

August 6, 2015

Additional portion of the Williston Northwest Truck Reliever Route to open Sunday, August 9

Beginning on Sunday, August 9, an additional portion of the Williston Northwest Permanent Truck Reliever Route from County Road 6 to 140th Ave NW will open to traffic. The Williston Northwest Permanent Truck Reliever Route will be open to four lanes from the intersection of US Highway 2/85 north to the junction of 140th Ave NW. A two-lane detour route will be in place from 140th Ave NW to the US Highway 2/85 intersection north of Williston. East and westbound detours will be in place during the project.

During construction:

- Eastbound traffic will travel south on 140th Ave NW and follow County Road 7 before turning east on 58th Street Northwest and continuing on US Highway 2/85
- Westbound traffic will turn west at 58th Street Northwest and then north on County Road 7 before traveling north onto 140th Ave NW and merging back onto the Williston Northwest Permanent Truck Reliever Route
- Flaggers will be in place at times
- Speeds will be reduced to 45 mph
- Motorists should expect delays

The detour route will be in place for approximately two weeks.

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.