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## CLOSURE OF THE WESTBOUND I-820 TO NORTHBOUND I-35W TEXPRESS CONNECTOR

**FORT WORTH, Texas** – On **Friday, October 2 at 9 p.m. through 5 a.m. Tuesday, October 6** the direct connector from the westbound I-820 TEXpress Lanes to the northbound I-35W TEXpress will be closed. Traffic will be redirected to Blue Mound Rd. (FM 156).

This work is weather-permitting. **Updated closure information is posted daily** on Twitter (<u>@TEXpressAlerts</u>) and Facebook (<u>facebook.com/TEXpressLanes</u>).

This work is part of the \$950 million North Tarrant Express 35W project. This 6.7 mile section of I-35W from N. Tarrant Parkway to Eagle Parkway in Fort Worth will consist of improvements with the reconstruction of main lanes, expanded frontage roads, and the addition of TEXpress Lanes.

The North Tarrant Express 35W project is considered a critical infrastructure sector. As the project continues, staff, contractors and construction workers are following specific guidelines to ensure the health and safety of all employees due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Drivers are encouraged to "Know Before They Go," and visit <a href="www.northtarrantexpress.com">www.northtarrantexpress.com</a> for upcoming closures. To view detour maps, please visit the <a href="Alternate Route Map">Alternate Route Map</a> page. Also, as lane closures are updated frequently, please visit the <a href="Lane Closures">Lane Closures</a> page daily for the most current information. Closures are subject to weather conditions, and construction activities may be postponed if necessary.

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