US 550 Bridge Lane Closures
This Weekend

Bernalillo - The US 550 Bridge over the Rio Grande River in Bernalillo will once again have lane closures both directions (at various times one direction at a time) for much of the weekend beginning Friday, January 30 at 9 p.m. until Monday, February 2 at 5 a.m. The contractor will continue to effect repairs to the bridge structure which includes a curing time for the material utilized to make the repairs. During this curing time there will be no apparent work related activity yet the lanes must remain closed. Environmental restrictions required this project to occur during the late fall and made night work to lessen traffic impacts not possible.

Motorists are advised to seek an alternate route if possible or allow more time to reach your destination. The repair work will continue for several more weekends. The contractor will monitor and adjust traffic signals to improve traffic flow during this time.

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