

## March 2024 Monthly Newsletter

#### Ramp Changes at I-10 and Broadway Road

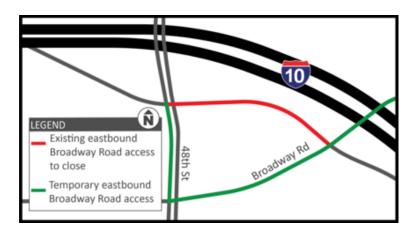
Things are changing at I-10 and Broadway Road. The new westbound I-10 on-ramp at Broadway Road opened earlier this week. The new on-ramp entrance is located west of the old entrance and enters I-10 between the Collector-Distributor (CD) road and the I-10 mainline. Later this month, the eastbound I-10 connector ramp between 48th Street and Broadway Road will close permanently. Drivers will use southbound 48th Street to access Broadway Road instead.



The new westbound I-10 on-ramp at Broadway Road runs between the CD road and mainline I-10.



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#### Long-Term Closures and Restrictions

Since Monday, March 11, drivers can only make a right turn from southbound 52nd Street onto Broadway Road. Use eastbound 14th Street to southbound Priest Drive to access eastbound Broadway Road. This restriction is expected to last into June. The sidewalk next to southbound 52nd Street is also closed. This closure is expected to last into the summer, so pedestrians should use the pathway next to northbound 52nd Street instead.

Crews plan to close the eastbound I-10 offramp at 32nd Street at the end of March and plan to keep it closed until early June. To



#StayAheadOfTheCurve, visit the project <u>website</u> or download the free mobile app, <u>The Curve</u>, before you travel.

The eastbound I-10 off-ramp at Baseline Road is schedule to be closed in mid-April and remain closed though mid-June. This closure will allow crews to continue work on the eastbound CD road.

### Find Your Lane

Plan ahead! The westbound CD road is scheduled to open in June, and it may change how you enter or exit I-10 in the Broadway Curve area. The Broadway Curve is the area on I-10 in both directions roughly between Baseline Road and 40<sup>th</sup> Street. We launched a new webpage, <u>https://i10broadwaycurve.com/findyourlane/</u>, to explain how the CD roads will work and how to access common destinations using them. Also, we will be attending the following community events with a table-sized map to answer your questions:



#### Wednesday, March 20, 2024, 10:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

MLB Spring Training 2024 - Giants at Angels

Tempe Diablo Stadium – 2200 W. Alameda Drive, Tempe, AZ 85282

#### Saturday, April 6, 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Tempe Public Library

3500 S. Rural Road, Tempe, AZ 85282

Join us at upcoming community events to learn more about the CD roads.

As a reminder, the CD roads collect traffic from the I-10 mainline, State Route 143 and US 60 and distribute it to crossroads or other highways. They separate through-traffic from traffic entering and

exiting I-10 through the Broadway Curve area. This will reduce the need for vehicles to weave between lanes and help keep traffic flowing on I-10.



To learn more about the CD roads, visit https://i10broadwaycurve.com/findyourlane/

#### Your Questions Answered

Question: Why haven't you increased the speed limit where construction is complete?

**Answer**: The last phase of the project includes a lot of landscaping work, which means crews continue to work throughout the project area, so please continue to drive 55 mph and stay alert through the project area. Adhering to the posted work zone speed limit helps to keep crews and drivers safe.

You can find answers to other frequently asked questions at https://i10broadwaycurve.com/faq/.



Landscaping work has begun at the eastbound I-10 off ramp at Elliot Road. A loader delivers rock to the west side of the ramp where two workers then spread the rock.

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Construction is scheduled to continue through late 2024. Throughout this project, our goal is to minimize impacts as much as possible and provide timely, accurate information so you can plan ahead and get to where you need to be. Learn more about the project and engage with the project team in any of these ways:

- Bilingual Project Information Line: 602.501.5505
- Project Website: <u>i10BroadwayCurve.com</u>
- Visit or Write: 3157 E. Elwood St., Suite 100, Phoenix, 85034. The Community Office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays.
- Email: <u>Info@i10BroadwayCurve.com</u>
- App: Join more than 13,000 others who want to stay ahead of the curve by downloading our free mobile app, The Curve. You'll find it on the <u>App Store</u> or <u>Google Play</u>.