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NORTHMOOR ROAD CONSTRUCTION RESUMES MONDAY, JULY 23 - NORTHMOOR ROAD WILL CLOSE TO TRAFFIC FROM JUST WEST OF IMPERIAL DR TO JUST WEST OF ROSEMEAD DR AT 9 AM, MONDAY JULY 23

Peoria, IL (July 20, 2018). Construction resumes on the Northmoor Road project on Monday, July 23, weather permitting. At 9 a.m. on Monday, July 23, Northmoor Road will be closed to all traffic from just west of the intersection with Imperial Drive to just west of the intersection with Rosemead Drive.

The intersection of Northmoor Road and Imperial Drive will be closed to all traffic between July 23 and August 14. On August 15 (the first day of school for Peoria Public Schools), the north, south, and west legs of the intersection will be available for local traffic. See attached maps.

Through traffic should use the marked detour for Northmoor Road, via Allen Rd/War Memorial Drive, Glen Avenue and University Street. See Detour Map, attached.

This phase of road construction will last until late November, 2018, when Northmoor Road will be reopened to traffic for the winter.

During the winter of 2018/2019, two-way traffic will be re-established. In 2019, the Northmoor Road pavement will be rebuilt between Allen Road and Imperial Drive. The road should be completed in November, 2019. When completed, Northmoor Road will be completely rebuilt between Allen Road and University Street with three vehicular lanes (one travel lane in each direction and a center turn lane), a sidewalk on the north side of the road, a biking/walking path on the south side of the road, ornamental street lighting, trees, and native plants. This $10.5 million project is supported by approximately $7 million in federal grants.

Please take an alternate route during Northmoor Road construction, or allow extra time to travel the local-traffic-only sections of Northmoor Road. As always, please use caution in construction zones and watch for workers, pedestrians and, especially, children. The City of Peoria and the Illinois Department of Transportation thank you for your patience.

Please contact the office of the City Engineer in the Public Works Department Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at (309) 494-8800. You can also submit your questions, comments, and concerns to Public Works online at http://www.peoriagov.org/contact-us/.
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To get to and from locations near the road construction area, please see below and the attached Local Traffic Access Map:

- Richwoods Knolls, Northmoor Estates, and Willow Knolls South subdivisions (north of the intersection of Northmoor Road and Imperial Drive, west of the intersection of University Street and Teton Drive): From July 23 to August 14, you must use the intersection of University Street and Teton Drive to leave or return to your neighborhood. After August 15, the north, south, and west legs of the intersection of Northmoor Road and Imperial Drive will be available to local traffic.

- Northmoor Primary School: Enter from the intersection of Northmoor Road and Rosemead Drive. Go north toward Exposition Gardens, then turn west (left) at Expo Crossing and proceed to the school parking lot. Exit by reversing the same route. A pedestrian crossing will be maintained near Western Avenue in the construction zone. The sidewalk along the north side of Northmoor Road will be available in the construction zone.

- Richwoods High School: Traffic coming from the southwest can enter from the intersection of Northmoor Road and Rosemead Drive. Go north toward Exposition Gardens, then turn east (right) at Expo Crossing and proceed into the school parking lot. Exit toward the west by reversing this route. Traffic coming from the east can enter the main entrance drive on Northmoor Road, just west of University Street. Pedestrians coming from the west can walk on the new sidewalks along Northmoor Road, Rosemead Drive and Expo Crossing. There is a new pedestrian crossing signal on Northmoor Road between Rosemead Drive and University Street.

- Rosewood Care Center: All traffic should enter from the intersection of Northmoor Road and University Street, traveling west on Northmoor Road to Rosewood Care Center, and exit reversing this route.

- Exposition Gardens: All traffic should come in from the intersection of Northmoor Road and University Street, then travel west on Northmoor Road, turn north (right) at the intersection of Northmoor Road and Rosemead Drive, then proceed into Exposition Gardens. All traffic will need to exit reversing this route to get to the intersection of Northmoor Road and University Street.

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Northmoor Road Detour Routes
Phase 3: July 23 - Thanksgiving 2018*

*Note: Weather and other factors may result in changes to timing and traffic patterns.

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