

Traffic Advisory – Week of October 21

October 22 - 27: Monday through Saturday (Saturday work as needed), construction work will have the following traffic impacts on Manitou / W. Colorado Avenue. Working hours will be 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. unless otherwise specified (weather dependent):

- The new Adams Crossing Bridge is now open to traffic going in both directions.
- Monday, October 22 through Tuesday, October 23 – Crews will close 34th Street from W. Colorado Avenue and Pikes Peak Avenue. The suggested alternate route is 33rd Street to Pikes Peak Avenue and W. Colorado Avenue. The closure is needed for underground pipe relocations. Access to homes will be maintained by traffic control flaggers.
- Monday, October 22 through Friday, October 26 – Crews will be working on Pikes Peak Avenue at the Ridge Road intersection from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Pikes Peak Avenue will remain closed 24-hours-day at the intersection during this work. Motorists can detour around this closure from the west using Columbia Road or from the east using 33rd Street.
- Traffic will be on the NORTH side of W. Colorado Avenue from Ridge Road to the bridge over Fountain Creek. Traffic will be one lane of alternating traffic controlled by flaggers across the bridge (as required) during active construction work. During non-work hours, one lane in each direction will be open.
- Traffic will be on the SOUTH side of Colorado Avenue from just east of Ridge Road to 32nd Street for utility work by Colorado Springs Utilities. Traffic will be one lane in each direction. Access to roads and local business will be maintained on the north and south sides of Colorado Avenue.

Ridge Road Closure: Ridge Road is permanently closed between W. Pikes Peak Avenue and W. Colorado Avenue where a permanent pedestrian and bike plaza will be constructed in Spring 2019. W. Pikes Peak Avenue can be accessed from Manitou/Colorado Avenue via S. 36th or S. 33rd Streets or Columbia Road depending on timing of their respective closures.

Midland Trail Closure:

The Midland Trail is closed through Spring 2019 from Beckers Lane to Columbia Road for construction. The signed detour route is to use El Paso Boulevard via either Columbia Road/36th Street or Beckers Lane to connect back to the Midland Trail. Please follow the signed detour for your safety.

This is an active construction area with no sidewalks. Slow down, avoid distractions, and pay attention while driving through the Construction Zone. Please be patient and mindful of pedestrians, bicyclists, school children and construction workers.

Allow extra time for your commute. Plan for an average delay of 10 minutes during working hours. Delays can be up to 15 minutes long.

Optional detours are in place but businesses are open.

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How Can I Receive these Traffic Advisories?

Sign up for periodic project updates by sending an email to MSprings@PublicInfoTeam.com

Project information: www.WestsideAvenuePlan.com

Information on opening of Adams Crossing Bridge:

<https://www.facebook.com/ElPasoCountyCO/videos/250003578997778/>

Telephone hotline: 719-301-3801