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Target date to close the Resler exit ramp from I-10 Westbound is Jan. 28

The closure of the Resler westbound exit ramp (Exit 12) is necessary while crews finish building the westbound collector-distributor (CD) lanes and connect the new Resler exit ramp (Exit 12) to the new CD lanes.



In the final design, as shown in the artistic rendering, motorists will have access to the new Resler exit ramp (Exit 12) from the CD lanes, not from the main lanes of I-10. The red shaded pavement in the image indicates the section of CD lanes that needs to be built and, therefore, requires the closing of the Resler exit ramp.

Drivers can expect the Resler exit ramp to stay closed for approximately three months. Exact dates cannot be provided. Work activities are subject to delays.

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While the Resler exit ramp is closed, drivers are encouraged to use the Sunland Park exit ramp (Exit 13). The North Mesa exit ramp (Exit 11) will also be an option for drivers; however, pavement work is taking place near the exit ramp on North Mesa Street and may result in delays on the North Mesa exit ramp and at the signalized intersection.

Scheduled closures for the week are:

I-10 West at Sunland

27 HOURS

Sunday, January 20 at 3 a.m. to Monday, January 21 at 6 a.m.

- I-10 Westbound will close completely between Sunland Park Drive and North Mesa Street.
- The Sunland Park entrance ramp to I-10 Westbound will close.

Detour: Motorists on I-10 Westbound will exit at Sunland Park Drive (Exit 13), follow Sunland Park Drive to North Mesa Street (SH 20), then re-enter I-10 Westbound using the North Mesa entrance ramp.

I-10 LANE PATTERN CHANGE: Once the 27-hour closure lifts, motorists can expect to be driving on the main lanes of I-10 Westbound after several months of driving on the westbound collector-distributor (CD) lanes. [Map 1]

Note: If this work activity is canceled, such as due to weather, then it will be re-scheduled for Jan. 27-28.

North Mesa

Overnight

Monday, January 21 through Thursday, January 24

9 p.m. each night to 6 a.m. each morning

- The North Mesa exit ramp (Exit 11) from I-10 Eastbound will be open; however, motorists will only be able to turn right at the North Mesa Street (SH 20) signalized intersection.
- North Mesa Street (SH 20) in the eastbound direction will close between Osborne Drive and North Desert Blvd.
- North Mesa Street (SH 20) in the westbound direction will be open to through-traffic between North Desert Boulevard and Osborne Drive; however, no vehicles will be able to turn left from North Mesa Street (SH 20) to access the entrance ramp to I-10 Eastbound.

Crews will be upgrading pavement on North Mesa Street. [Map 2]

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Sunland Park

Daytime

Monday, January 21 and Tuesday, January 22

9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day

- Sunland Park Drive will have one inside lane closed in both directions between Constitution Drive and I-10. Crews will be working on a pole in the median of Sunland Park Drive. [No Map]

Developing – the following closures are still developing, meaning details may change:

I-10 West at Sunland

Overnight

Monday, January 28

9 p.m. to 6 a.m. the next morning

- I-10 Westbound will close between Sunland Park (Exit 13) and the North Mesa overpass.
- The Sunland Park entrance ramp to I-10 Westbound will close.

Detour: Motorists on I-10 Westbound will exit at Sunland Park Drive (Exit 13), follow Sunland Park Drive to North Mesa Street (SH 20), then re-enter I-10 Westbound using the North Mesa entrance ramp.



ATTENTION: Crews will be working to close the westbound Resler exit ramp (Exit 12). By the morning of Jan. 29, motorists may use the Sunland Park exit ramp (Exit 13) while the Resler exit ramp is closed. The North Mesa exit ramp (Exit 11) will also be an option for drivers; however, pavement work is taking place near the North Mesa exit ramp and may cause delays on the North Mesa exit ramp and congestion at the signalized intersection.

North Mesa

Overnight

Tuesday, January 29 through Thursday, January 31

9 p.m. each night to 6 a.m. each morning

- The North Mesa exit ramp (Exit 11) from I-10 Eastbound will be open; however, motorists will only be able to turn right at the North Mesa Street (SH 20) signalized intersection.
- North Mesa Street (SH 20) in both directions will close between Osborne Drive and Remcon Circle.
- The North Mesa exit ramp from I-10 Westbound will close.

Crews will be paving and moving barrier.



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All closures are subject to change or cancellation.

All closure times are approximate.

Exit and entrance ramps may close up to one hour prior to the start time of an I-10 closure.

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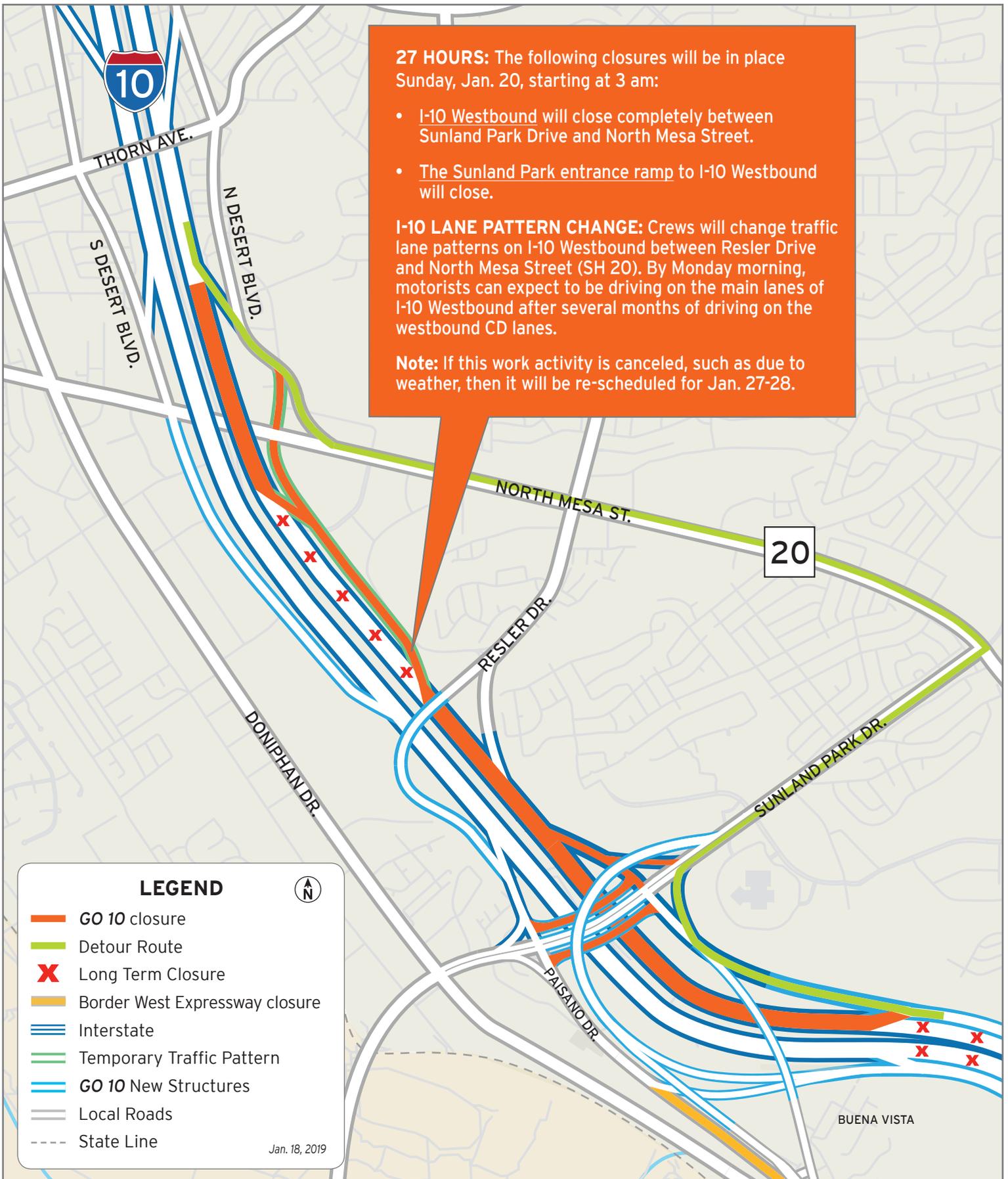
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27 HOURS: The following closures will be in place Sunday, Jan. 20, starting at 3 am:

- I-10 Westbound will close completely between Sunland Park Drive and North Mesa Street.
- The Sunland Park entrance ramp to I-10 Westbound will close.

I-10 LANE PATTERN CHANGE: Crews will change traffic lane patterns on I-10 Westbound between Resler Drive and North Mesa Street (SH 20). By Monday morning, motorists can expect to be driving on the main lanes of I-10 Westbound after several months of driving on the westbound CD lanes.

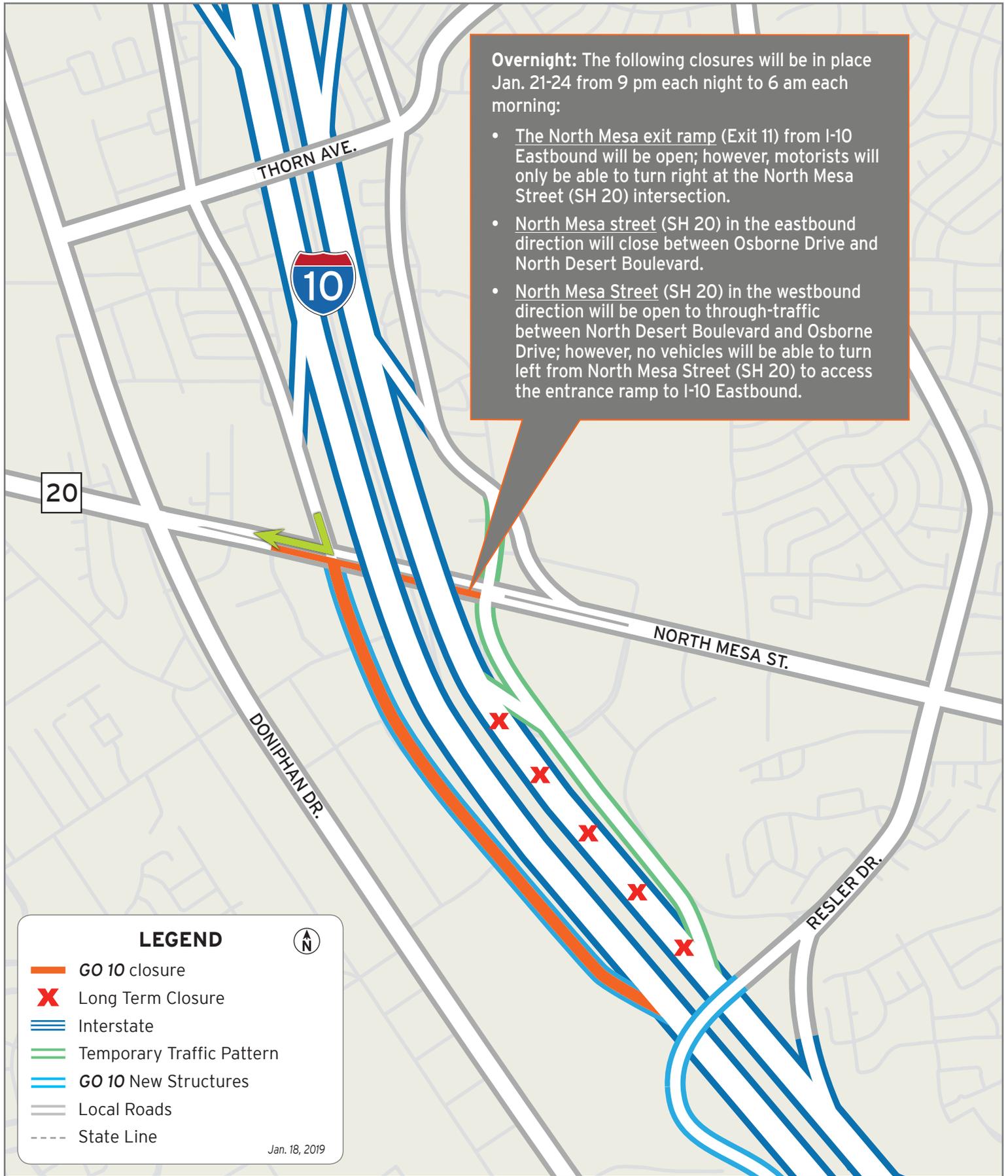
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I-10 West closes for 27 hours

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Closures at North Mesa

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