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## **PennDOT Update 611 Road Closure**

Below is the latest on the PA 611 closure in Delaware Water Gap.

The PennDOT Monroe County Maintenance office staff began repair work this week.

They are resetting 517 sections of concrete barrier. They are removing them, shoring up the base material for support, and then resetting the sections. They estimate they will do approximately 50 - 70 sections per day.

Then once this is complete they plan to make repairs to four areas of the roadway. Two of the areas will be shored up with fill material, and the other two will have concrete slabs constructed to provide support of the roadway.

PennDOT is ordering the materials needed to make the roadway repairs (e.g. steel rebar, gravel, etc.) and once the materials arrive PennDOT will begin that work. The schedule will be contingent on the availability of materials and weather.

The best estimate at this point is for the work to be complete and Route 611 back open by the end of spring.