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Overnight Southbound Interstate 35E (I-35E) Mainlane Closures at US 67 – Feb. 26-27, 2021

DALLAS – The southbound I-35E mainlanes at US 67 will be closed intermittently overnight for beam setting operations.

The southbound I-35E mainlane overnight closures will take place as follows and with the suggested alternate route as enclosed (view attached map) to avoid the closure area:

- **All lanes of southbound I-35E at US 67** will be closed overnight on Friday, Feb. 26 and Saturday, Feb. 27 from 9 p.m. to 6 a.m. each night.

Southbound I-35E will have intermittent closures lasting approximately 15 minutes during this closure timeframe. To avoid the closure area, southbound I-35E traffic can use southbound US 67 and take eastbound I-20 to return to I-35E as an alternate route.



Drivers should expect significant 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 summer 2022. 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

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