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Albuquerque (October 23, 2013) – Traffic Report

This report replaces previous report.



- <u>Thursday 10/24 (Kiewit)</u> The I_25 northbound off ramp at Paseo Del Norte will have the left lane re-opened.
- <u>Thursday 10/24 (Kiewit)</u> The I_25 northbound off ramp at Paseo Del Norte will have the right lane closed for triple right turn lane construction.
- <u>Thursday 10/24 (Kiewit)</u> Paseo Del Norte eastbound from I_25 to the Lowe's/Target turn bay will have the right lane closed for triple right turn lane construction.
- <u>Monday 10/28 (Kiewit)</u> The I_25 southbound off ramp at Paseo Del Norte will have the left lane closed during loop ramp construction.
- Monday 10/28 and Tuesday 10/29 from 7 pm to 5am each night (Kiewit) I_25
 southbound from Alameda to Paseo Del Norte will have the right lane closed for barrier
 wall installation.
- <u>Ongoing and until further notice (Kiewit)</u> Paseo Del Norte westbound from just before I_25 to the railroad tracks will be reduced to 2 lanes for barrier wall removal.
- Ongoing and until further notice (Kiewit) Jefferson just north of Paseo Del Norte will be reduced to one lane in each direction for bridge widening.
- Ongoing and until further notice (Kiewit) The I_25 southbound Frontage Road from Paseo Del Norte to Jefferson will have various left lane closures for utility installation.

Project A300660 / I-40 Rio Puerco Interchange Improvement (Chris Sinclair Project Manager/AUI INC. Contractor) 210 calendar day project



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• <u>Ongoing through completion (210 calendar days/Approximately September 2013) –</u> I_40 both directions at Rio Puerco interchange (mile marker 140) will have activity on the shoulders and various lane closures at night during interchange improvement project. Be alert for lane shifts and reduce your speed through the work zone.

<u>Project A301220 / I-25 US 550 Interchange Improvement (Emiliano Martinez Project Manager/FNF Contractor) 240 calendar day project</u>

- Ongoing and until further notice The U_S 5_50 onramp and off ramps at I_25 will be closed individually at various times but not simultaneously. Detours as posted.
- Ongoing and until further notice All ramps at I_25 exit 242 will be narrowed for interchange construction. The I_25 northbound off ramp at this exit will be 2 lanes only. Use caution and reduce your speed.
- Ongoing from 8pm to 5am each night U_S 5_50 both directions from N_M 3_13 to I_25 (Bernalillo) will have various lane closures during road construction.
- <u>Ongoing and until further notice</u> U_S 5_50 through the project will have 22 foot width and 15'6" height restrictions

<u>Project A300072A / I 40 from mile marker 170 to 166 (Carnuel to Juan Tabo)</u>
<u>Concrete Repair Project (Jeremy Maestas/ Project Manager/David Montoya</u>
<u>Construction) \$1M 70 working day project (May to August)</u>

Ongoing until project completion working Sunday through Thursday nights from 7
pm to 5:30 am each evening – I_40 westbound from mile marker 170 to 166 (Carnuel to
Juan Tabo) will have various lane closures for road surface repair. Expect Minor Delays!!

<u>Project A301170 / N_M 3_33 and N_M 2_17 Intersection (Tijeras Canyon/East Mountains) Intersection Improvement Project (Jeremy Maestas/ Project Manager/Albuquerque Underground Inc.) \$1.08 M (60 Calendar Day Project)</u>

• <u>Ongoing through Thursday 10/31 from 8 am to 4 pm each week day) – N_M 3_33</u> Traffic will remain one lane in each direction during most of the project with the exception



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of the final paving phase which should only last a few days. During the final phase motorists can expect a pilot car or flagging operation with traffic limited to one lane only. Motorists are advised to adhere to speed reductions and allow for slight delays.

PAVEMENT PRESERVATION PROJECTS

Ongoing through Friday 11/1 from 7 am to 6 pm each weekday (Cutler) – U_S 60 from mile marker 166 to 169 will be reduced to one lane during pavement resurfacing operation. A pilot car and flaggers will be onsite to move traffic through the work zone.



- Thursday 10/24 through Saturday 10/26 from 9 am to 2 pm (TLC) N_M 4_48 (Corrales Road) both directions between mile markers 8.9 and 9 (Perea Road) will be reduced to one lane for shoulder widening. Flaggers will be onsite to move traffic through the work zone.
- <u>Tuesday 10/29 from 7 am to 5 pm (Qualcon)</u> I_40 westbound at mile marker 169.35 (Carnuel Overpass) will have a full off ramp closure for bridge maintenance. Seek alternate route.
- <u>Ongoing through Thursday 10/24 from 7 pm to 5 am each evening (Qualcon)</u> I_25 southbound at mile marker 224.6 (Central Avenue) will have various lane and off ramp closures for bridge maintenance (see below).
- 1. Wednesday and Thursday nights Oct. 16th and 17th- single left lane closure
- 2. Sunday & Monday Oct. 20th & 21st- double right lane closure
- 3. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Oct. 22nd-24th- Central Avenue ramp closure (Use Lomas or MLK to access Central)
- Ongoing through Monday 11/4 from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm each weekday (Lee
 <u>Landscapes</u>) I_40 between Coors and Unser (mile marker 155 to 154) will have activity in the median with trucks entering and leaving the work zone. Use caution and reduce your speed.
- Ongoing through Friday 11/15 from 9 am to 3:30 pm each weekday (Richardson Richardson) N_M 45 (Coors) southbound at Sequoia will have the right turn lane closed for ramp and sidewalk installation.
- Ongoing through Friday 12/13 from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm each weekday and 7:30 pm to 5 am week nights (Franklins) – N_M 45 (Coors) both directions from La Orilla to



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Roberson Lane will have various lane closures to build turn lanes and make signal improvements.

• <u>Ongoing and until further notice (Star Paving)</u> – N_M 6 from mile marker 19.3 to 19.7 will be one lane only during bridge reconstruction. Flaggers will be onsite to move traffic through the work zone.

All projects scheduled weather permitting and are subject to change without notice. For more information please contact, Phil Gallegos, NM Department of Transportation at 798-6645 or 220-4153, logon to www.nmroads.com. or dial 511.