

The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey is committed to keeping the residential communities surrounding the Bayonne Bridge informed of progressing construction on the "Raise the Roadway" Project.

# BAYONNE BRIDGE

NAVIGATIONAL CLEARANCE PROJECT

## STATEN ISLAND COMMUNITY UPDATE

SUMMER 2015



The view of a newly constructed pier in the toll plaza area. Also, a new roadway segment is being prepared for installation.



Spans of roadway segments are joined with "closure pours." These pours fill the gap between two sections of roadway. Shown here, workers in Bayonne are installing the framework for a closure pour on the bridge's new elevated northbound roadway.

### Progress

- ▶ To date, the Bayonne Bridge Raise the Roadway Project is approximately 40 percent complete, with 27 percent of pier segments and 17 percent of roadway segments installed.
- ▶ Estimated completion of the new northbound roadway is late 2016, at which time all traffic will be switched to the new, higher roadway and removal of the existing roadway will begin.

### Construction Update

- ▶ Workers are currently setting roadway segments on Innis Street. While this process should not create an excessive amount of noise, we are mindful of the impact construction may have on the community. In the event you feel inconvenienced, see reverse side for information on our "Temporary Hotel Stay" Residential Assistance Program.
- ▶ On John Street, construction continues on the building that will house all of the electrical and plumbing needs for the bridge.

### Street Closures

- ▶ In early August, Innis Street between Morningstar Road and John Street will be closed for approximately two months during the overnight hours from 8:30 p.m. through 5 a.m. to allow construction crews to install roadway segments over Innis Street. During this closure, residents will continue to have access to their homes at all times.

## Residential Assistance Programs

The Port Authority of NY & NJ has initiated a series of programs to help minimize construction impacts for those who rent or own residential property in Staten Island located closest to the Bayonne Bridge work zone. The agency is committed to proactively addressing community needs, and keeping residents comfortable, safe, and informed during the construction of this important regional infrastructure project.

For information about the programs below, contact **O.R. Colan Associates** at **201 301-6263**.

- ▶ Window Replacement
- ▶ Temporary Hotel Stay

For information about the programs below, contact **Tai Johnson, External Relations Representative** at **718 390-2532**.

- ▶ Air Conditioner Reimbursement
- ▶ Paint Chip Removal
- ▶ Pool Covers/Water Testing
- ▶ Exterminating Services
- ▶ Dirt Removal/Power Washing
- ▶ Car Wash Certificates
- ▶ Litter Removal
- ▶ Damage Claim Form

## Community Outreach Office

A Community Outreach Office has been established at 209 John Street in Staten Island where residents can speak directly with Port Authority staff about any questions or concerns. Please contact **Tai Johnson** at **718 390-2532** to schedule an appointment.

### Office Hours

Monday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
Tuesday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
Friday 8 a.m. - 12 Noon

## Meet the People of Team Bayonne Bridge



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### For more information

- ▶ Email us at [BayonneBridge@panynj.gov](mailto:BayonneBridge@panynj.gov)
- ▶ Call us toll-free at **855 265-5482** for bridge status, project information, or to report a noise concern 24/7
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