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*Fulton County...*

### **Upcoming Temporary Closure on Piedmont Road**

**What:** Weather permitting; Georgia Department of Transportation contractors will work overnight to set beams for the I 85 bridge project; this stage of the project represents yet another critical milestone in Georgia DOT's stated goal of reopening I-85 on or before June 15. Work will require continuous lane closures on Piedmont Road. The Buford-Spring Connector will be open to traffic, but the southbound access ramp from Piedmont road to the Buford-Spring Connector will be closed.

**When:** **9 a.m., Tuesday, April 25 until 9 a.m., Wednesday, April 26**

**Where:** Piedmont Road at I-85

**Advisory:** Motorists who regularly use Piedmont Road near I-85 are advised to plan ahead to avoid this route during the specified hours. As always, motorists traveling in the affected areas are reminded to reduce their speeds while traveling through the work zone. Georgia DOT urges motorists to wear seatbelts, eliminate distractions behind the wheel and plan their routes before getting on the road by calling 511 for real-time information.

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