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Construction continues on I-80, Cozad to Darr

Nov. 17, 2026 (North Platte, Neb.) — Work continues on Interstate 80 (I-80) between Cozad and Darr, from reference post 221.46 to reference post 230.54, according to the Nebraska Department of Transportation.

Paul Reed Construction, of Gering, is the contractor for this project. Reconstruction of the eastbound and westbound lanes is complete, and traffic has been shifted back to a normal configuration. Temporary lane closures will continue for removal of temporary pavement, grading, culverts, seeding, electrical, guardrail and sign installation. An 11-foot width restriction remains in effect. Anticipated completion is Summer 2027.

The purpose of this project is to preserve the transportation asset, improve the reliability of the transportation system, and perpetuate the mobility of the traveling public.

Motorists are reminded to drive cautiously in and near work zones, to buckle up, and put phones down.

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