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**New paving delays at W Pioneer Parkway intersections to begin Monday, June 20**

*Drivers should use alternative routes on Monday and Tuesday while paving work is completed*

June 17, 2022 (Peoria, IL) Paving work will begin at the intersection of W Pioneer Parkway and Knoxville Avenue on Monday, June 20, and Tuesday, June 21. Paving work at the intersection of W Pioneer Parkway and N University Street **will also resume** on these days. **Paving work at these intersections will not occur at the same time on these days.**

**Due to the nature of the paving work, drivers can expect MAJOR traffic delays of at least 30 minutes at each intersection.** Motorists are advised to **USE ALTERNATIVE ROUTES** and to avoid the intersections while paving work is being completed to eliminate any travel delays.

While road work is being completed, drivers are reminded to exercise an overabundance of caution in work zones and avoid distractions.

These major road construction projects are critical to improving Peoria's infrastructure. The public's patience while these projects are completed is appreciated.

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