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REMINDER:

US 550 Phase II Construction to Begin Monday, October 28, 2019

ALBUQUERQUE– The New Mexico Department of Transportation would like to remind commuters that construction will begin on Monday, October 28, 2019 on US 550, Phase II Construction.

Great improvements are headed to US 550, including the addition of one new lane in each direction from NM 313 in Bernalillo to the intersection of NM 528 in Rio Rancho. These added lanes will expand capacity from four to six lanes on this stretch of highway. Other improvements include new sidewalks, curb and gutter placement, storm drainage, pedestrian/bicycle improvements along with a continuous flow intersection, the first of its kind in New Mexico!

Phase II construction is a multi-season project due to complexity. NMDOT appreciates the patience of the traveling public while this project is under construction. The cost of the project is \$23.8 million.

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