Contract 06-552 - PIN 8110.13 BRP-Crane Road Bridge Replacement Project Update

Major portions of both the Northbound (NB) and Southbound (SB) Bronx River Parkway will be closed from 10 PM Friday May 3 to 8 PM Saturday May 4. These closures are necessary to shift traffic to allow for the construction of Piers 1, 2 & 3 as well as construction of drilled soldier piles for the West Abutment and subsequent construction of drilled mini-piles for the South Abutment.

Upon opening the roadway at 8 PM on Saturday May 4, there will be only 1 lane open in each direction for the duration of the project (until 2015). In addition, Exit 12 from the NB BRP to Crane Road will be closed, also until the completion of the project.

This area of the Bronx River Parkway will be fully available for Bicycle Sunday (10 AM to 2 PM on May 5) although bicycles will also be restricted to one lane in each direction.

**Weekend Closure** (See attached detour plan)
- As stated above, major portions of both the Northbound and Southbound Bronx River Parkway will be closed from 10 PM Friday May 3 to 8 PM Saturday May 4. This closure is necessary to shift the roadway into a new traffic pattern (one lane in each direction for the duration of the project) and to facilitate construction activities on the south end of the project.
  - **Northbound Closure**
    - There will be no access from the 6 lane portion of the NB Bronx River Parkway to the 4 lane portion of the NB Bronx River Parkway at the Sprain Brook Parkway.
      - All Traffic will be detoured onto the Sprain Brook Parkway and then Central Park Avenue (NY 100) all the way to White Plains.
        - This is designed to lessen the impact and the volume of diverted traffic to Harney Road, Scarsdale Avenue and East Parkway in Eastchester & Scarsdale.
    - NB BRP will be accessible to local traffic at the following locations (between the Sprain Brook Parkway and Harney Road) at all times:
      - Entrances from Paxton Ave, Elm Street, Scarsdale Road, Thompson Street and Leewood Drive will be open.
      - All NB traffic will be detoured at Harney Road to Scarsdale Avenue and East Parkway, reentering the NB BRP at Crane Road.
      - The NB BRP will be open to traffic at Crane Road and all points north.
  - **Southbound Closure**
    - There will be no access to the SB BRP, in White Plains, south of the County Center.
      - All Traffic will be detoured onto Central Avenue, south to the Sprain Brook Parkway.
    - Entrances to the Southbound BRP at Main Street & Fenimore Road will be closed.
    - The SB Bronx River Parkway will be open at Ardsley Road and points south.
Traffic Pattern Changes

- Exit Ramp Closure
  - Starting Saturday May 4 at 8 PM Northbound Exit 12 at Crane Road will be closed until construction completion in 2015.
    - SB BRP Exit 12 at Crane Road will remain open.
    - The Entrance to the NB Bronx River Parkway at Crane Road will remain open.
- NB & SB Lane Closures on the Bronx River Parkway
  - One lane will be closed in both the northbound and southbound direction of the Bronx River Parkway approaching the Crane Road Bridge. These lanes remain closed until construction completion in 2015.
  - Delays can be expected Northbound during the weekday AM peak period and Southbound during the weekday PM peak period.
  - Two Variable Message Signs, displaying anticipated travel times will be running during these hours.