

Construction Update: Crews to Close Righthand Lane of Eastbound US 70 North Main Street from Temple St to N Triviz Dr Beginning Wednesday, March 27

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NOTE: All construction is weather permitting and is subject to changes without notice.

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Beginning **Wednesday, March 27, 2024**, crews will close the righthand lane of eastbound US 70 North Main Street from Temple Street to North Triviz Drive as construction continues on Phase 1 & 3-A on a project to make roadway improvements to US 70 North Main Street between N. Solano Drive and the intersection of N. Triviz Drive/Elks Drive. During this work, expected to last through **June 2024**, the following traffic impacts will be in place:

- Crews will begin reconstructing driveways providing access to businesses on the east side of the road
- Where businesses have access through only **one driveway**, crews will work on one-half of the driveway at a time.
- Where businesses have access through **two driveways**, crews will work on one driveway, then move to the other after completing the first driveway
- Construction of each driveway will last **about 3-5 days**
- For the safety of the traveling public, the **Alameda Arroyo trail crossing remains CLOSED**
- Traffic on the east side of US 70 North Main has **one lane open from North Solano Drive to North Triviz Drive**
- Traffic in the area of the Alameda Arroyo is moved to the **west side of the road with one lane in each direction.**

The speed limit is reduced to 35 miles per hour throughout the construction zone. Motorists are encouraged to use extra caution in the construction zone, obey lower posted speed limits and allow extra time to reach their destinations.

Regular work hours are **Monday-Friday 7 a.m.-5 p.m.**, although the contractor may work longer hours or on weekends if needed. Additional phases will follow, with the project expected to be completed **in October 2024**. **Access will be maintained to all businesses and residences during construction.** For more information or to sign up for construction updates, visit www.us70mainstreet.com or www.nmroads.com.

