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Press Release

Construction Suspended July 4th on Paseo del Norte/I-25 Project

Albuquerque - The New Mexico Department of Transportation and Kiewet New Mexico will suspend construction on the Paseo Del Norte/I-25 Interchange Project on July 4th. We want to give drivers a chance to travel through this area with more ease in order to enjoy their holiday festivities. Construction will resume Sunday night.

The NMDOT will have our Courtesy Patrol trucks stationed along the Paseo del Norte corridor from 6 p.m.-midnight on July 4th to assist traffic should the need arise.

The City of Albuquerque has devised a traffic control plan for those attending the Freedom Fourth celebration at Balloon Fiesta Park. Jefferson will be closed north of Paseo del Norte to all traffic except Park & Ride buses, which the city is encouraging attendees to use in order to avoid heavy traffic.

Access to Balloon Fiesta Park will be available from Balloon Fiesta Parkway and the frontage road from the east, and Balloon Museum Drive and Alameda on the south. Edith will be closed north of Alameda to general traffic.

The NMDOT wishes everyone a safe and happy Independence Day.

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