



Traffic Advisory – For Immediate Release
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New Traffic Patterns Planned on I-79 in Washington County

The Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission wants to alert motorists that a new traffic pattern will be in place on I-79 north in Cecil Township, Washington County beginning July 8.

Crews will begin a traffic shift starting around 8 p.m. on July 8 and will be finished by 6 a.m. on July 9. Traffic traveling northbound on I-79 will be divided into two separate lanes beginning at Southpointe Boulevard and then rejoining at Morgan Road.

Traffic traveling in the right lane will be able to use the Southpointe Boulevard Interchange, while the left lane will be through-traffic only. Southbound traffic will not be affected.

This traffic configuration will remain in place for approximately one month at which time traffic will then be able to use the new northbound and southbound lanes of I-79.

Speeds are posted at 45 miles-per-hour throughout the work zone and are strictly enforced. This traffic impact is needed to keep motorists and workers safe as work continues on the PA Turnpike's Southern Beltway (PA Turnpike 576) Project.

For more information about the project, please visit:
https://www.patpconstruction.com/southern_beltway/22to79/.