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I have been receiving a few calls regarding the attached news release that was sent out on Friday 5/27/11 for the upcoming bridge work and closures. Here is some additional information:

We anticipate that the Mt. Morris bridge closure will be approximately one month.

Furthermore:

Starting first thing this morning (5/31/11), we will be setting back our left lane closure on NB I-75 south of I-69.

At about 9:00 a.m., we will be taking NB I-75 to one lane for short duration, north of Carpenter Road to implement a two lane shift. Periodic updates will be given.

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I-75 bridge work in Genesee County to resume after Memorial Day

COUNTY: Genesee
HIGHWAY: I-75
CLOSEST CITY: Flint
STARTING DATE: Tuesday, May 31, 2011

**ESTIMATED
COMPLETION DATE:** August 2011

PROJECT: As bridge rehabilitation work on I-75 from I-69 to the Genesee/Saginaw county line continues, the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) has scheduled the following bridge work to begin Tuesday, May 31, with completion expected by August.

**TRAFFIC
RESTRICTIONS:**

New Bridge Work:

- Carpenter Road over I-75 will be closed with traffic detoured.

Road, Eastbound Carpenter Road traffic will be rerouted to northbound Linden where then eastbound on Coldwater Road to southbound Jennings Road, motorists can resume travel on Carpenter Road.

Road, Westbound Carpenter Road traffic will be rerouted to northbound Jennings on then to westbound Coldwater Road, where motorists will travel southbound Linden Road back to Carpenter Road.

- Mt. Morris Road over I-75 will be closed with traffic detoured.

Road, Eastbound Mt. Morris Road traffic will be rerouted to southbound Linden on then to eastbound Coldwater Road, where motorists will travel northbound Clio Road back to Mt. Morris Road.

Road, Westbound Mt. Morris Road traffic will be rerouted to southbound Clio on then to westbound Coldwater Road, where motorists will travel northbound

on Linden Road back to Mt. Morris Road.

- **Lake Road over I-75 will be closed with traffic detoured.**

then Eastbound Lake Road traffic will be rerouted to southbound Linden Road,
Jennings to eastbound Farrand Road, where motorists will travel northbound on
Road back to Lake Road.

then Westbound Lake Road traffic will be rerouted to southbound Jennings Road,
Linden to westbound Farrand Road, where motorists will travel northbound on
Road back to Lake Road.

- **Pasadena Avenue over I-75 will remain open with lane closures in effect.**

bridge. Pasadena Avenue over I-75 will have one 12-foot-lane open across the
traffic Motorists will be allowed to cross in one direction at a time, with
maintained using temporary signals.

Ongoing Bridge Work:

in Restrictions for the following projects currently are in effect and will remain
late place through the Memorial Day holiday weekend. Work, which began in
April, is expected to be completed by late June.

- **Arlene Drive over I-75 will be closed with traffic detoured.**

Graham Eastbound Arlene Drive traffic will be rerouted to northbound
then travel Road, where motorists will head eastbound to M-21 (Corunna Road),
southbound on Utley Road to return to Arlene Drive.

Road, Westbound Arlene Drive traffic will be rerouted to northbound Utley
travel where motorists will head westbound on M-21 (Corunna Road), then
southbound on Graham Road to return to Arlene Drive.

- **Beecher Road over I-75 will remain open with lane closures in effect.**

traffic One lane of traffic will be maintained across the bridge. Temporary
signals will be installed on both sides of I-75.

- **Miller Road over I-75 is open to traffic.** Work was recently completed.

barrier **Motorists traveling on I-75** are advised to use the following alternate routes:
lane I-475, M-13, M-54, or M-15. Traffic is separated by a temporary concrete
wall. Daytime lane restrictions are in effect with temporary nighttime
closures. Detours will be in effect as work progresses.

CUSTOMER BENEFIT: This \$10 million project will increase traffic safety and improve the overall condition of the highway.

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MDOT says: Construction work zones need your undivided attention.

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