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## **Chip seal preparation work closes lanes on Queen Elizabeth II Highway between Leduc and Edmonton**

**Leduc...** Motorists can expect lane and speed limit reductions on northbound Queen Elizabeth II Highway between Leduc and Edmonton.

Work begins July 18 and involves milling and spray patching in preparation for chip seal coating that will take place later this summer. Work will take place during non-peak daylight hours. One lane will be closed and the speed limit will be reduced to 50 km/h through the construction zone. At least two lanes will remain open at all times and the construction zone will be a maximum of three kilometres in length at any one time. The work does not affect the southbound lanes.

The milling and patching will be completed by July 26, weather permitting. Once the milling and patching is complete, the chip seal coating will take place at night to minimize traffic disruptions. More details will be available shortly before this project begins.

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

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