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Post-Independence Day Holiday Travel Restrictions Planned in Bucks and Montgomery Counties for Route 202 Parkway Construction

Work scheduled at intersection of Route 202 and Route 63

King of Prussia – Motorists will face daytime traffic restrictions at the intersection of Route 202 (DeKalb Pike) and Route 63 (Welsh Road) as well as on other roadways in Bucks and Montgomery counties next week (July 5-8) for construction of the Route 202 Parkway, the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation said today.

Construction to install left turn lanes at two approaches to the intersection of Route 202 (DeKalb Pike) and Route 63 (Welsh Road) in Upper Gwynedd and Lower Gwynedd townships will result in lane closures at the intersection on Tuesday through Friday (July 5-8) from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Crews will be grading and paving new left turn lanes on Route 202 South and Route 63 West to improve traffic flow through the work area as construction continues on the southern terminus of the Parkway. Motorists should expect delays approaching the intersection during this weekday operation.

Periodic lane closures also will occur on Route 202 (DeKalb Pike), between Sumneytown Pike and Route 63 (Welsh Road), and on Route 63 (Welsh Road), between Stump Road and Bell Run Boulevard, for utility relocation and widening on Tuesday through Friday (July 5-8) from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Drivers in Warrington and New Britain townships, Bucks County, will encounter periodic single lanes with flaggers Tuesday through Thursday (July 5-8) from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. for road widening on:

- Route 152 (Limekiln Pike) between Stump Road and Route 202 (Butler Avenue);
- Upper State Road between County Line and Pickertown roads; and
- County Line Road between Stump and Upper State roads.

Additional travel restrictions in Doylestown and Warrington townships for Parkway and other bridge construction include:

- The closure of Wells Road between Lower State and Turk roads;
- The permanent closure of Detweiler Road between Stump and Upper State roads; and
- The closure of Lower State Road to northbound traffic between Bristol and Almshouse roads.

Drivers should anticipate delays and add extra time for travel through the construction areas. All planned activities are contingent on the weather.



PennDOT is investing more than \$200 million in state funds to build the nine-mile long Route 202 Parkway in Bucks and Montgomery counties and to improve roads approaching the Parkway's entrances.

For more information on the Route 202 Parkway, please visit www.us202-700.com.

PennDOT reminds motorists they can log on to 511pa.com or call 511 from any phone to check traffic conditions on major highways before heading out.

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