

I-95 New Haven Harbor Crossing Corridor Improvement Program



CONSTRUCTION ANNOUNCEMENT

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Daytime Rock Blasting on I-95 in East Haven Scheduled for January 26 through February 18

The Connecticut Department of Transportation (ConnDOT) is announcing that daytime rock blasting may occur on I-95 in East Haven between Exit 51 and Lake Saltonstall **between 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays beginning Monday, January 26 through Wednesday, February 18.** This work is to facilitate widening and reconstruction of I-95 and will occur weather permitting.

Traffic on I-95 Northbound and I-95 Southbound between Exit 51 and Lake Saltonstall may be halted for 5-10 minute intervals 2 times each day to protect drivers, passengers and pedestrians during the rock blasting and permit subsequent inspection of roadways.

The construction is part of Contract C1 of the I-95 New Haven Harbor Crossing Corridor Improvement Program. Contract C1 includes the widening of I-95 to three travel lanes in each direction with full inside and outside shoulders, the installation of median concrete barriers and improvements to interchanges between the eastern end of the Lake Saltonstall Bridge and the New Haven/East Haven town line and is scheduled to be completed in November 2005.

To find out about alternatives to driving alone including carpooling, vanpooling and rail and bus service, call RIDEWORKS at 203-777-RIDE; toll-free 1-800-ALL-RIDE or find information at www.rideworks.com. For information about the I-95 New Haven Harbor Crossing Corridor Improvement Program, visit www.I95newhaven.com or call the I-95 Construction Hotline at **1-866-277-9595**. For information about other construction projects in the region, call **203-777-INFO** or visit www.rideworks.com/construction.htm.