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TRAFFIC ALERT

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HOUSTON – As the I-610 Cambridge project continues to move forward, there is a major long term closure beginning this Friday.

Beginning at **9 p.m. Friday, November 19**, the SH 288 northbound and southbound direct connectors to I-610 South Loop westbound will be closed until mid-February.

Motorists will detour to the SH 288 northbound or southbound connector ramp to I-610 eastbound to the Scott St. exit, U-turn at Scott St. to the I-610 westbound frontage road and re-enter the I-610 westbound mainlanes via the Scott St. entrance ramp.

Beginning at 9 p.m. Friday, November 19th to 12 p.m. Saturday, November 20 the SH 288 northbound connector to I-610 eastbound and westbound will also be closed.

Motorists will detour to the Yellowstone exit and u-turn and re-enter the SH 288 southbound mainlanes to the I-610 eastbound connector to Scott St. detour.

The SH 288 northbound toll lane exit to I-610 eastbound will not be affected and motorists will follow the I-610 eastbound detour to either continue on I-610 eastbound or westbound.

The work is necessary to complete and tie into the partially completed connector ramps already built as a part of the SH 288 Express Toll Lane project.

The \$116 million Texas Clear Lanes project will offer traffic congestion relief and increase mobility with the reconstruction of mainlanes, frontage roads and the addition of a freeway overpass and eight direct connect tie-ins at the SH 288/I-610 interchange.

Motorists should expect delays and may want to consider an alternate route. Police officers will be onsite to assist with traffic control.

Also be sure to visit the [Houston TranStar](#) website at for a complete list of closures associated with this project. For more information on this work and scheduled lane closures in the Houston District contact Deidrea George at (713) 802-5072.

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