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SB Collins Street detoured for construction

Motorists to be detoured to the new Center Street bridge

WHERE: Southbound FM 157/Collins Street from Lamar Boulevard to westbound Interstate 30

WHEN: Saturday, Feb. 28

WHAT: I-30 Project/Arlington- Starting this Saturday, two southbound lanes of FM 157/Collins Street will be detoured for the reconstruction of the Collins Street bridge and main lanes from Lamar Boulevard to the westbound I-30 frontage road.

Southbound Collins Street will be detoured to westbound Lamar Boulevard and then to southbound Lincoln Drive. At Lincoln Drive, motorists will proceed to Center Street and the new Center Street bridge over I-30. South of I-30, motorists can access Collins Street from the eastbound frontage road or by Road to Six Flags. The detour will be in place for approximately 12 months. This detour allows two lanes to be maintained both north and southbound.

Both lanes of northbound Collins Street remain open to motorists throughout the detour. *Motorists are encouraged to seek alternate routes.*

For a map and a podcast detailing the detour, log on to: www.keep30moving.org.

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