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## **NJTV To Broadcast Governor's Remarks Live Today**

*State of the State Address Coverage Postponed;  
Governor's Remarks to Legislature Broadcast Live at 1pm;  
Additional NJ Today Coverage Planned Around Day's Events*

January 10, 2012 – Trenton, NJ – NJTV, New Jersey's new public television network, announced it will broadcast Governor Chris Christie's remarks to the 215<sup>th</sup> Legislature from Trenton today live at 1pm ET (*check local listings*). The governor is expected to address the death of Assemblyman Alex DeCroce (R-26), which occurred last night at the Statehouse. Governor Christie has postponed his State of the State address that was planned for 3pm (ET) this afternoon. NJTV has, in turn, postponed its planned live broadcast of that speech and its subsequent rebroadcasts and online coverage. The State of the State address is expected to be rescheduled next week.

"We will follow the lead of the Governor's office in covering his upcoming public and Statehouse speeches in the coming days, and will offer full live on-air coverage of today's remarks," said John Servidio, General Manager of NJTV. "We look forward to bringing New Jersey comprehensive coverage of the governor's State of the State address next week. On behalf of everyone at NJTV, I want to extend our sympathy to the DeCroce family at this difficult time."

*NJ Today's* Managing Editor Mike Schneider will be positioned to do a brief introduction for NJTV's broadcast prior to today's remarks from the news program's home base at the DuMont Television Center at Montclair State University. Chief Political Correspondent Michael Aron will be on-site in Trenton during today's activities.

Tonight's edition of *NJ Today*, NJTV's week-nightly news program, hosted by Mike Schneider, will include further commentary and analysis of the day's events.

Today's remarks will also be posted on the show's website later today:  
[www.njtvonline.org/njtoday](http://www.njtvonline.org/njtoday).

*NJ Today* broadcasts weeknights at 6pm ET, with encores at 7:30pm and 11pm on NJTV (*check local listings*). Full episodes are also available online at <http://www.njtvonline.org/njtoday>.

Press pool information posted [here](#).

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### **ABOUT NJTV**

NJTV brings quality public television programs and resources to communities throughout New Jersey and its Tri-state neighbors. NJTV's broadcast schedule combines acclaimed national PBS series like [American Masters](#), [Nature](#), [Charlie Rose](#), and [BBC World News America](#) with an array of state-focused news, arts and public affairs shows, including [One-on-One with Steve Adubato](#), [Perspectives](#), [Caucus New Jersey](#), [Due Process](#) and [State of the Arts](#). The station's week-nightly news broadcast, [NJ Today](#), features stories from across the Garden State. NJTV complements its growing news staff by partnering with state-wide media and higher education institutions. The network actively solicits viewer [news tips, story ideas and feedback](#), along with locally-produced [film shorts and long-form documentaries](#), making New Jerseyans part of the network's editorial team. The network's website, [www.njtvonline.org](http://www.njtvonline.org) posts the latest local news, information and program schedules, and its Education section offers local educators free, classroom-ready, digital resources through [VITAL NJ](#).

NJTV is comprised of WNJN, WNJS, WNJB, and WNJT, which collectively broadcast throughout NJ. Formerly New Jersey Network (NJN), NJTV is operated under an agreement with the state of New Jersey by Public Media NJ, Inc. (PMNJ), a non-profit affiliate of WNET, parent company of award-winning New York public television stations THIRTEEN and WLIW21. NJTV [sponsorships and partnerships](#) are available.

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