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Press Release

NM 176 Pavement Rehabilitation Work Lea County

The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) began a pavement rehabilitation project Friday, May 4th on a section of NM 176 in Lea County. The project includes 4 miles of pavement rehabilitation from mile marker 37 to mile marker 41 at the New Mexico/Texas state line.

The work will cost approximately \$1 million and is expected to be complete in two weeks, weather permitting. During the project, motorists can expect lane restrictions and temporary lane closures. Motorists are encouraged to use caution while driving through the work zone and obey all traffic signage.

This improvement project is part of the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) 2014 settlement with the U.S. Department of Energy. Other work includes a portion of U.S. 285 in Chaves County later this summer.

For up-to-date information on this work, visit the NMDOT road advisory website at www.nmroads.com

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