns Mill Road, County Road #643.

WHEREAS, due to the demolition of the existing bridge deck, the reconstruction of the bridge abutments and the raising of the new bridge deck, it will be necessary to close the road to allow for the safe and proper construction of the new bridge.

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 39:4-197.3 Permits an emergent or temporary condition which dictates adoption of special traffic regulations for up to 90 days; and

WHEREAS, Perkintown Road, County Road #644 is a road under the jurisdiction of the County of Salem.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Salem County Board of County Commissioners that the request to prohibit through traffic on Perkintown Road, County Road #644 is approved and subject to the following conditions:

1. R.E. Pierson will follow all detour requirements as outlined in the NJDOT Detour Plan, plan sheet 35/112 Dated 8/2024.
2. R.E. Pierson at the direction of the NJDOT Project Resident Engineer shall install the detour and maintain in proper condition at all times.
3. R.E. Pierson when possible, during each phase of construction maintain two-way traffic outside the construction zone for local residents and farmers of Perkintown Road,
4. County Road #644.
5. R.E. Pierson will complete all phases of bridge and road work within 365 calendar days.
6. R.E. Pierson will provide proper written notification of all road work activities to impacted residents /businesses along the road closure.
7. R.E. Pierson will at all times maintain the roadway to be accessible for Emergency Vehicles, School Buses, Trash Trucks and Residents.
8. This Resolution shall be in effect for all phases of bridge construction when it is not feasible to maintain two-way traffic in the construction zone.
9. Weekly Notice / Reminder to the Salem County 911 Central Dispatch of the road closure will be made by the contractor.
10. Per NJSA 27:3A-2 R.E. PIERSON will Provide and Install proper detour signs and VMS boards.
11. Per NJSA 27:3-6 & 27:3-7 All Detoured Traffic will use an approved Traffic Control Plan.
12. Per NJSA 27:3-3, 27:3-4 & 27:3-8 R.E. PIERSON will be responsible for any Pavement Damage along the approved detour route and will be required to repave those portions of road to County Standards at R.E. Pierson expense.

13. R.E. Pierson will be required to provide the County Engineer's Office fifteen (15) days prior to utilizing the detour, a Pre-Detour video of the detour route, to document the existing road conditions.
14. A copy of this Resolution shall be provided to the following Municipal bodies: Office of Emergency Management, Municipal Law Enforcement, Local Governing Body.
15. Copies of this Resolution shall also be provided to the following Salem County Departments: Engineer's Office, Office of Emergency Services, Sheriff's Department, Public Works Department.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true resolution adopted by the Salem County Board of County Commissioners on Wednesday, November 20, 2024.


 STACY L. PENNINGTON
 Clerk of the Board

RECORD OF VOTE

COMMISSIONER	RESOLUTION MOVED	RESOLUTION SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
E. Ramsay	✓		✓			
C. Taylor		✓	✓			
D. Timmerman			✓			
G. Ostrum Jr.			✓			
B. Laury			✓			

✓ Indicates Vote

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