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Carroll County...

WEEKEND AND NIGHT LANE CLOSURES ON I-20

WHAT: Weather permitting; Georgia DOT contractors will continue working on the eastbound lanes between Exits 11 and 19. This work will require a single weekend lane closure from 9 p.m. tonight until 5 a.m. on Monday. This single lane closure will continue on Monday and Tuesday of next week from 9 p.m. until 5 a.m. each night. No lane closures are scheduled for Wednesday or Thursday. Motorists should expect delays while crews work to replace the concrete pavement on the interstate.

This paving operation is part of an 12.7-mile pavement replacement project on I-20 beginning at US 27/SR 1/Exit 11 and extending to SR 61/Exit 24 in Carroll County. Work on this project has just begun. The entire project is scheduled to be completed by the end of October 2019, at a construction cost of \$80,354,843.

WHEN: Friday-Monday, November 4 – 7; and Monday and Tuesday, November 7-8, 2016

WHERE: Eastbound lanes between mile posts 12 and 14 in Carroll County

Georgia DOT urges travelers to call 511, visit 511ga.org or download the Georgia 511 app for updated information

about this or any other construction or maintenance project/operation on our interstates and state routes. Each day, hundreds of Georgia Department of Transportation employees and contractors work on dozens of highway, bridge and intersection improvements throughout the state. Their work often brings them and heavy machinery in close proximity to travel lanes. Fifty-eight Georgia DOT personnel and many more motorists, passengers and contractors' workers have been killed in highway work zone accidents since 1973. Please help us prevent these tragedies by slowing down; being especially attentive and cautious as you pass through construction work zones; and always driving responsibly. Safer Driving; Safer Work Zones; For Everyone. For more information on the Department of Transportation, visit <http://www.dot.ga.gov>. You also may like us on (www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT-Northwest) and Twitter (<https://twitter.com/GDOTNW>).

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