

## **News from the Ohio Turnpike**

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## \*\*MEDIA ALERT\*\*

## Toll Plaza 180 westbound entrance ramp closing nightly next week

Minimal traffic will be detoured eastbound to Exit 187 then sent westbound

**BEREA** (Sept. 8, 2017) – Starting next Monday, Sept. 11, 2017 at 11:00 p.m., the westbound Ohio Turnpike entrance ramp at Toll Plaza 180 (SR 8) in Summit County will be closed for pavement repairs until 5:00 a.m. each night, possibly, through Sept. 15, 2017. The repairs may take as few as two nights to complete, weather permitting.

Customers who choose to enter westbound at Exit 180 (SR 8) will be detoured eastbound to Exit 187 and U-turned by uniformed flaggers prior to the toll plaza. This is a 14-mile detour and there will be no additional fare charged.

Here is a list of available detours:

- 1. SR 8 northbound traffic (34-mile detour to TP 173):
  - From Toll Plaza 180 take SR 8 North (9.0 mi.)
  - Merge onto I-271 North / I-480 West (3.9 mi.)
  - Take Exit 26A-B to I-480 West (12.2 mi.)
  - Take Exit 20A to I-77 South (9.1 mi.)
  - Take Exit 146 to Ohio Turnpike Toll Plaza 173 (I-80) West
- 2. SR 8 southbound traffic (35-mile detour to TP 173):
  - From Toll Plaza 180 take SR 8 South (14.0 mi.)
  - Take Exit to I-76 West / I-77 North (2.7 mi.)
  - Continue onto I-77 North (18.3 mi.)
  - Take Exit 146 to Ohio Turnpike Toll Plaza 173 (I-80) West

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The Ohio Turnpike is a 241-mile toll road offering one of the safest, best and most convenient routes for motorists to reach east/west destinations along the northern corridor of Ohio.

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<sup>\*</sup>Factors that may affect exact project start time and completion include inclement weather and unforeseen project complications. For ongoing updates please refer to <a href="https://www.ohioturnpike.org/constructionupdates">www.ohioturnpike.org/constructionupdates</a> and follow the Ohio Turnpike on Twitter: @OhioTurnpike.