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TRAFFIC ADVISORY
Street Closures Announced for Drive-Up and Go Food Distribution
Wednesday, August 12, 2026

Newark Public Safety Director Emanuel Miranda, Sr., announces that the following streets will be closed during the hours below due to the City of Newark's Drive-Up and Go Food Distribution event:

Beginning at 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. – Wednesday, August 12, 2026

- Mt. Prospect Avenue between 3rd Avenue and Abington Avenue
- 2nd Avenue between Clifton Avenue and Summer Avenue

The food drive begins at 10 a.m. and will be held at Mt. Prospect Avenue and 2nd Avenue.

Drivers are advised to anticipate delays and plan alternate routes.

Director Miranda thanks you in advance for your patience and cooperation during this event. He also urges anyone with information regarding criminal activities to call the Police Division'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 https://npd.newarkpublicsafety.org/.