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TRAVEL ADVISORY

ROUTE 19 BRIDGE OVER OATKA CREEK IN WYOMING COUNTY TO CLOSE TODAY FOR REPLACEMENT PROJECT

February 28, 2022 (Warsaw, NY) – The New York State Department of Transportation is advising motorists that the bridge carrying State Route 19 over Oatka Creek in the town of Warsaw, Wyoming County, will close today to begin construction of a new steel multi-girder bridge with wider shoulders and a 75-year service life.

The bridge is expected to reopen by September of this year. Standard passenger vehicles should utilize the posted detour along Saltvale Road. Truck traffic should utilize the posted detour along State Route 63, State Route 39/20A, State Route 36, and State Route 19A.

Motorists are reminded that fines are doubled for speeding in a work zone. In accordance with the Work Zone Safety Act of 2005, convictions of two or more speeding violations in a work zone could result in the suspension of an individual's driver's license.

For real-time travel information, motorists should call 511 or visit www.511NY.org or the mobile site at m.511ny.org, New York State's official traffic and travel information source.

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