



News from the Ohio Turnpike

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****MEDIA ALERT****

Pennsylvania Turnpike warns of 80-mile detour this weekend

BEREA (Sept. 22, 2017) – The Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission is scheduled to replace two bridges beginning tonight using an engineering technique that allows workers to replace a bridge in one weekend.

The first closure will take place tonight from 9:00 p.m. through 4:00 a.m. Monday, Sept. 25, on the PA Turnpike Mainline (Interstate 76, milepost 20.47) in Beaver County.

PA Turnpike officials strongly urge motorists to consider alternative routes, travel during off-peak hours or avoid the area altogether.

The second closure will take place from 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 29, through 4 a.m. Monday, Oct. 2, on the Northeastern Extension (Interstate 476, milepost 57.66) in Lehigh County.

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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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