

DelDOT Prepared for Labor Day Traffic

Dover –The Delaware Department of Transportation (DelDOT) will suspend planned lane closures on Delaware’s major roadways beginning at noon on Friday, September 4 and ending at midnight on Monday, September 7.

DelDOT’s Transportation Management Center (TMC) monitors and adjusts traffic signals for heavy congestion or incidents. Motorists can contact the TMC (24/7) at the following numbers: Dial #77 from any cell phone; (302) 659-4600; or 1-800-324-8379.

We urge motorists to use DelDOT’s App on their tablets and smart phones. The app can be downloaded free at the Apple and Google Play stores or go to www.DelDOT.gov and click on the link to stores.

Motorists who have E-ZPass can expedite their trip by using the E-ZPass Speed Lanes at I-95 Newark, Route 1-Biddles Corner, and Route 1-Dover Toll Plazas.

DART First State bus services, both fixed route and paratransit, will not operate on Monday, September 7, with the exception of the Resort Transit Routes 201-208, its related paratransit service, and Route 305 – Beach Connection. Monday, September 7 is the last day of operation for Route 305 – Beach Connection; however, the Resort Transit Routes will continue to provide service through Sunday, September 13, serving Rehoboth, Lewes, Georgetown, Dewey, Bethany, Fenwick Island and Ocean City, MD. Transit information can be found at www.DartFirstState.com

Motorists may also stop at the I-95 Service Plaza in Newark or the Smyrna Rest Area just off of Exit 119 on Route 1.

SEPTA’s Wilmington/Newark Line will operate its weekend schedule. Please visit <http://www.septa.org/schedules/rail/pdf/nwk.pdf> for schedule information.

For up-to-date travel information visit www.DelDOT.gov and for web enabled telephones and tablets visit www.DelDOT.gov/Mobile

2014 Labor Day Traffic Counts (reflecting a 24-hour period count)

I-95 Newark Toll Plaza

Friday:	101,080
Saturday:	103,695
Sunday:	92,257
Monday:	96,842

Biddles Toll Plaza

Friday:	79,266
Saturday:	62,848

Sunday:	49,654
Monday:	58,879

Dover Toll Plaza

Friday:	66,335
Saturday:	56,004
Sunday:	44,238
Monday:	53,675