



CONSTRUCTION ALERT



May 13, 2020

US 183 TRAFFIC SHIFT PLANNED FOR MAY Impacts to Northbound and Southbound Travel Between Thompson Lane and Smith Road

(Austin, Texas) — Beginning as early as May 17, 2020,* there will be a traffic shift on US 183 between Thompson Lane and Smith Road to allow for construction of new tolled and non-tolled lanes in the area. The shift will impact both northbound and southbound travel. Drivers are urged to exercise caution while traveling, as signage and lane movements will be different and access to some businesses will be different. These changes will be in place for several months.

Impacts to Southbound Travel: The southbound travel lanes will temporarily shift onto the future southbound toll road from Smith Road to the Colorado River, with the following impacts:

- Drivers wishing to reach Airport Boulevard, 7th Street, 5th Street, Cesar Chavez Street and Levander Loop will use a new temporary right hand exit just south of Bolm Road
- Eastgate Road and Bolm Road will be closed at US 183
 - o Access to the Johnston Terrace neighborhood will be via Thurgood Avenue, Smith Road, Interchange Boulevard or Gardner Road
 - o Smith Road will remain open for local business access
 - o Drivers wishing to access Bolm Road can use Smith Road, Interchange Boulevard or Gardner Road
- Drivers who use the south-to-north US 183 U-turn at Levander Loop will not be able to access the temporary north-to-south US 183 U-turn at Smith Road. To access southbound US 183 from that point, continue northbound to FM 969 (MLK Jr. Blvd.) and use the U-turn at the intersection.

Impacts to Northbound Travel: The northbound travel lanes will temporarily shift onto the future toll road near Thompson Lane and rejoin the existing lanes near Smith Road, with the following impacts:

- Drivers wishing to access Hergotz Lane and the north to south US 183 U-turn at Montopolis Drive should exit to the right just past Thompson Lane
 - o Drivers wishing to access the Guajardo Tire Shop or Montopolis Supply Co. should also use the Hergotz Lane/Montopolis Drive exit
- Drivers headed to Austin Plant Supply or Hatchet Alley should use the Callahan's General Store driveway just past Thompson Lane
- Drivers headed to Austin Water Facility, Contractors Asphalt, Texas Concrete, Texas Materials, or Waste Water Transport Services should use the north-to-south U-turn at Smith Road, keep right to exit towards Levander Loop, then stay left to use the south-to-north U-turn at Levander Loop.

**Dates are subject to change based on weather and other circumstances.*

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