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News Release

Roadside Removal of Debris to Temporally Close U.S. 82 in Otero County

Alamogordo – The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) in coordination with the Lincoln National Forest Service will temporarily close U.S. 82 to remove debris from a recent crash that occurred near the tunnel in Otero County. The removal of the wreckage, which is in the canyon off highway 82, is expected to take place the week of June 17th.

Work to remove the debris includes mobilization of equipment, removal of debris, and traffic control. All closures in effect will take place between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., the week of June 17, 2019. Motorists are asked to seek alternate route while work is taking place.

For up-to-date road closure information throughout the state, visit nmroads.com or call 511.

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