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Construction Update: Week of April 19-25, 2021

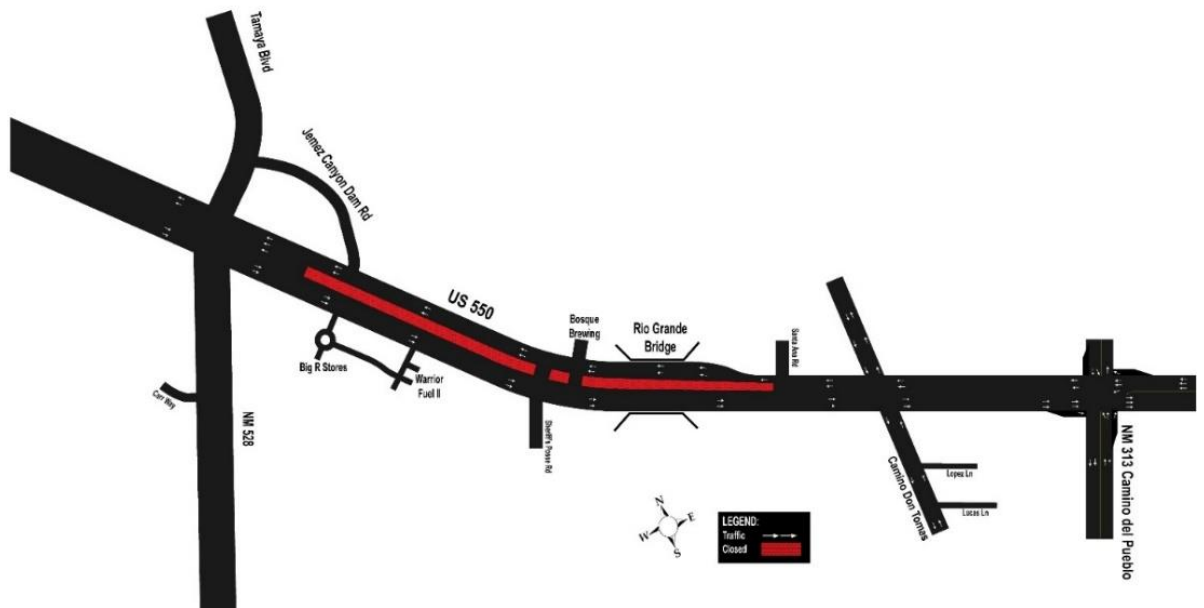
NOTE: All work is scheduled weather permitting, and is subject to change without notice.

REGULAR WORK HOURS: Monday-Friday 7 a.m.-5 p.m., although crews may work longer hours or weekends if needed.

NEW: Eastbound U.S. 550 will be reduced to one lane from Jemez Canyon Dam Rd to the Rio Grande Bridge for paving. Crews will also be paving the median at Jemez Canyon Dam Rd. Motorists heading eastbound on U.S. 550 should expect delays and use an alternate route if possible.

CONTINUING:

Crews are extending a large storm drainage pipe in the center median west of Jemez Canyon Dam Rd. Westbound motorists are able to turn right on Jemez Canyon Dam Rd, but there are no U-turns and no left turns at this intersection.



Motorists can access the U-turn at Bosque Brewing. The left turn at Sheriff's Posse Rd has reopened, but crews may occasionally have to block access to this turn for ongoing work at the intersection. We anticipate installing the traffic signal at this intersection sometime in April. **Motorists turning left on Sheriff's Posse Rd should yield to oncoming eastbound traffic on U.S. 550.**

ONGOING: Traffic heading eastbound on U.S. 550 is shifted toward the center from Jemez Canyon Dam Rd to the Rio Grande Bridge so crews can work on the outside lanes in that area. **The right lane of westbound U.S. 550 will be closed from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. daily this week from the Rio Grande Bridge past Jemez Canyon Dam Rd for sidewalk work, but two lanes of traffic will remain open on U.S. 550 westbound.**

MOTORISTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO EXPECT DELAYS AND TO GIVE THEMSELVES EXTRA TIME TO REACH THEIR DESTINATIONS.

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