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Robert F. Kennedy Bridge Harlem River Lift Span Full Closure On Thurs., Aug. 18th

The Robert F. Kennedy Bridge's Harlem River Lift span will be closed in both directions to vehicular traffic on **Thursday, August 18th at approximately 2 p.m. for about 15 minutes** to allow for passage of marine traffic.

This closure, which is required under U.S. Coast Guard rules, will affect all vehicular traffic going into and out of Manhattan via the RFK Bridge.

Motorists may want to seek an alternate route during this time to avoid delays.