

Tom Church Cabinet Secretary

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Press Release

I-25/Missouri Bridge – Restrictions I-25 off ramp to University Avenue

Las Cruces – The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) District One office along with FNF Construction continue with work along I-25 between Lohman Avenue (exit 3) and University Avenue (exit 1).

The contractor continues with earth work on I-25 for north and southbound traffic. The contractor is scheduled to remove the southbound bridge the week of March 27-30, which will require Missouri Avenue between Triviz Road and Don Roser to be closed as work is being performed.

An additional restriction scheduled to be placed is on I-25 for southbound traffic utilizing the University Avenue off ramp (exit 1). The off ramp will be CLOSED starting Monday March 23 and will run through the duration of the project. The restrictions will only be stationed during working operations Monday to Friday from 6:00 am until 9:00 am. Motorists are encouraged to seek an alternate route. The I-10/University exit will be open to motorists along with all secondary routes.

The next Public Involvement Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday April 22, 2015 at the District One Complex located at 750 N. Solano in Las Cruces, NM. The meeting will start promptly at 6:00 pm with members of the NMDOT, FNF and Molzen Corbin available to answer any questions the public may have regarding this project.

Ryan Tafoya is the Project Manager for the NMDOT District One office and can be reached at <u>ryan.tafoya@state.nm.us</u> or (575) 525-7300. For questions regarding the meeting you may contact Bridget M. Spedalieri, NMDOT – District One Public Information Officer at <u>bridget.spedalieri@state.nm.us</u> or (575) 525-7340.

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Should there be a need of ADA assistance for the meeting please call Bridget M. Spedalieri, Public Information Officer for the New Mexico Department of Transportation District One at (575) 525-7340 or bridget.spedalieri@state.nm.us.