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Overnight Full Interstate 35E (I-35E) Mainlane Closures Near Ewing/Marsalis Avenue – Nov. 5-7, 2020

DALLAS – The north- and southbound I-35E mainlanes near Ewing Avenue and Marsalis Avenue will be closed this week for bridge construction of the Ewing Avenue overpass.

The I-35E overnight mainlane closures will take place as follows and with detours as enclosed (view attached maps):

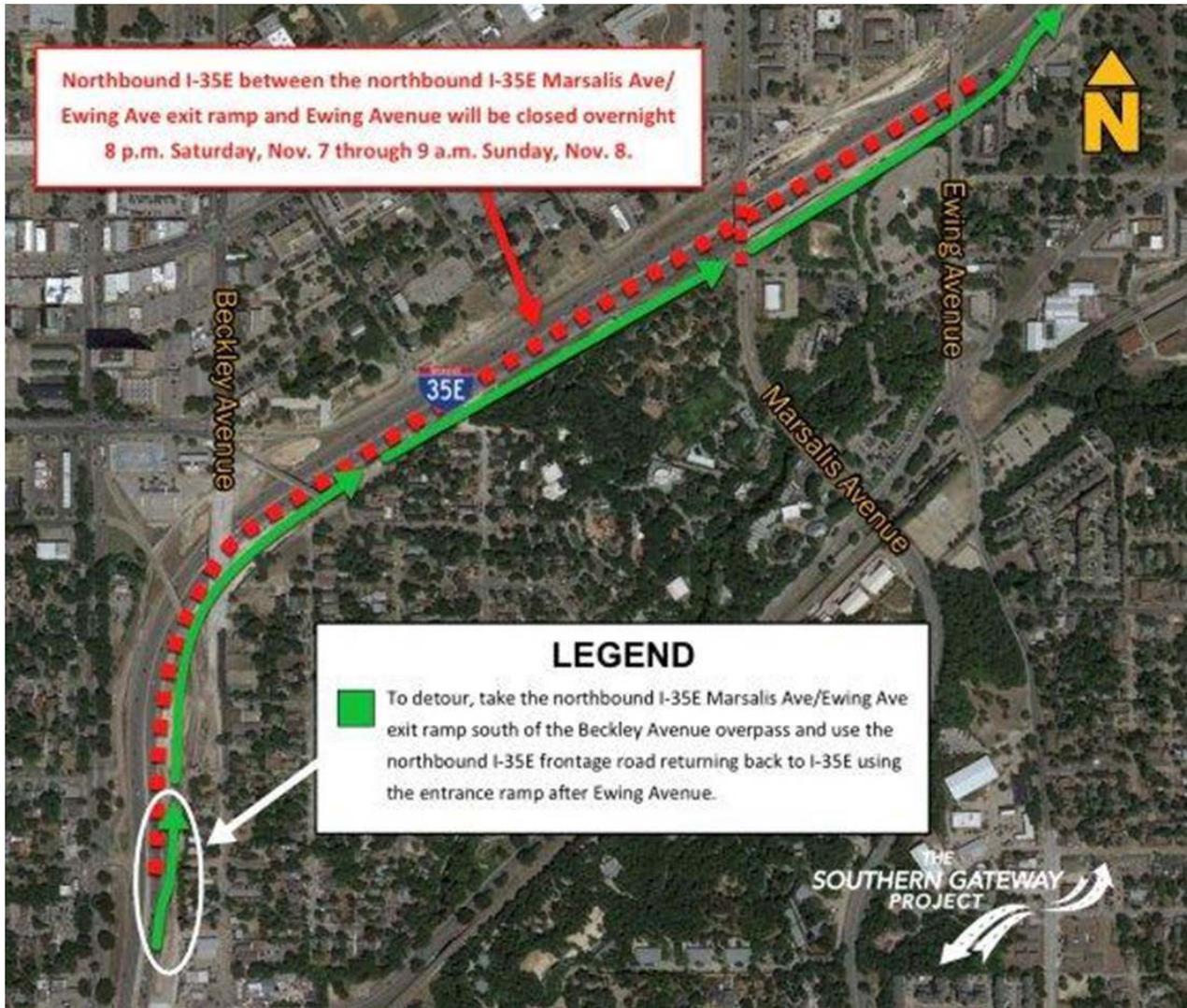
- **All southbound lanes of I-35E between the southbound I-35E Ewing Ave/Marsalis Ave exit ramp (Exit 426) and Marsalis Avenue will be closed overnight from:**
 - 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 5 through 6 a.m. Friday, Nov. 6
 - 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 6 through 9 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 7

Also note, all lanes of Marsalis Avenue above the I-35E mainlanes will also be closed during this operation.



- **All northbound lanes of I-35E between the northbound I-35E Marsalis Ave/Ewing Ave exit ramp and Ewing Avenue will be closed overnight from 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 7 through 9 a.m. Sunday, Nov. 8.**

Also note, all lanes of Marsalis Avenue above the I-35E mainlanes will also be closed during this operation.



Drivers should expect delays and plan their commutes in advance during the scheduled closures. Construction activities and lane closures are subject to change due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances.

The public can stay up-to-date on construction progress, lane closures and traffic changes by signing up for text alerts and sending the message “The Southern Gateway” to 31996.

Other methods to learn more about the project include:

- **The project website:** www.thesoutherngateway.org
- **Facebook:** www.facebook.com/TheSouthernGateway
- **Twitter:** www.twitter.com/DriveTSG
- **Sign up for E-Blasts:** <https://thesoutherngateway.org/signup-for-e-updates/>

Project Storefront: 160 Continental Ave. Dallas, TX 75207

About the Southern Gateway Project

The Southern Gateway Project is a \$666 million design-build construction project by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) aimed to rebuild and widen I-35E south of downtown Dallas, as well as widen U.S. 67 between I-35E and I-20 and the I-35E/U.S. 67 split. Construction will also include building two reversible, non-tolled express lanes. The goal of the 11-mile project is to improve safety, provide congestion relief, address roadway deficiencies and improve system linkage. Construction began in early 2018 with an anticipated completion of late 2021. The Southern Gateway Project is part of the Texas Clear Lanes initiative (www.texasclearlanes.com) by TxDOT to address growing traffic congestion in the state.

About the Texas Department of Transportation

The Texas Department of Transportation is responsible for maintaining 80,000 miles of road and for supporting aviation, rail, and public transportation across the state. TxDOT and its 12,000 employees are committed to working with others to provide safe and reliable transportation solutions for Texas by maintaining a safe system, addressing congestion, connecting Texas communities, and being a Best in Class state agency. Find out more at www.txdot.gov. “Like” TxDOT on Facebook (www.facebook.com/txdot) and follow us on Twitter (www.twitter.com/TxDOTDallas).