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## **TRAFFIC ADVISORY**

### **Route 280 West Closed Near Exit 13 Due to Vehicle Accident**

#### ***All Traffic Exiting at First Street***

Newark Public Safety Director Brian A. O'Hara announces that due to an investigation of a vehicle accident by New Jersey State Police, all lanes are being closed to traffic at Route 280 West near Exit 13. Traffic is exiting at 1<sup>st</sup> Street.

Director O'Hara thanks you in advance for your patience and cooperation during this investigation. He also urges anyone with information regarding any criminal activities to call the Department's 24-hour Crime Stopper tip line at 1-877-NWK-TIPS (1-877-695-8477). All anonymous Crime Stopper tips are kept confidential and could result in a reward.

Anonymous tips may also be made using the Police Division's website at: [www.newarkpd.org](http://www.newarkpd.org) or through our Smartphone App available at iTunes and Google Play. Search Newark Police Division to download the App.