Loop 101 Widening Project: Shea Boulevard to Loop 202

ADOT is beginning its two and one-half year construction project that will widen the Loop 101 from Shea Boulevard to the Loop 202 (Red Mountain Freeway) interchange. The project will include these features:

- An additional travel lane southbound from Shea Boulevard to McKellips Road
- An additional travel lane northbound from McDowell Road to Shea Boulevard
- Two additional travel lanes from the northbound Loop 101 / Loop 202 interchange entrance ramp to McDowell Road
- Chaparral Road traffic-interchange improvements
- A quieter and smoother driving experience due to the use of rubberized asphalt on the widened roadway surface

Construction will begin early August 2014 and is expected to be completed late 2016. Full/partial freeway and ramp closures are expected to occur during the project. The Loop 101 (Pima Freeway) project will consist of several phases of construction along the corridor, beginning and concluding at different times during the project. As a result, motorists and the public should expect periods of active construction zones on Loop 101 from Shea to Loop 202 (Red Mountain Freeway).

ADOT will provide advance notification of full closures or significant restrictions that affect drivers or the community, as well as information about detour routes.

●IMPORTANT INFORMATION●
Four (4) week look-ahead

The closures and restrictions will allow the contractor to place temporary construction barrier and re-align/re-stripe the freeway for the duration of the construction project.

During the upcoming weeks, there will also be transient closures of the outer shoulder of the freeway to accommodate landscaping salvage and harvesting operations.

ADOT is posting traffic alert updates on the project website at http://www.azdot.gov/projects/phoenix-metro-area/loop-101-(pima-freeway)/update

Additional Upcoming Closures in the 4-week look-ahead:
- There will be no freeway closures or additional lane restrictions during the Labor Day holiday weekend Saturday August 30th through Monday September 1st.
- 10PM Friday September 5 to 5AM September 8 – Full Closure southbound Indian School Road to University Drive.
- 10PM Friday September 5 to 5AM September 8 – Northbound traffic restricted to outer two lanes McKellips Road to Thomas Road.
• 10PM Friday September 5 to 5AM September 6 – Southbound traffic restricted to inner two lanes Mountain View to 90th St and SB 90th St/Pima Road off ramp closed.

• 10PM Friday September 12 to 5AM September 15 – Full Closure northbound from the Loop 202 interchange to Chaparral Road.

• 10 PM Friday September 19 to 5AM September 22nd – Full Closure northbound from Chaparral Road to Shea Boulevard.

For more information, call 5-1-1 or visit www.az511.gov