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Press Release

I-25/Missouri Bridge Project Intermittent Lane Closure from University Avenue to Lohman Avenue

Las Cruces – The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) District One office along with FNF Construction continue with minor work along I-25 between Lohman Avenue (Exit 3) and University Avenue (Exit 1). The contractor has been out on the project surveying various areas within the project.

The contractor is schedule to start removing the exiting pavement striping on I-25 between University Avenue and Lohman Avenue where northbound motorists will encounter lane restrictions Thursday, February 12 from 7 a.m. until 5 p.m. Southbound traffic will encounter the same form of traffic interference from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. All orange barrels will be removed by 5 pm that afternoon; however, will be temporary placed along the shoulders.

On Friday, February 12, crews will commence work once again on I-25 as temporary striping will be placed in both directions within the project site. Northbound traffic will be restricted to one lane from the Missouri Bridge (mile marker 1.4) to Lohman Avenue, and will remain as this project progresses. Southbound traffic will not have any lane restriction placed.

The week of February through the end of the month, the contractor will be working along I-25 within the median and shoulders in preparation of establishing crossovers between University Avenue and Lohman Avenue. The work will consist of clearing the shoulders and median, along with placement of signage within this area of the project.

The NMDOT will be holding a Public Involvement Meeting on Wednesday, February 25 at the District One Complex located at 750 N. Solano in Las Cruces. The meeting will start promptly at 6:00 p.m. with members of the NMDOT, FNF and Molzen Corbin available to answer any questions the public may have regarding this project.

Ryan Tafoya is the Project Manager who will oversee and manage the daily operations of the project. He can be reached at ryan.tafoya@state.nm.us or (575) 525-7300. For questions regarding the meeting, you may contact Bridget M. Spedalieri, NMDOT District One Public Information Officer at bridget.spedalieri@state.nm.us or (575) 525-7340.

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Should there be a need of ADA assistance for the meeting please call Bridget M. Spedalieri, Public Information Officer for the New Mexico Department of Transportation District One at (575) 525-7340 or bridget.spedalieri@state.nm.us.