



MEDIA ALERT

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Northbound US 183 Last Free Exit Nightly Closures

Detour to Temporary Last Free Exit at MLK Jr. Blvd./FM 969

(Austin, Texas) — Beginning as early as the evening of Monday, October 26, 2020* and occurring each weeknight through Saturday, October 31*, the Central Texas Mobility Authority will be testing equipment on the northbound exit to Techni Center Drive. This will require the exit to close between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. Monday through Friday nights. During this time, drivers will be temporarily detoured farther north to the exit for Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard/FM 969. Tolls will not be charged at this exit while the closure is in place.

Drivers on northbound US 183 wishing to access destinations on the northbound US 183 general-purpose lanes south of Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard/FM 969 can either exit early at Thompson Lane or detour using the north-to-south U-turn at Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard/FM 969 and the south-to-north U-turn at Levander Loop.

For more information, visit the [183 South Project website](#).

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

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About 183 South:

The Central Texas Regional Mobility Authority is building a new tolled expressway with three lanes in each direction on an 8-mile section of US 183 between US 290 and SH 71. In addition, the Mobility Authority will be reconstructing and improving the non-tolled US 183 general purpose lanes and adding \$25 million worth of pedestrian and bicyclist facilities. Phase I/North End of the project opened in August of 2019 and full project completion is expected in early 2021, offering greater mobility for all users of the corridor.

About the Mobility Authority:

The Central Texas Regional Mobility Authority is a local, independent government agency created in 2002 to improve the regional transportation system in Travis and Williamson Counties. The Mobility Authority implements innovative and sustainable transportation options to enhance quality of life and economic vitality in Central Texas. The Mobility

Authority operates 183A Toll, 290 Toll, the 71 Toll Lane, the MoPac Express Lane, the 45SW Toll Road, and the 183 Toll Road. The agency is finishing construction of the 8-mile 183 South Project and the 290/130 Flyovers Project. For more information about the Mobility Authority, visit www.MobilityAuthority.com

