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Verrazano-Narrows Bridge Staten Island-bound Lower Level Closure for Annual Five Boro Bike Tour

The Staten Island-bound lower level of the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge will be closed from 2 a.m. until 6 p.m. Sunday, May 3 for the annual TD Five Boro Bike Tour. The upper level of the bridge will remain open in both directions throughout the event. Motorists should expect delays and allow extra travel time. To hear information about all the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge bike tour closures, call 212 360-3000.

Other closings at the Verrazano-Narrows will include:

- One Brooklyn-bound lane on the lower level from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- The Bay Street exit from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- BQE approach (I-278 West) to the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- The 92nd Street entrance ramp to the westbound lower level of the bridge from approximately 2 a.m. to 6 p.m.

In addition, traffic exiting the Hugh L. Carey (formerly Brooklyn-Battery) Tunnel in Brooklyn will be diverted to Hamilton Avenue between 9 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. and the ramp to the FDR Drive from the Robert F. Kennedy Bridge will be closed between 7:45 a.m. and Noon. All Manhattan-bound traffic must exit at 125th Street.