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Temporary I-80 Closures for Bridge Work in Lincoln

Weather permitting, the eastbound lanes of I-80 will be temporarily closed starting at 11:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 13, and the westbound lanes of I-80 will be temporarily closed starting at 11:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 14, according to the Nebraska Department of Roads.

Eastbound I-80 traffic will be detoured at the Milford Interchange (Exit 382), routed north to US-34, then east on US-34, and will reenter I-80 at the I-80/I-180 Interchange (Exit 401) on the night of January 13.

Westbound I-80 traffic, except for truck traffic, will be detoured at the US-77 South Interchange (Exit 397) and follow US-6 west to N-103, then proceed north to the Pleasant Dale Interchange (Exit 388) on the night of January 14. Truck traffic will be detoured at the I-80/I-180 Interchange (Exit 401) and routed west on US-34 to Matzke Highway, turning south and accessing I-80 at the Milford Interchange (Exit 382).

Detours will be removed and the I-80 traffic will resume by 6:00 a.m. the following mornings. The closure is for the placement of bridge girders on the NW 56th St. overhead bridge. The contractor for this work is Hawkins Construction Company, of Omaha, Nebraska. In the event of bad weather conditions, this schedule will be revised.

The Department of Roads' manager for this highway improvement project is Joseph Kuehn. Motorists are reminded to drive cautiously through the construction zones, along detours and selected alternate routes.

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