

Road construction will temporarily restrict intersection near PDX

Temporary travel restrictions are scheduled for the intersection of Northeast Airport Way and 82nd Avenue, near Portland International Airport, on the weekends of Sept. 5-8 and Sept. 12-15. The restrictions are necessary for lane widening and pavement rehabilitation.

The closures begin at 10 p.m. on those Fridays and end by 4 a.m. on those Mondays.

Airport Way inbound to the PDX terminal and outbound from the terminal to I-205 will remain open in both directions. However, restrictions to regular turn lanes from Airport Way onto 82nd southbound and from 82nd onto Airport Way westbound will occur, so officials strongly recommend that drivers avoid 82nd Avenue at Airport Way.

Cars and trucks coming from I-205 to access 82nd Avenue via Airport Way may want to use alternate routes, depending on their destinations.

Drivers are cautioned to drive slower, especially motorcycles, because pavement may be uneven. Please watch for detour signs and important information on over-the-roadway signs. The project will not disrupt TriMet MAX light rail service, and all parking lot shuttle buses will still operate.

For maps, detour routes and more information, visit www.pdx.com.

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