



# NY ROUTE 347 SAFETY, MOBILITY, AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

## TERRY ROAD TO GIBBS POND ROAD

ATTENTION SMITHTOWN RESIDENTS AND BUSINESS OWNERS:

Active construction for the NY Route 347 Safety, Mobility and Environmental Improvement Project between Terry and Gibbs Pond roads is set to begin Monday, August 1<sup>st</sup>. NYSDOT and the project team intend to minimize the impact on residents, drivers and businesses during this major project by limiting activities to off-peak day and/or night time hours and by shifting travel lanes during various stages. To begin reconstruction, eastbound and westbound travel lanes will be shifted toward the center median to accommodate utility, tree and road work on the north and south sides of NY Route 347

In addition, the current median opening at Garfield Court between Lake Avenue and Gibbs Pond Road, and the opening at the Town of Smithtown Highway Department west of Southern Blvd. will be closed for the safety of motorists. A decorative concrete center median barrier with plantings will be built similar to those west of Mount Pleasant Road, and NY 347 will be widened with three lanes and a bikeway. Maintaining these openings in the new barrier is unsafe as it would not allow adequate sight distance when attempting to turn.

In addition to the travel lane shifts, to keep traffic moving during construction, lane closures will begin in August and will be limited to intermittent single lane closures Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., and night closures will be in effect 10 p.m. and 6 a.m.

Electronic road signs will provide updated information about daily lane closures.



These closures are needed as part of the \$36.2 million NYSDOT project to improve safety and mobility on NY Route 347 between Terry and Gibbs Pond roads. This Design-Build project is being performed by Posillico Civil, Inc. of Farmingdale, Long Island under contract with NYSDOT.

The NYSDOT project team appreciates your cooperation during these construction operations and looks forward to providing a safer, more reliable and aesthetically appealing roadway for your community.

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