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Press Release

Railroad Crossing Maintenance for US-380 San Antonio, NM – Carrizozo, NM

<u>San Antonio, New Mexico</u>: The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) will be coordinating efforts with Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) Railway as maintenance repairs continue along the tracks for a section of US-380. On Thursday July 25, 2013 there will be a full CLOSURE between the mile markers 1-2.

The NMDOT will close US-380 from San Antonio, NM to Carrizozo, NM. There will be no detours for commercial vehicles, only local motorists will have access to the surrounding streets. This closure is scheduled for Thursday, July 25th from 5:00 a.m., and will be lifted by the end of business on the same day Thursday, July 25th at 6:00 p.m.

BNSF is encouraging motorists to avoid is area until the work zone is lifted as the closure cannot be removed until work is completed.

Updates on road projects and traffic alerts will be posted on the department's web site <u>www.NMroads.com</u>, and may be retrieved by calling 511 in New Mexico or 1-800-432-4269 out of state.

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For more information regarding this work you may contact Gene Paulk, P.E., NMDOT Assistant District Engineer- Maintenance at (575) 544-6554, or Bridget Spedalieri, NMDOT District One Public Information Officer at (575) 525-7340.