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Traffic Advisory

NM 68 Pavement Preservation Work Update – Taos

Santa Fe –The New Mexico Department of Transportation (NMDOT) continues pavement preservation work on NM 68 from mile post 32.6 to mile post 24.6 south of Taos near Pilar.

NM 68 will be reduced to one lane Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. There is a pilot car and flagger operation guiding traffic through the work zone. Traffic can expect up to 15 minutes delays during this time. There is a 10' width restriction.

This pavement preservation project is scheduled for completion the mid-August 2018; weather permitting. Cutler Repaving Inc. of Lawrence, Kansas is the contractor for this project.

Starting July 31, 2018 - NM Gas Co. will begin drainage improvement work at mile marker 27.00 on NM68. This project is scheduled to be completed mid-August. Drivers are alerted to use caution and watch for workers and heavy truck traffic in the area.

Drivers are advised to observe traffic control signs and reduce speed to the posted speed limit. Updates on this project will be posted on the New Mexico Department of Transportation's road advisory website, <http://nmroads.com/>.

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