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## **Bridgework Scheduled on Carlisle Boulevard over I-40**

Albuquerque, NM—The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) District Three and RAM Construction is scheduled to perform work on the Carlisle Bridges over I-40 between Menaul Boulevard to the north of the interstate, and Indian School to the south beginning Friday, May 6, at 9 p.m. through Monday, May 9, at 5 a.m. The two northbound right lanes on the Carlisle bridges will be closed followed by closure of the southbound lanes. Motorists should expect delays in this area. The scheduled work is expected to take place over the weekends of May 6, 13 and 20. Inclement weather could cause delays because of the curing process required for material to set.

## I-40 on and off-ramp accessibility:

- The east and westbound off-ramps from I-40 to Carlisle will have lane restrictions but will remain accessible.
- Access to the east and westbound entrance ramps onto I-40 from Carlisle will remain accessible.

All lane restrictions will be posted on message boards in the area. NMDOT recommends use of alternate routes to ease congestion. The speed limit in the work zone is 35 mph.

Lanes are scheduled to re-open by Monday, May 9 by 5 a.m. unless crews are able to complete the work early. Motorists should proceed through the work zone with caution and observe traffic control signs. For project-related traffic updates visit <a href="www.nmroads.com">www.nmroads.com</a>.

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