

October 2024 Monthly Newsletter

Collector-Distributor Road Update

Crews plan to open the eastbound Collector-Distributor (CD) road in November. Crews opened the westbound CD road in August and opened a second entrance to the westbound CD road in late September. Westbound Interstate 10 drivers planning to exit at Broadway Road, State Route 143, Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport and 40th Street may use the new access point north of Baseline Road. Drivers planning to exit I-10 at US 60 must use the westbound CD road entrance located south of Baseline Road. Drivers who are not exiting at US 60, Broadway Road, SR 143 or 40th Street, can stay on the westbound I-10 mainline or use the westbound CD road will eventually merge back with I-10 mainline traffic west of 40th Street.

ADOT realizes that the CD road is a new experience for

Phoenix area drivers and encourages drivers to slow down and pay attention to signage so that they



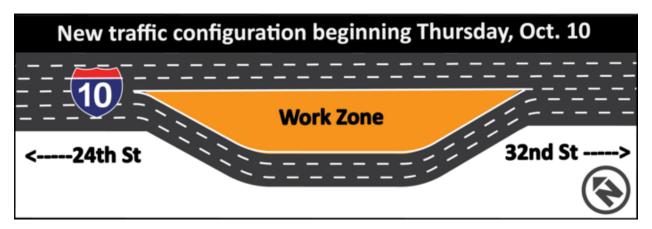
can navigate safely and efficiently through the I-10 Broadway Curve area. The I-10 Broadway Curve Improvement Project is still an active construction work zone and the speed limit throughout the project area, including the CD road, is 55 mph.

To learn how the CD roads work and how to access common destinations using them, visit https://i10broadwaycurve.com/findyourlane/.

The CD roads, shown in blue, will reduce the need for vehicles to weave between lanes and will help keep traffic flowing on mainline I-10.

Salt River Bridge Update

Crews installed a split lane configuration of the eastbound I-10 lanes across the Salt River Bridge earlier this month. The existing lanes between 24th and 32nd streets are split. There is a roadway barrier and a work zone with three lanes on each side. Drivers wanting to exit at 32nd Street are encouraged to move into the right three lanes before 24th Street. This split lane configuration is expected to last into November.



The eastbound I-10 split lane configuration creates a safe work zone for crews to complete bridge joint maintenance work.

Long-Term Closures

The project's long-term closures are starting to wind down with 48th Street now open in both directions between I-10 and Broadway Road. These remaining closures are expected to reopen by the end of the year:

- Northbound 48th Street between Elwood Street and the Tempe Drain.
- Diablo Way in both directions between Alameda and Fairmont drives.



Crews plan to reopen the eastbound I-10 off-ramp at 48th Street in January, so drivers should continue to use the eastbound I-10 off-ramp at Broadway Road instead.

Southbound 48th Street reopened in early October.

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

Your Questions Answered

Question: When are the multiuse bridges going to open?

Answer: The multiuse bridges at Alameda Drive and the Western Canal are schedule to open in early 2025. This month, crews are continuing to work on placing bridge trusses, building the ramps to the multiuse crossings and also placing artwork pieces on the bridges.

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



Crews installing fencing on the multiuse bridge at Alameda Drive.



A concrete pump fills a support pylon for the west side of the multiuse bridge at Alameda Drive.

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Construction is scheduled to continue through early 2025. 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>
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