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\*Reminder\* Marine Parkway Bridge Will Be Closed Nightly, July 17-21, 2016 All Traffic Will Be Detoured to Cross Bay Veterans Memorial Bridge

The Marine Parkway-Gil Hodges Memorial Bridge will be fully closed to traffic from <u>11:00 p.m. until</u> <u>5:00 a.m.</u> on:

Sunday, July 17 Monday, July 18 Tuesday, July 19 Wednesday, July 20 Thursday, July 21 (reopening Friday, July 22 at 5:00 a.m.)

Electronic signs will be placed along the Belt Parkway and Flatbush Avenue in Brooklyn, and along Rockaway Point Blvd. and Beach Channel Drive in the Rockaways, notifying motorists to use the Cross Bay Veterans Memorial Bridge as a detour during the closure periods.

The closures are required to allow for maintenance and testing operations on the lift mechanism of the bridge.

Motorists can sign up for MTA e-mail or text alerts at <u>www.mta.info</u> and check the Bridges and Tunnels homepage or Facebook page for the latest information on this planned work.

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