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Southbound I-35E HOV Lane Closed April 7-28

DALLAS – The HOV lane along southbound I-35E from Illinois Avenue to Loop 12 will be closed for three weeks beginning Friday, April 7 at 8 p.m.

This closure is to perform work to connect the existing HOV lane to the newly built HOV lane tie-in just south of downtown Dallas.

Once the closure is restored, the HOV lane along I-35E will be reversible and will extend from downtown Dallas to Loop 12.

Work is subject to weather and may be postponed if necessary.

The public can stay up-to-date about traffic closures and changes by signing up for Text Alerts, by sending the message “dallashorseshoe” to 31996.

Other methods to learn more about the project include:

- **Website:** www.dallashorseshoe.com
- **Facebook:** www.facebook.com/dallashorseshoe
- **Twitter:** www.twitter.com/dallashorseshoe
- **Phone Hotline:** 214-Fix-MixD (349-6493)

About the Dallas Horseshoe Project

The Dallas Horseshoe Project is a \$798 million design-build roadway construction project by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) to improve traffic flow through the heart of downtown Dallas. Aptly dubbed the “Horseshoe project” due to its U shape, the project is dedicated to “Fixin’ the Mix.” Construction improvements include the expansion, repaving and addition of several new bridges and roadways along interstates 30 and 35E; and the construction of a new signature bridge, the Margaret McDermott Bridge, over I-30.

The project started in April 2013 and is scheduled for completion this summer. Once completed, drivers should experience improved safety, increased capacity and improved mobility through the downtown Dallas Mixmaster and the central business district.

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