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Paisano Drive (US 85)

Paisano Drive (US 85) westbound where it bridges over I-10 near Sunland Park Drive will be reduced by one lane for five nights.

During the same period, the entrance ramp from Paisano Drive (US 85) onto I-10 westbound will be completely closed.

- Night One: 9 p.m. Sunday, March 20 to 5 a.m. the following morning
- Night Two: 9 p.m. Monday, March 21 to 5 a.m. the following morning
- Night Three: 9 p.m. Tuesday, March 22 to 5 a.m. the following morning
- Night Four: 9 p.m. Wednesday, March 23 to 5 a.m. the following morning
- Night Five: 9 p.m. Thursday, March 24 to 5 a.m. the following morning

The closures are necessary to protect workers as they haul dirt. When the **GO 10** project is finished, crews will have moved one million cubic yards of dirt – enough to fill 306 Olympic-size swimming pools.

All work is dependent upon weather conditions.

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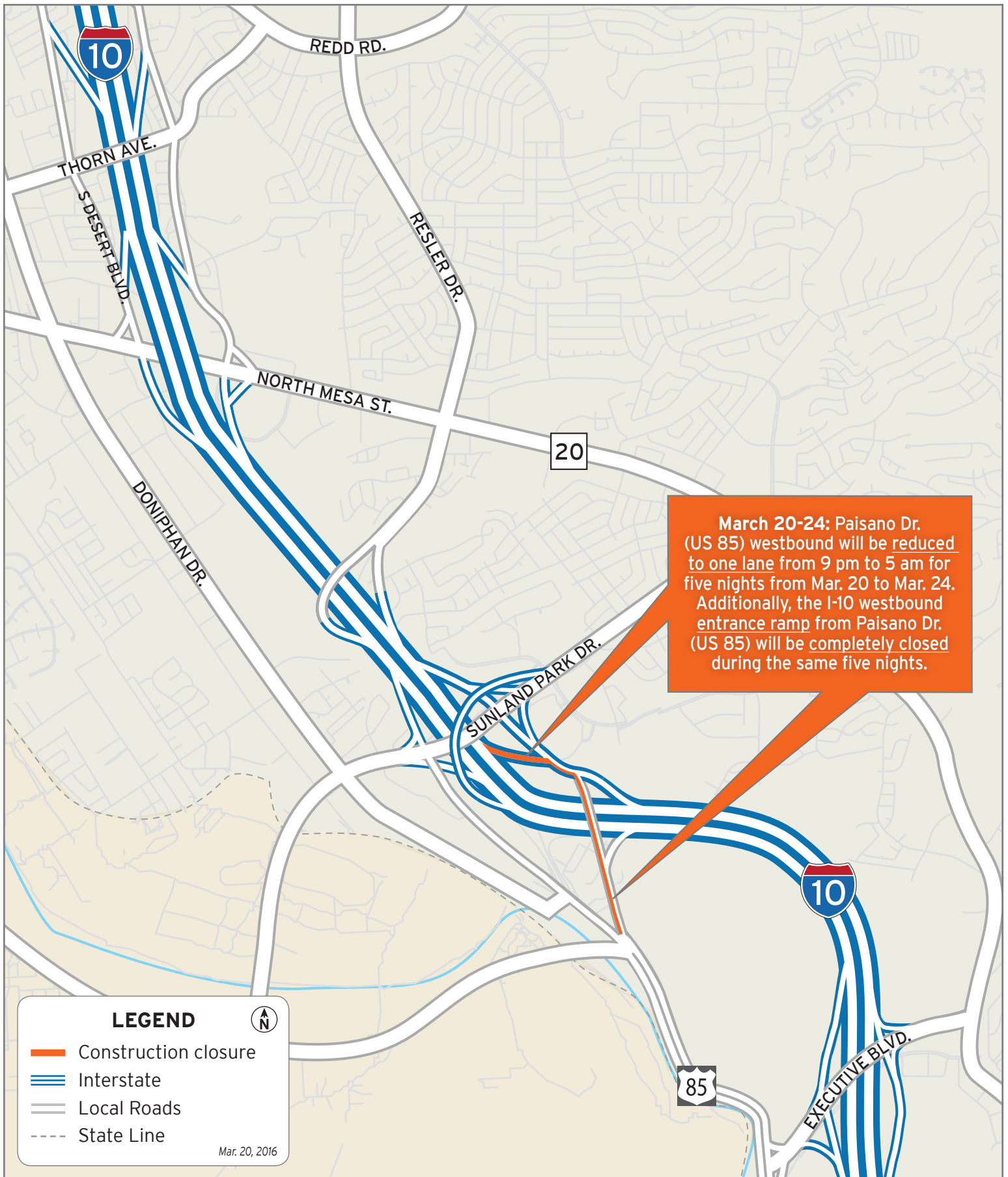


The Texas Department of Transportation is responsible for maintaining 80,000 miles of road and for supporting aviation, rail, and public transportation across the state. GO 10 is a \$158 million reconstruction of Interstate 10 that spans approximately 6 miles on El Paso's West Side between Executive Center Boulevard and North Mesa Street. GO 10 features the addition of collector-distributor lanes and a new direct connector with Border West Expressway.

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March 20-24: Paisano Dr. (US 85) westbound will be reduced to one lane from 9 pm to 5 am for five nights from Mar. 20 to Mar. 24. Additionally, the I-10 westbound entrance ramp from Paisano Dr. (US 85) will be completely closed during the same five nights.



Reduced lanes March 20-24 on westbound Paisano Drive (US 85)

