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Work to Begin on N-14 and US-30 in Central City

March 20, 2017, (Grand Island, Neb.) — Weather permitting, paving work is scheduled to begin March 27 on N-14 from 25th Street to the US-30 junction, Reference Post 80+99 to Reference Post 81+57, and on US-30 from East Avenue to 14th Avenue, Reference Post 337+32 to Reference Post 337+82, according to the Nebraska Department of Roads.

N-14 work will consist of removal of old pavement, sidewalks and driveways, and reconstruction with concrete pavement. Storm sewer with curb inlets will be added, along with sanitary sewer and water main replacement in several locations. New street lighting and sidewalks will also be built. During work on N-14, northbound traffic will be temporarily detoured on N-66 east to US-81, north to N-92, west to US-30 and back to the junction of N-14. Southbound traffic will follow the same route in the opposite direction. It is anticipated that Hwy 14 will be opened to traffic in November of 2017, weather permitting.

US-30 work will consist of concrete pavement repair, milling, asphalt overlay, repair/replacement of ADA compliant sidewalk ramps, and signal replacement at the junctions of US-30/C Avenue and US-30/N-14. All work on US-30 will be completed under traffic using flaggers and a pilot vehicle. Milling and asphalt work on US-30 will be completed at night and there will be a 12-foot width restriction.

M.E. Collins Contracting Company, Inc., of Wahoo, Nebraska, has the \$3,521,800 contract. The project is anticipated to be completed November 2017.

The Department of Roads' project manager is Ben Merchant of Grand Island. Motorists are reminded to drive cautiously through construction zones, along detours, and to expect slow traffic and delays.

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