



Creating Better Traffic Flow between Albuquerque and Rio Rancho

**CONSTRUCTION CONTINUING ON WESTSIDE BLVD WIDENING PROJECT; CREWS TO REOPEN 7 BAR LOOP, THEN CLOSE LA SIERRITA FOR ABOUT THREE WEEKS BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 2022**

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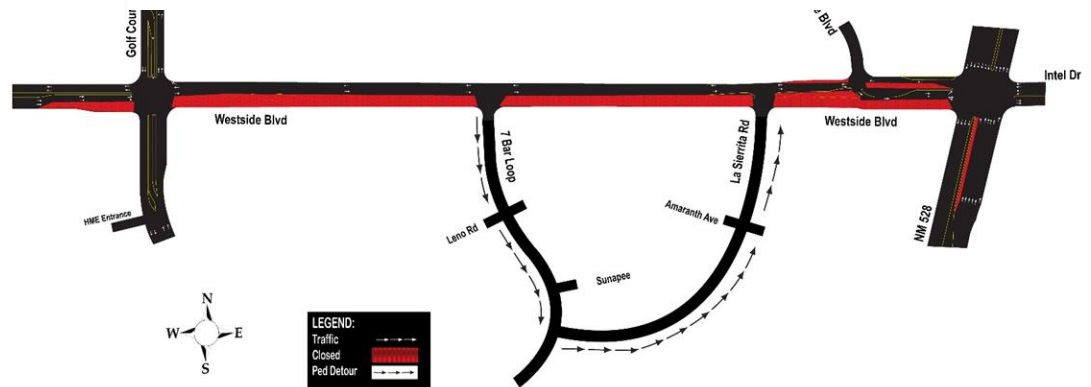
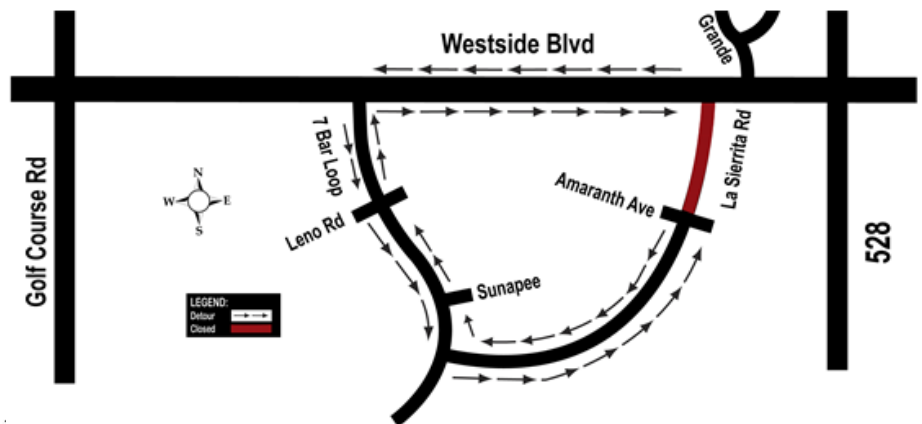
Crews are scheduled to reopen 7 Bar Loop at Westside Blvd on **Wednesday, June 29**, then close La Sierrita from Westside Blvd to Amaranth Ave for three (3) weeks, from **Wednesday, June 29-Wednesday, July 20, 2022**.

During this closure, residents will be able to use 7 Bar Loop as a detour (see map to right).

**Ongoing Traffic Impacts**

- The sidewalk on the south side of Westside Blvd is **CLOSED** from Golf Course Rd to La Sierrita Rd through at least early July. Local residents can use 7 Bar Loop to La Sierrita as a detour.
- **Westbound traffic on Westside Blvd is reduced to one lane** between NM 528 and Golf Course Rd.

- **Eastbound traffic on Westside Blvd is reduced to one lane** between Golf Course Rd and NM 528.
- **Eastbound traffic on Westside Blvd has only one dedicated left-turn lane and one combination thru/right-turn lane** at NM 528.
- **Traffic on La Sierrita Rd and 7 Bar Loop Rd is able to turn right and head eastbound on Westside Blvd, but is NOT able to turn left and head westbound on Westside Blvd.** Motorists can access westbound Westside Blvd by taking 7-Bar Loop Rd south to Driftwood Ave, heading west on Driftwood Ave, then north on Golf Course Rd. Westbound motorists on Westside Blvd can access La Sierrita or 7 Bar Loop Rd via Golf Course Rd south to Driftwood Ave, then east on Driftwood Ave to 7 Bar Loop Rd.



Regular work hours are **Mon.-Fri., 6:30 a.m.-5 p.m.**, although the contractor may work longer hours or on weekends if needed. **Saturday work is planned for the next few weeks** barring the Fourth of July holiday. Crews will not be working Monday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day. **All construction is weather permitting and subject to change without notice.**