

July 2, 2015

Gravel roadway adjacent to ND Highway 40 near Tioga to be extended starting Monday, July 6

Beginning on Monday, July 6, a temporary gravel roadway adjacent to the west side of ND Highway 40 will be extended for approximately 2 miles from 65th Street Northwest south of Tioga to the Tioga city limits to allow crews to begin concrete work on the east side of ND Highway 40. This is an extension of the previous 1 mile portion of the temporary gravel roadway from the intersection of US Highway 2 to 65th Street Northwest. Traffic speed limits will range between 15 mph and 25 mph throughout the project. This construction project consists of widening the existing two lane asphalt section to a three lane concrete section with eight-foot shoulders and turn lanes as well as adding traffic signals and street lighting.

During construction there will be:

- A 12-foot width restriction
- An 18-foot vertical limit on the adjacent roadway
- Flagger will be present
- Motorists should be prepared to stop
- Motorists should be aware of the potential of a rough roadway on the gravel surfacing

The temporary roadway will be in place through August. Speed reductions will be in place in the area throughout the construction season.

The NDDOT Williston District serves the transportation needs of the communities in northwestern North Dakota, including Williston, Alexander, Watford City, New Town, Stanley, and Berthold. NDDOT has been working very hard to build new bypasses, expand roadways, and provide roadway improvements to enhance traffic movement.