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Bridge work disrupts nighttime traffic on Calgary's Deerfoot Trail

Calgary... Motorists can expect major delays on the northern portion of Deerfoot Trail to accommodate interchange construction.

The delays will occur Oct. 1, 2, and 3 between 11 p.m. and 5 a.m., weather permitting. The delays affect both northbound and southbound Deerfoot Trail between Country Hills Boulevard and the Highway 566 interchange.

Intermittently, traffic will be subjected to “rolling stops” when all lanes in both directions are reduced to 5 km/h. Police vehicles will impede all lanes of traffic starting at Country Hills Boulevard and the Highway 566 interchange. These police vehicles will bring traffic to a stop and then proceed at 5 km/h until Stoney Trail Constructors has completed the girder erection at the Stoney Trail interchange. Once the girders are secured, traffic will resume at normal speed until the next girder is moved into place.

Motorists are advised to use alternate routes during the dates and times mentioned above.

Motorists should use caution in the area and obey all signs, message boards, pilot vehicles and flag people. Motorists are reminded that fines for speeding are doubled through construction zones when workers are present.

Visit www.stoneytrailgroup.ca for more information about the Stoney Trail NE ring road project.

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