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Queens Midtown Tunnel Queens-bound Tube Closed For Roadway Work 1 AM, Sat., Nov. 13th Through 5 AM Mon., Nov. 15th

Two-Way Traffic Will Run in Remaining Tube

The Queensbound (south) tube of the Queens Midtown Tunnel will be closed to traffic from **1 AM on Saturday, Nov. 13th through 5 AM on Monday, Nov. 15th** for roadway repair and repaving work.

Two-way traffic will be in effect in the remaining tube **for cars and NYCT buses only** during this period. Commercial vehicles are urged to use either the Robert F. Kennedy Bridge or Brooklyn-Battery Tunnel.

Motorists should expect delays and use an alternate route if possible.

Motorists driving from Manhattan to Queens can enter the tunnel at 34th Street between Second and Third avenues or at 35th Street between Second and Third avenues.
Motorists driving into Manhattan will exit normally at 37th Street and Tunnel exit for uptown and downtown traffic and Third Avenue for uptown vehicles. The 34th Street and Second Avenue ramps will be closed to all Queens-bound traffic.

The work is being done by Restani, (dba) Excellent Paving, of Astoria, Queens, and includes removing old roadway surfaces and adding new asphalt, repairing potholes, and re-striping lanes inside the tube and on the toll plaza.