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Key: (A) Arrested (V) Victim (W) Witness (O) Other (D) Driver (JM) Juvenile Male (JF) Juvenile Female (ROR) Released on Own Recognizance (ROB) Released on Bail (RTP) Released to Parent (HRMC) Hackettstown Regional Medical Center (SCH) St. Clare's Hosp. (MMC) Morristown Medical Center (MCCF) Morris Co. Correctional Facility (MCJDC) Morris Co. Juv. Detention Center

Incident/Event:	Traffic Advisory
Dates:	From August 23 rd through November 2017
Location:	Flanders Drakestown Bridge over South Branch of the Raritan River

This Wednesday, August 23rd, Flanders Drakestown Road will be closed from the intersection with River Road up to the intersection with Wolfe Rd. This project is expected to extend through November 2017.

The County of Morris will be replacing the bridge on Flanders Drakestown Road that crosses over the South Branch of the Raritan River in Mount Olive Township. The hours of construction will be 7:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Monday through Friday; and 7:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. on Saturdays. The bridge will remain closed throughout the months long construction period.

The new bridge will be thirty feet in width and will consist of twelve foot travel lanes and three foot shoulders. This will allow the roadway to better accommodate the traffic that uses this link between the Flanders and Budd Lake sections of the township. The structure of the new bridge will be a stone masonry twin arch.

Persons traveling this roadway should plan on an alternate route through November 2017 and allow for extra time getting to their destinations.