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Mesa

Daytime:

The left lane on North Mesa Street (SH 20), from Osborne Drive to South Desert Boulevard, will be closed from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, **July 5** and Wednesday, **July 6**.

The right lane on North Mesa Street (SH 20), from South Desert Boulevard to Osborne Drive, will be closed from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, **July 5** and on Wednesday, **July 6**.

These closures are necessary to allow crews to bore for utilities.

Nighttime:

The left lane on the I-10 East Mesa Bridge will be closed overnight from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Wednesday, **July 6**. Crews will be setting up barriers in the area.

The left lane on the I-10 West Mesa Bridge will be closed overnight from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Thursday, **July 7**. Crews will be setting up barriers in the area.

The two right lanes on North Mesa Street (SH 20), from South Desert Boulevard to North Desert Boulevard, will be closed overnight from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Thursday, **July 7**. Crews will be drilling shafts for new bridge columns.

NOTE: The *nighttime* activities at North Mesa Street (SH 20) mark the beginning of a three-phase plan that will result in an all-new I-10 Bridge at North Mesa Street (SH 20). The new bridge will feature a complete and full span [no center columns] across North Mesa Street (SH 20).

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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 East

Nighttime:

The two right lanes on I-10 eastbound, between the Buena Vista Bridge (aka the Bridge to Nowhere) to the Executive Center Overpass, will be closed from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. overnight on Wednesday, **July 6** and again on Thursday, **July 7**. Crews will be paving new eastbound lanes.

Daytime:

The right lane on I-10 eastbound, between the Buena Vista Bridge (aka the Bridge to Nowhere) to the Executive Center Overpass, will be closed from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday, July 7. Crews will be repairing potholes.

I-10 West

Nighttime:

I-10 West, between the Sunland Park Exit Ramp and the Sunland Park Overpass, will be closed overnight from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Thursday, **July 7**. (This closure is part of the 11-night closure announced last week. See last week's announcement at bit.ly/11nite.) Crews will be hanging steel beams for the new I-10 westbound direct connector ramps from Paisano Drive (US 85).

Paisano

Nighttime:

Paisano Drive (US 85) eastbound, between Sunland Park and Crockett Street, will be closed overnight from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Thursday, **July 7**. Crews will be moving barrier walls.

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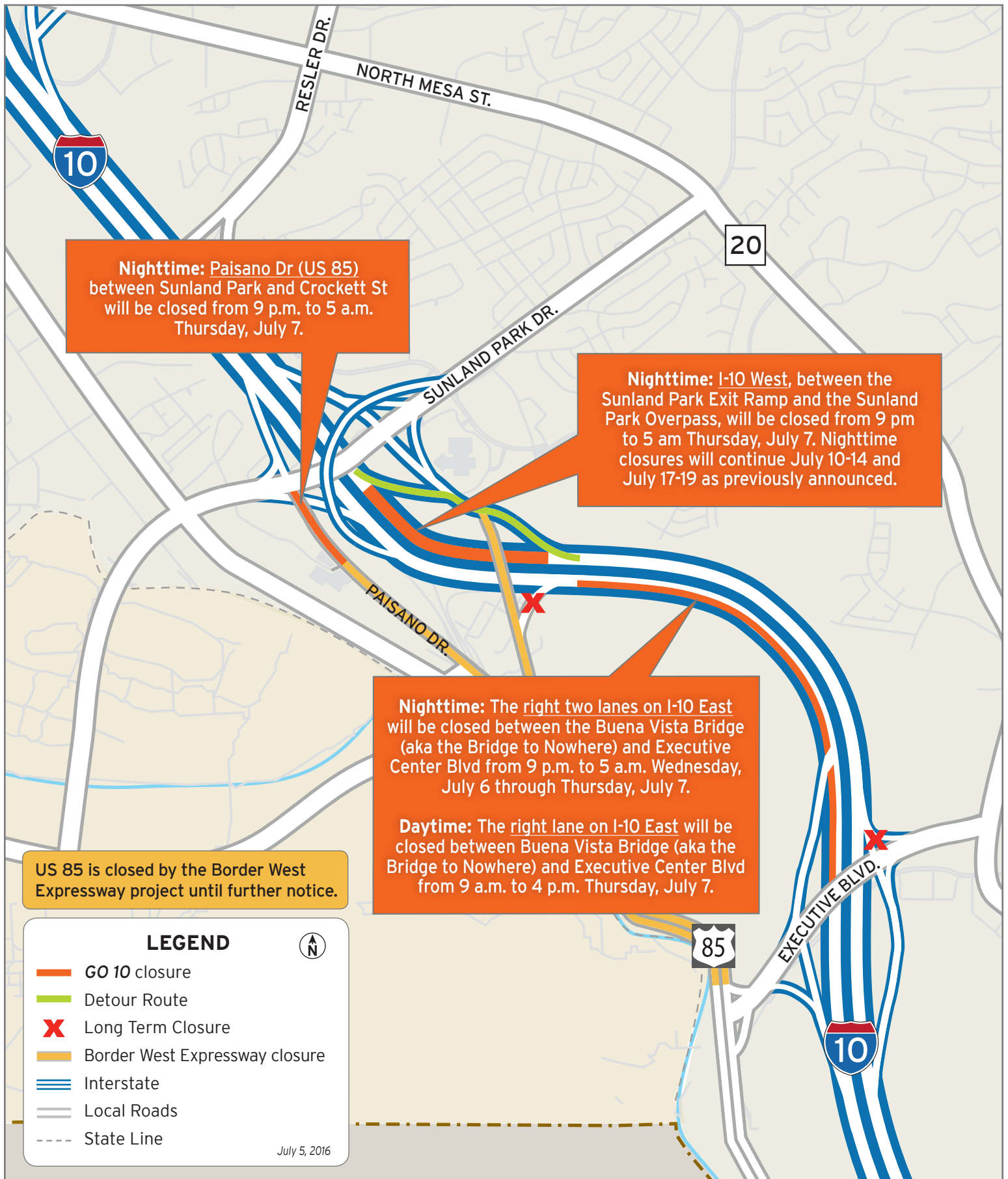


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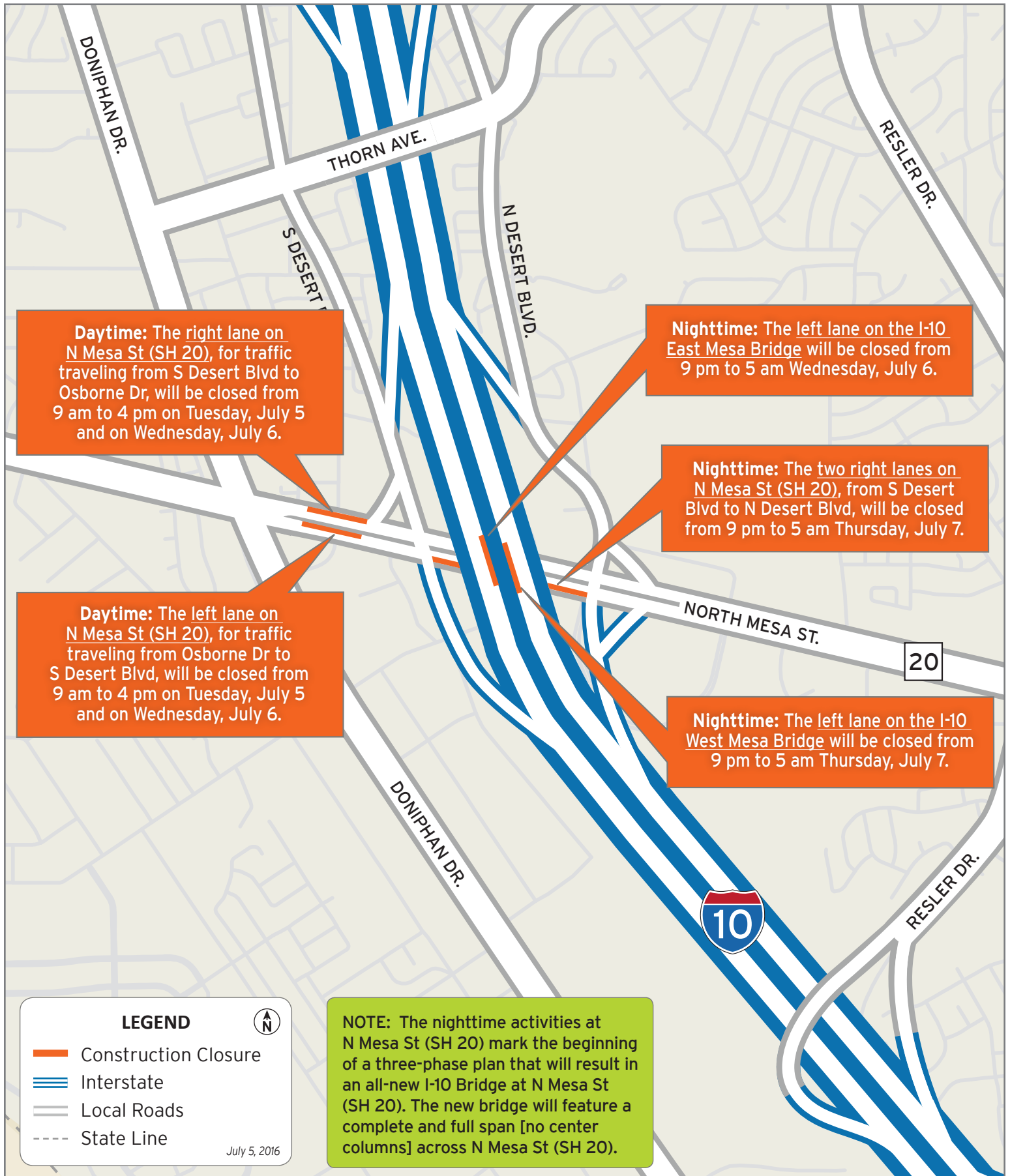
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Lane closures on I-10

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Multiple closures at North Mesa Street

Map 2 of 2

