

Airport Construction Update #6

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Lane Changes at Airport Entrance at Skyport Drive

The left lane of Skyport Drive as it enters the Airport roadway system is now closed. The two right lanes of Skyport, leading to Airport Boulevard toward Terminal A remain open.

The short-term parking lot across from Terminal C can only be accessed from the east side of the lot off Airport Blvd. Drivers from Skyport Drive who wish to enter the short-term parking lot now must cross several lanes of traffic on Airport Blvd. to get to the parking lot entrance on the left. Please drive carefully!

Skyport Drive Exit Now Closed

The northbound exit from Airport Boulevard to Skyport Drive (the left lanes that leave the Airport roadway system) is now closed.

The right lanes of northbound Airport Boulevard remain open to take you out of the Airport via Airport Parkway, rather than at Skyport. Drivers heading for Highways 101 or 87 should follow the signs on Airport Parkway to take them to 101 or 87.

Skyport Connector Scheduled to Open Friday, October 5

The interim Skyport Connector is scheduled to open in two weeks. This will link the Airport roadway from Terminal C directly to Skyport during our terminal improvement program over the next three years.

Once it's open, drivers coming from the terminals will be able leave the Airport via Skyport to reach Highway 87. The interim connector is needed to allow Airport construction on the new rental car parking garage and roadway improvements to move forward.

Please Stay Alert to Airport Roadway Construction and Changes

We will be making more adjustments to Airport roadways and curbsides over the next several months because of construction. Fortunately, most road construction can be done at night, which will minimize traffic impacts.

However, please drive carefully in the terminal areas – and please slow down. New crosswalks, new bus stops, new parking access and exits, and lane closures already have changed traffic patterns around Terminal C and on the roadways.

And, we remind all travelers to add a little more time to allow for additional driving and parking to be on the safe side and to reduce travel stress, and to pay attention to changes in roads, signage, and traffic around the Airport.

Temporary Water Outage at Terminal A on Saturday Night, September 29

Construction on the water system at Terminal A and the Terminal A garage will require shutting down water lines Saturday night, September 29. This will take place after the last scheduled flight arrives for the day, and therefore should have minimal impact on Airport customers.