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Milestone: Bridge to Nowhere scheduled for demolition Aug 14

I-10 Both Directions

26 Hours

The following closures will take place from 3 a.m. Sunday, **Aug. 14** to 5 a.m. Monday, **Aug. 15**:

- I-10 in both directions will be completely closed between the Sunland Park Overpass to the Executive Center Overpass
- The Resler Exit Ramp from I-10 Westbound

Detour: Both westbound and eastbound traffic will be detoured to North Mesa Street (SH 20).

Westbound vehicles will exit at Executive Center Boulevard (Exit 16), turn right on Executive Center Boulevard, then turn left on North Mesa Street (SH 20), and turn left onto Sunland Park Drive. Vehicles will be able to re-enter I-10 Westbound from Sunland Park Drive.

Eastbound vehicles will exit at Sunland Park Drive (Exit 13), turn left on Sunland Park Drive, turn right on North Mesa Street (SH 20), and turn right on Executive Center Boulevard. Vehicles will be able to re-enter I-10 Eastbound from Executive Center Boulevard.

NOTE: Traffic will not be allowed to enter I-10 Eastbound from North Mesa Street (SH 20).

Crews will close I-10 to demolish the Buena Vista Bridge (aka the Bridge to Nowhere) and they will close the Resler Exit Ramp to install a water line. [Map 1]

I-10 East

Overnight

I-10 Eastbound will have two left and two right lane closures at alternating times of the night between the Sunland Park Overpass and the Buena Vista area. The eastbound alternating lane closures will be in place Sunday, **Aug. 14** through Wednesday, **Aug. 17** from 9 p.m. each night to 5 a.m. each following morning. Crews will be assembling steel girders for the new Paisano (US 85) Overpass. [Map 2]

Overnight

I-10 Eastbound will be reduced to 1 lane from the Buena Vista area (formerly the location of the Bridge to Nowhere) to the Executive Center Overpass Tuesday, **Aug. 16**, through Thursday, **Aug. 18** from 9 p.m. each night to 5 a.m. each following morning. Crews will be placing concrete pavement. [Map 2]

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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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I-10 West

Daytime

The right lane on I-10 Westbound will be closed from the Resler Overpass to the North Mesa Intersection on Monday, **Aug. 15** from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Crews will be setting barrier. [No map]

Overnight

I-10 Westbound will be completely closed at the Sunland Park Exit Ramp starting at 9 p.m. on Thursday, **Aug. 18** to 5 a.m. the following morning. Crews will be assembling steel girders for the new Paisano (US 85) Overpass. [Map 2]

North Mesa

Weeklong

A right lane on North Mesa Street (SH 20), in the direction from Osborne Drive to Remcon Circle, will be closed intermittently from Monday, **Aug. 15** through Friday, **Aug. 19** as follows:

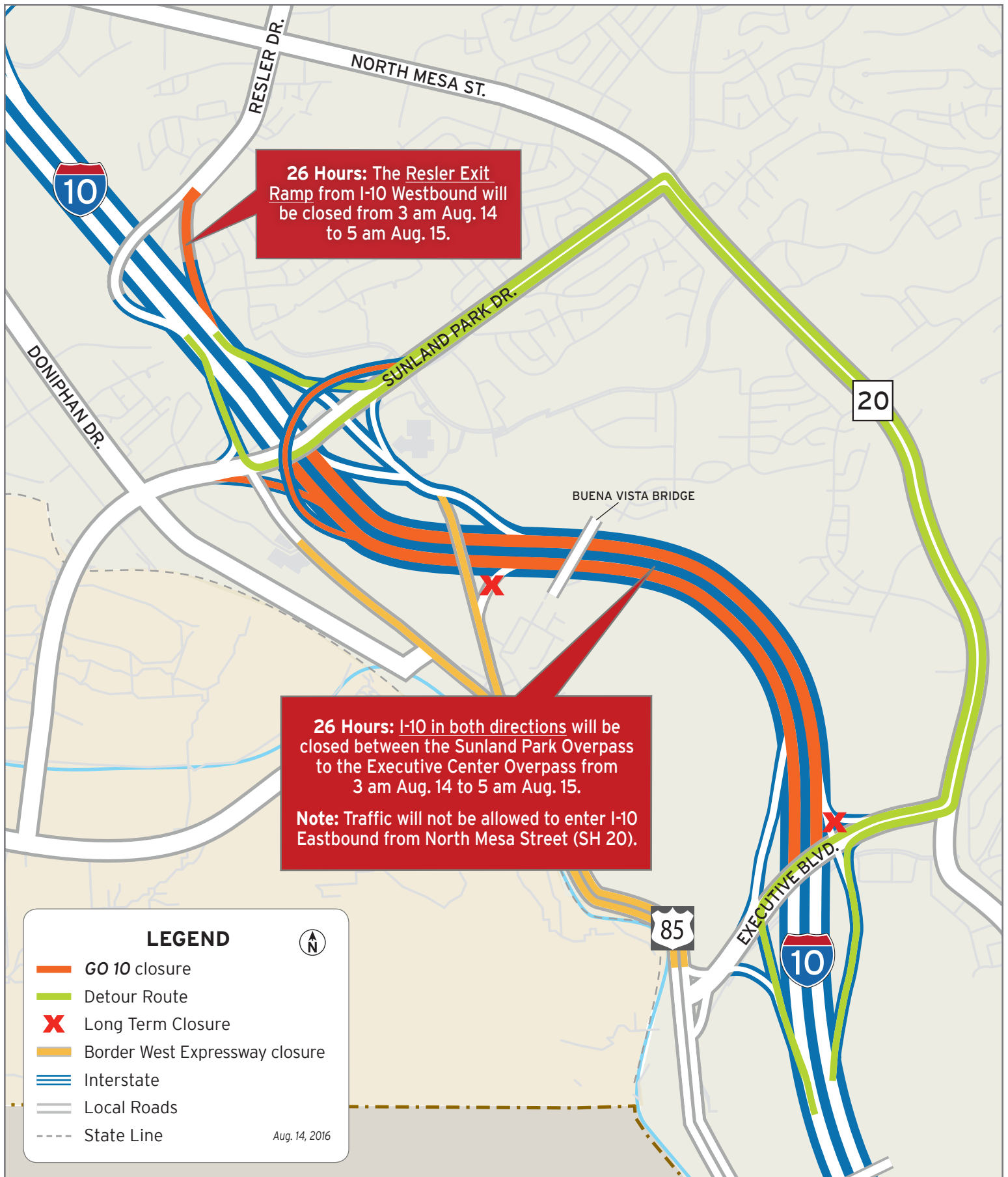
- between Osborne Drive and Remcon Circle from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day
- between the westbound North Mesa Street Exit Ramp (approximately in front of the Verizon store) to Remcon Circle from 9 p.m. each night to 5 a.m. each following morning

Crews will be installing a sewer line. [Map 3]

Overnight

A left lane on North Desert Boulevard will be closed for approximately 1,000 feet starting at North Mesa Street (SH 20). The closure will take place Wednesday, Aug. 17 and Thursday, Aug. 18 from 9 p.m. each night to 5 a.m. the following morning. Crews will be demolishing a portion of North Desert Boulevard, which ultimately will be widened. [Map 3]

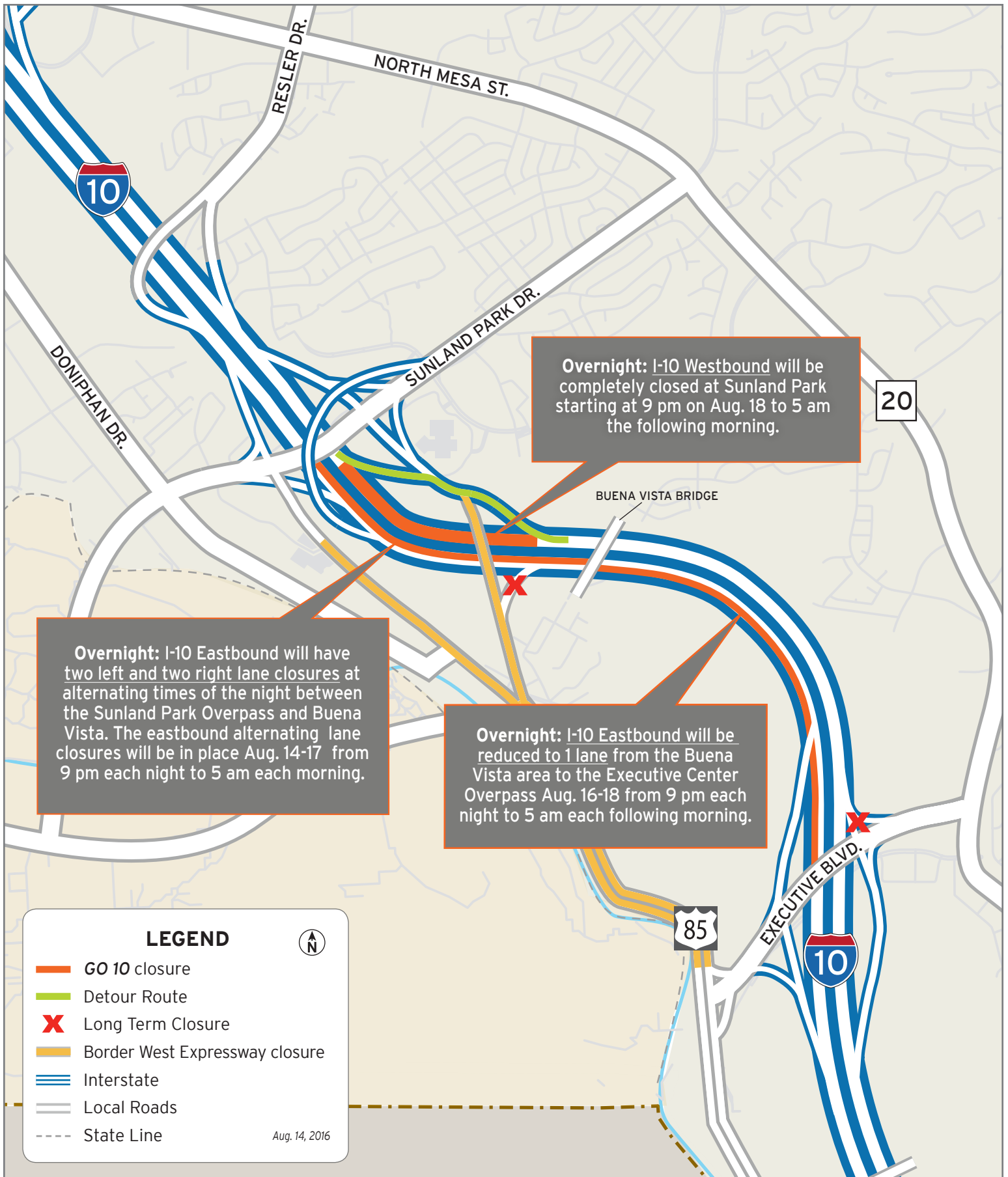




Full Closure on I-10 and Resler Ramp

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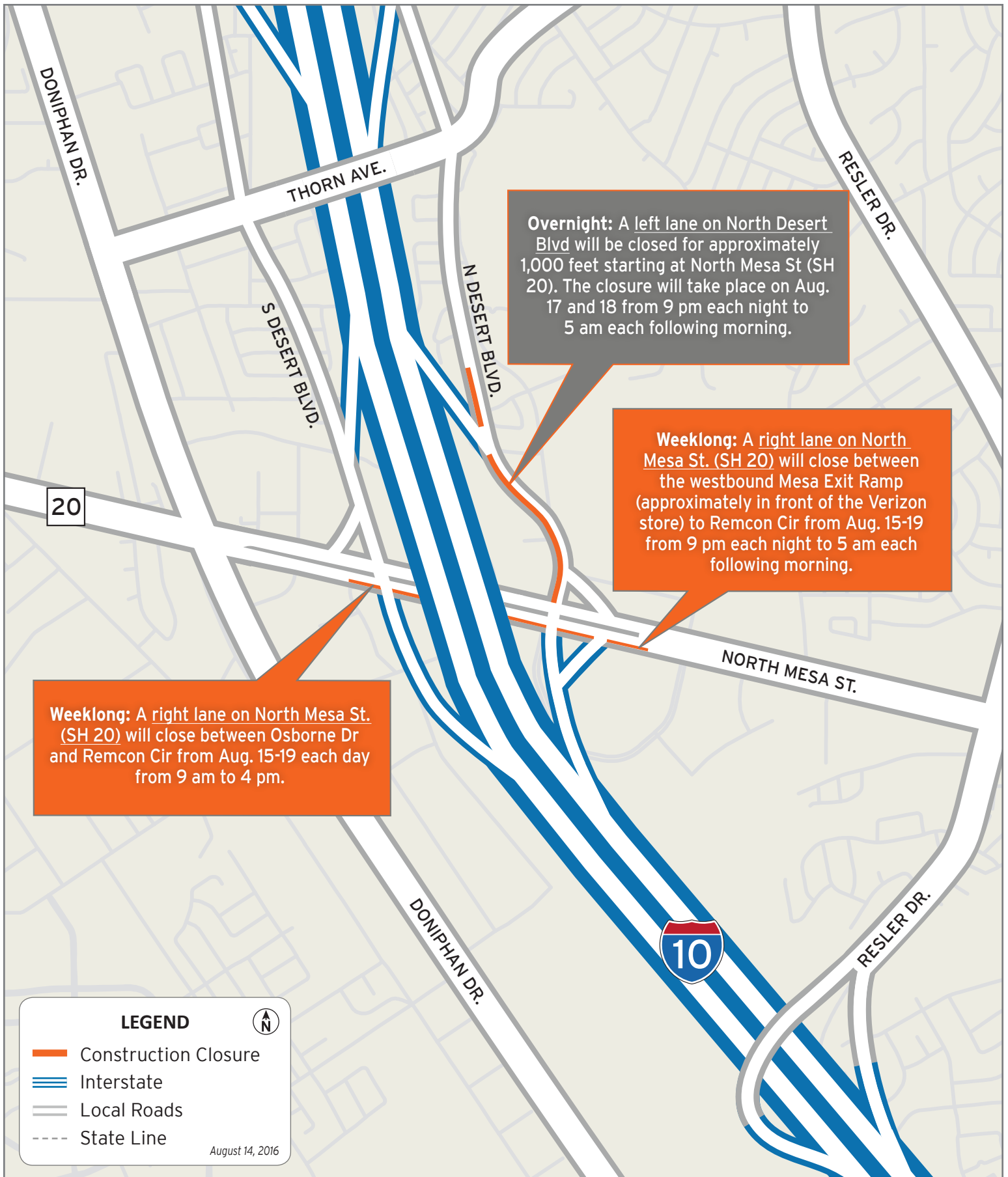




Closures on I-10

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Overnight: A left lane on North Desert Blvd will be closed for approximately 1,000 feet starting at North Mesa St (SH 20). The closure will take place on Aug. 17 and 18 from 9 pm each night to 5 am each following morning.

Weeklong: A right lane on North Mesa St. (SH 20) will close between the westbound Mesa Exit Ramp (approximately in front of the Verizon store) to Remcon Cir from Aug. 15-19 from 9 pm each night to 5 am each following morning.

Weeklong: A right lane on North Mesa St. (SH 20) will close between Osborne Dr and Remcon Cir from Aug. 15-19 each day from 9 am to 4 pm.

LEGEND 

-  Construction Closure
-  Interstate
-  Local Roads
-  State Line

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Closures at North Mesa Street

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